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#### PREFACE

Manuscripts in the Lincoln Diocesan Registry have supplied most of the texts in the present volume. The Clerical Subsidy Rolls with the exception of the roll of 1583 (pp. 373-4), come from the Public Record Office. The Subsidy of Armour is printed from a manuscript of the Dean and Chapter of Lincoln. The *Libri Cleri* of 1570 and 1584 are preserved in Lambeth Palace Library. The *Libri Cleri* of 1594, 1604, and 1607, which were kept in the registry of the Archdeaconry of Leicester at the time that the texts were printed, have now been transferred to their proper home, the Diocesan Registry at Lincoln.

In the *Libri Cleri*, where the entries are cast in a common form, the Latin texts have been translated into English. In the English texts the original spelling and, in most cases, the punctuation have been followed.

The writer's thanks are due, in the first place, to Professor A. Hamilton Thompson, D. Litt, who has been always ready, with his wide knowledge of ecclesiastical history and practice, to give advice in any case of difficulty. Professor Claude Jenkins, D.D., librarian at Lambeth Palace, has given ready access to the documents in his charge. Mr Sidney A. Peyton has furnished copious extracts from the Journals of the Houses of Parliament, and Mr Charles Clay, librarian of the House of Lords has searched the papers of that house in connection with the Brief of Grievances (pp. lxxvi-vii). Miss F. E. Thurlby, the writer's secretary, has given valuable help in the task of compiling statistics and making the indexes.

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Timberland,

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#### ABBREVIATIONS

a absent

a licence of admission.

adm admitted. archbishop.

B. Canon Law Bachelor of Canon Law.

B.L Bachelor of Law.

beha. behaviour. bishop.

bred in the schools see page xxxi. catechize. communicants.

cl. clerk.

enr. enraev, curate

d. deacon. D., deg. degree.

di' dimidium, half.

disp. dispensation to hold more than one benefice.

dispensed having a dispensation to hold more than one

benefice.

dist. distance.

dup. dupliciter, sc. another benefice held in plurality.

e excused. end. endowed. grad. graduate.

he has to exhibit he is bound to exhibit an instrument or document

which he has failed to produce when required.

ho. honest. hospitable.

i. letters of institution.

1. incumbent

ind. certificate of induction.

inst. instituted. L. lic. licensed.

vi

lic. pr.

licensed preacher.

literate

educated, but without an university degree

mar.

married.

m.

minister, i.e. priest.

non-com.

non-communicants.

non l.

non licenciatus.

non-grad.

non-graduate.

ob' ord obolus, halfpenny.

ordered

ordained.

ordered

letters of orders

o. p.

present.

parson

rector.

p'ge approp.

parsonage (i e. rectory) appropriate.

p'ge improp.

parsonage (i.e. rectory) impropriate.

p'ge prop.

parsonage (i.e. rectory) not appropriate nor impropriate.

P., pa., pat.

patron.

plur.

letters of dispensation to hold more than one benefice

pr.

preacher, except in the *Liber Cleri* of 1585, where it stands for priest.

preb.

prebend, prebendary.

p'nted

presented.

prox'

proxy, sc. for appearance at a visitation, for which a special fee of 4s. 8d. was payable.

qual'n, qual.

qualification to hold more than one benefice.

qualified Q., quality

quality, the kind of benefice

R., r.

rector, rectory.

R.

residence, resident.

recus.

recusants.

S.T.B.

Sacra Theologia Baccalaureus, Bachelor of Divinity.

S.T.D.

Sacra Theologia Doctor, Doctor of Divinity.

*S T.P.* 

Sacræ Theologiæ Professor, Doctor of Divinity.

scolaris

see page xxxi.

stip.

stipend, stipendiary.

subs., subscribed

subscribed to the articles.

t.

letters testimonial of subscription to the articles.

tol.

certificate of toleration.

unm, unmar.

unmarried.

#### ABBREVIATIONS

unspecified.

V.(in Liber Cleri 1603) Value (of benefice).

V., vic. vicar, vicarage.

ARMOUR (pages 145-168)

bill sc. the equipment of a man armed with a bill.

bowe sc. the equipment of an archer.

caliver, qua. sc. the equipment of a man armed with a caliver or

harquebus.

cor:, cors:, corslet sc. the full equipment of a pikeman.

halbert sc. the full equipment of a halberdier.

la:, lauce, lau: sc. the full equipment of a heavy horseman. light horse sc. the full equipment of a light horseman.

mu: mus: musc. sc. the full equipment of a musketeer.

petro: sc. the full equipment of a horseman armed with a

petronel (a wheel-lock pistol).

PRINTED BOOKS

Abridgment See below, page lxxi.

Documentary Annals Cardwell, Edward, D.D. Documentary Annals of the Reformed Church of England, two volumes.

New edition, 1844, Oxford.

Frere Frere, W. H. The English Church in the reigns of Elizabeth and James I. 1904. Volume V of A

History of the English Church.

Frere and Kennedy Frere, W. H., D.D., assisted by W. M. Kennedy, M.A. Visitation Articles and Injunctions of the

period of the Reformation, three volumes, 1910.

Alcuin Club Collections.

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L.R.S. Publications of the Lincoln Record Society.

Peel Peel, Albert, M.A., LITT. D., B. LITT. The Seconde

Parte of a Register, two volumes, 1915, Cambridge

bridge.

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volumes, 1824, Oxford.

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Usher, Presbyterian Usher, Roland G., Ph. D. The Presbyterian Move-Movement ment in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, 1905. Camden Society, third series, volume VIII. Usher, Reconstruction Usher, Roland, G., Ph. D. The Reconstruction of the English Church, two volumes, 1910, London and New York.

#### MANUSCRIPTS

(a) In the Lincoln Diocesan Registry

Bishops' Transcripts Bishops' Transcripts of parish registers

C. Episcopal Court Book, A.D. 1602-1609, containing a record of proceedings against nonconforming

clergymen.

Ep. Vis. Episcopal Visitation Books.

L.C. Liber Cleri.

Misc. Miscellaneous Papers.
P.D. Presentation Deeds.
Reg. Episcopal Registers.

V. Episcopal Visitation Book, A.D. 1604.

(b) In the Public Record Office

Cert. Bishops' Certificates.

Comp. Composition Books for First-fruits.

K.B. The King's Books.

(c) Elsewhere

Hatfield MSS

Manuscripts of the Marquis of Salisbury, preserved at Hatfield House, Hertfordshire. A calendar of the manuscripts, to the end of the reign of Elizabeth has been published, with the exception of the last volume, by the Historical

Manuscripts Commission.

#### ADDENDA ET CORRIGENDA

p. l, l. 7—for Allerton read Atterton.

p. lx, l. 2-add Since the Introduction was printed, the present writer. through the kindness of Mr Frederick Johnson, of Norwich, has seen the return for the archdeaconry of Norwich, dated 6 February, 1603-4, "of the qualities and degrees in schole of enery present incumbent in the diocese of Norwich, their ability to preach or catechise the people, . . . their life and conversation, and the value of their benefices." The incumbents are arranged in classes under the heads of their several academical degrees, and under each degree they are subdivided into preachers of honest life and conversation; those able to catechise, of honest life and conversation; those of evil life, heretofore censured; those able to preach and catechise, schismatically affected heretofore. Then there follow two classes: (1) "Ministers unlearned, noe graduates, of honest life" [a large number]; and (2) "Ministers unlearned of euell lif" [a small number]. A note is added; "Those who were of evill life haue been duly censured and punished, and such as be ignorant haue been enjoined exercises for then-

crease of their knowledge in divinity." The words printed in *italics* were added subsequently. This interesting return is now deposited in

Norwich castle. p. lxv, l. 9—Watts died in 1609, holding the benefice (see p. cxxxii).

p. xcv, l. 20-for Anstry read Austry.

p 39, note I—the suggestion that Godren is a mistake for Howden must be abandoned.

p. 40, l. 1--for flint read Fluit.

p. 42, l. 4—for Common read Canon.

p. 48, l. 32—for subscribo read subscribo.

p. 58, 1. 35—omit Shenly [Deanery].

p. 61, l. 20—Henry seems to be a mistake for Henley (cp. p. 137; Reg. xxviii, f. 87).

l. 31—Richard Hodgesone seems to be a mistake for Robert Hodgkins (cp. p. 137; Reg. xxviii, f. 145d.).

p. 63, last line, and p 64, l. 3—for burgley read bromley.

p. 76, l. 28—after Andrew omit the full stop.

p. 82, l. 21—for Devins read Devius.

note 3—after 'Deanes' add rectius 'Deaues.'

p. 85, 1. 9 from foot—for 156[1?] read 1567.

p. 95, 1. 7—John is a mistake in the Liber for William (cp. pp. 71, 77; L.R.S., ii, p. 77).

p. 103, ll. 14 and 15 from foot—Sir Henry Strange, lord Stanley, is a mistake in the Liber for Sir Henry Stanley, lord Strange.

p. 106, l. 16—for Lincolu read Lincoln.

p. 112, 1. 32 should follow line 29.

p. 115, 1. 8 from foot—for 1579 read 1519.

p. 116, l. 25—after bp. add of. p. 119, note 2—for 166 read 116.

p. 122, l. 12 from foot—for Sir James read Sir John.

p. 138, l. 2 and note 2—the suffragan bishop was not the bishop of Kildare, but William Hodgeson, bishop of Daria or Dara in Mesopotamia, who acted as suffragan in the diocese of York (Professor A Hamilton Thompson in The Yorkshire Archaeological Journal, xxiv, 236-257)

p. 140, l. 26—the date of Marrett's ordination is given as 28 Sept. 1567. at p. 142, l. 35.

p. 143, note 4, l. 2—for quando read quando.

p. 188, l. 13 from foot—John Chamber compounded for the first fruits in 1591. He is called 'John Chambers' at p. 256.

p. 256, l. 4—for Q. read Pr.

p. 269, l. 14 from foot—for King read Bing.

p. 285, ll. 18 and 21—'Colton' is a mistake in the manuscript for 'Cotton.' Cp. P.D. 1578, no. 11, 1624, no. 45, and 1646, no. 2.

p 291, l. 14 from foot for Laughton read Laughton.

p. 302, 1 10 -Gartfield is a mistake in the manuscript for Gartside (cp. pp. 398, 416).

William Walton, reader, signs p. 310, l. 2—Watham was only a reader. the bishops' transcripts, 1603-5, 1607-9. Cp. p. 403.

p. 321, l. 3-for Hanworth read Hauworth.

1. 18 from foot—Richard Thorold is a mistake in the Liber for Thomas Thorold (cp. pp. 173, 410, 425).

p. 323, 1. 5 from foot - Thomas Downes is a mistake in the Liber for John Downes (cp. pp. 302, 398, 412). p. 323, l. 31—for Bennet Clark read [blank] Bennet, clark (cp. pp. 412,

426).

p. 328, 1. 28—the Liber has Leueley by mistake for Reueley.

p. 329, l. 11 from foot—Cramme is a mistake in the Liber for Oramme (cp. pp. 97, 155, 185, 338, 357).

p. 364, note 4-for 1605-6 read 1604-5. note 5—for June read July.

p. 369, l. 17—Coleorton is a mistake in the Liber for Cold Overton.

p. 390, l. 11 from foot—Baldwine is a mistake in the Liber for Baildon.

p. 401, l. 14—for distinguished read dismissed. p. 415, l. 4 from foot—the missing word is mere (i.e. merely). Delete note 3.

p. 416, l. 9 from foot—Wright is a mistake in the manuscript for Wight. Cp. p. 398.

p. 448, under 1564—after M.D. add the note John Herd (above, p. 65) held this degree (L R.S., ii, 159).

p. 449, l. 4 from foot—for senescall read seneschal.

p. 450, l. 15. No date—the number under S.T.D. should be 2 and under S.T.B. 1, and the totals should be adjusted accordingly.

p. 461—for the table read as follows:

	Stow, 1598	Leic., 1603
Hospitable	53	167
Not hospitable	13	2
Unspecified	14	19
		-
	80	1 S8

- p. 472, s.v. Allington, West add 307.
- p. 478, s.v. Binge—add 269.
- p. 488, s.v. Coleorton—delete 369.
- p. 512, s.v. King, Andrew—delele 269. p. 525. s.v. Overton, Cold—add 369.
- p. 548, s.v. Walton and Watham-The same person is referred to under these two forms.
- p. 550, s v. Whatton in the Vale—add 44.
  - s.v. White, Robert—add 416. Addenda.

#### INTRODUCTION

THE great series of rolls and registers of the bishops of Lincoln, extending from the reign of king John to the present day, is interrupted by serious lacunae between 1547 and 1660. For the fourteen years which follow 1547, when bishop Longland's register ends, there are considerable portions of the registers of bishops Holbeche (or Randes), Taylor, White, Watson, and Bullingham 1 Bishop Cooper's register and act-book, 1571—March 1583-4, have been edited for the Lincoln Record Society.2 A miscellaneous register contains the institutions from May 1584 to May 1585.3 The register of bishop Chaderton (A.D. 1595-1608) has lost its first seventy-three folios which covered the period from May 1595 to 22 August 1598.4 A register during part of the times of bishops Williams and Winniffe begins in November 1640 and ends in October 1646 except for collations of the prebend of Buckden and the archdeaconry of Huntingdon on 19 November 1649. Bishop Sanderson's register begins 29 October 1660, from which date the series is complete.

Thus the periods for which there are no registers are, approximately, 1585-1598, 1608-1640, and 1647-1660. It is a tradition in the diocesan registry that these registers were lost long ago—probably in the time of the Commonwealth. It is fortunate that a record of the institutions to benefices from 1586 to 1642 exists, in an abbreviated form, in the Bishops' Certificates in the Public Record Office. Here and there these certificates are injured or illegible, and they seem to be entirely missing from February 1614-15 to December 1617, from May to October 1620,

and from October 1635 to September 1636.

The present writer's original design was to print lists of the clergy, preserved in the diocesan registry and elsewhere, which might, in some measure, compensate for the loss of diocesan registers. But as the work proceeded, its scope was enlarged to include other documents which illustrate the state of the Church in the days of queen Elizabeth and James I. The volume was begun ten years ago and, during the course of the work, fresh documents were found. This will account for a departure from chronological order in some parts of the present edition. There still remain some similar documents from 1608 onwards which may, perhaps, provide material for a second volume. Further, there is

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These have been printed in Associated Architectural Societies' Reports and Papers, xxiv, 1-32, 467-525, xxv, 459-544; and Lincolnshire Notes & Queries, volumes v, vi. <sup>2</sup> L.R.S., ii.

<sup>3</sup> Reg. xix, ff. 143-52d.

<sup>4</sup> Reg. xxx.

<sup>5</sup> Reg. xxxi.

<sup>6</sup> Reg. xxxii.
7 So the writer was informed by the late Mr John Swan, who, in 1860, succeeded his father in the office of registrar of the diocese.

a large class of records of such importance that they demand separate treatment, namely, the books of detectiones and comperta of the episcopal and archidiaconal visitations, and the books of proceedings in the courts of the bishop and archdeacons. The former are known, in the diocesan registry, as "Visitation Books"; the latter as "Court Books." The entries which have been extracted from these records in order to illustrate the documents now printed will serve to shew the importance and interest of these books. In the following pages mention is made, under their appropriate dates, of all the visitation books, from 1570 to 1607, that are preserved in the diocesan registry. Fragments of books, however, have not been included. It may be convenient to explain that the churchwardens of each parish were under oath to 'present' at the visitation any person or thing that needed 'correction' by the visitor. These presentments were called *detectiones*, that is, things that were discovered or made known to the visitor; while the matters which were discovered by the visitor were known as comperta. The books of some of the visitations are entitled Detectiones, while others are called Comperta. Where a book has no title, it is generally impossible to be sure whether it consists of detectiones or comperta, and it is by no means improbable that it may be a record of both. In the eighteenth century the importance of the visitations declined; presentments almost ceased to be made, and the issue of visitation articles came to be so much of a mere formality, that the practice prevailed of printing the answer "Omnia bene" on the 'bills' or forms upon which the churchwardens were asked to make their returns. The present writer can remember how, in a certain diocese, many years ago, embarrassment was caused to every body concerned because the churchwardens of a solitary parish made a presentment. They returned, in answer to one of the visitation articles, that they had no hearse-cloth The visitor, while expressing gratification that they had thought it worth while to pay attention to his articles, explained that he did not propose to 'correct' their default, and 'dismissed' them in his peace. Since that time, visitation articles have once more been made to correspond to current conditions, and the obligation to return answers to them is now generally enforced.

The period covered by the present work extends from 1571—1607, that is the episcopates of bishops Cooper (1571—1584). Wickham (1584—1595), and Chaderton (1595—1608). The earlier date was chosen because the writer's former volume, Lincoln Episcopal Records in the time of Bishop Cooper¹, begins in that year; and the latter year because the death of bishop Chaderton, on 8 April, 1608, formed a convenient stopping-place. At that time the diocese of Lincoln comprised no inconsiderable part of England. In 1541 the counties of Northampton and Rutland had been cut off from it to form the new diocese of Peterborough; and in the following year the archdeaconry of Oxford was made into a diocese. The territory, however, that remained was vast and unwieldy, comprising the counties of Lincoln, Leicester, Bedford, Buckingham, Huntingdon, and part of Hertford. It stretched from the Humber to the Thames, and was divided by a piece of the diocese of Peterborough into two detached halves, consisting of the archdeaconries of Lincoln, Stow, and Leicester on the north, and of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> L.R.S., ii.

those of Bedford, Buckingham, and Huntingdon, which included part of Hertfordshire, on the south. The bishop's principal place of residence was the manor of Buckden in Huntingdonshire.

Some particulars will be given in the following pages about the documents which form the text of this edition, but something must be said here about two important sources, the Libri Cleri and the "Brown Book."

Libri Cleri is the name which, in the Lincoln diocesan registry, is given to lists of the clergy which were drawn up for use at the bishop's or archdeacon's visitation, or occasionally for some other special occasion on which the clergy were under an obligation to appear. By them their attendance was checked, and a record was made of the instruments which they exhibited, such as letters of orders and institution, licences to preach, dispensations, etc.<sup>1</sup> Similar lists are still used at visitations, but they are now known as "Call Books," and they do not contain the same amount of information as the libri.

The Brown Book, so called from the colour of its binding,<sup>2</sup> is a register, extending from 1580 to 1618. Its contents are of a very miscellaneous kind. Folios 2 to 18, which belong to bishop Cooper's episcopate, were calendared in Lincoln Episcopal Records in the time of Bishop Cooper.3 It is a continuation of a similar record included in a book of subscriptions to the articles during the episcopates of bishops Bullingham and Cooper. The Brown Book is itself continued by the Red Book, so named from the red leather of its cover.<sup>5</sup> The entries

begin in April, 1611, and end in September, 1693.

It was originally intended to postpone the writing of an introduction until the appearance of a second volume<sup>6</sup>; but further consideration led to a change of plan. It was seen that an epoch in the struggle between the Church and Puritanism was closed about the time at which this volume ends. The aim of the Introduction is to provide a historical setting for the documents which are printed in the text, and to sum up the evidence which they supply. The chief interest is concentrated upon two points in the struggle between the Church of England and the Puritans, the years 1584-1585 and 1604-1605. Widely differing statements have been made about the suspension and deprivation of nonconforming clergymen. The number of those who were deprived in 1604-1605 has been put as low as forty-nine and as high as seven hundred in the whole of England. It has seemed worth while, therefore, to shew in detail what happened to each of the nonconformists. True it is that the evidence does not relate to the whole of England, but the diocese of Lincoln lay within easy reach of London to the south, and extended northwards for about one hundred and sixty miles to the bank of the Humber; and there is

<sup>3</sup> L.R.S., ii, 149-156.

The Red Book has lately been rebound in its original colour.

below, p. xxix.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> It has lately been repaired, and rebound in leather of the same colour. The first folio is missing. It was used by Cardwell in Documentary Annals (ii, 21, 31), where it is called "Liber Instrumentorum Episcopi Lincolniensis."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The part which relates to Cooper's episcopate is calendared in L.R.S., ii, 103-47, where it is, not very appropriately, called "Bishop Cooper's Register." For a description of the record see L.R.S, ii, pp. x, xi.

<sup>6</sup> This accounts for the fact that there is a separate index of persons and places named in this introduction.

no reason to think that the state of the Church in that region was very different from its condition elsewhere. Seemingly the evidence from no other diocese has been examined so fully as it is set out here; and it is unlikely that there are many dioceses in which so many documents

The writer's aim has been to let the documents speak for themselves. They belong to a time when religious feeling ran high, and when good and earnest men held opposite opinions about church government and order. Two irreconcilable systems were striving for the mastery, and sooner or later the issue had to be fought out. To say that neither side acted always with wisdom and charity is only to say that it was a conflict of men and not of angels. As usually happens in a time of upheaval, the extreme men found their opportunity. Things were done which would be inconceivable now. But, on the whole, the evidence discloses a larger measure of patience and toleration than might,

perhaps, have been expected.

Of the general histories of the Church under Elizabeth and James I, three have been found specially helpful. A History of the English Church, Second Period, by the late Ven. G. G. Perry, archdeacon of Stow, is well-The English Church in the reigns of Elizabeth and James I. documented. by the present bishop of Truro, (being volume five of A History of the English Church, edited by Dr Stephens and Dr Hunt), gives what seems to be the best account of the period. The limits of space, however, which were imposed by the plan of the series, made it impossible to deal as fully as students might wish with the early years of the seventeenth century. The Reconstruction of the English Church, by Dr Roland G. Usher, Ph.D., Instructor in History in the University of Washington, brings out the importance of Bancroft's work both as bishop of London and, afterwards, as archbishop of Canterbury. Some of Dr Usher's conclusions, however, require reconsideration. Writing chiefly about the classes of documents which form the main part of the present edition, he says: "With some few exceptions, the whole of this material has been rejected as worthless and misleading." It is, he adds "prima facie what we most desire. The great obstacle to its use is, however, its untrustworthiness. The figures are usually so palpably inaccurate and incorrect that they cannot be accepted as even a basis for guess-work." 1 But from these sweeping conclusions the present writer is bound The documents of the diocese of Lincoln have been to dissent. submitted to a long and careful scrutiny; they have been analysed; many of them have been indexed for the purpose of this edition; they have been compared with, and checked by, one another; and no doubt remains, in the writer's mind, of their substantial accuracy and general trustworthiness. When both the bishop and puritans made returns in 1584-5, each record testifies to the credit of the other. Dr Usher, by his own admission, was unable to make an exhaustive exploration of the documents, and it is only to slow and patient investigation that they will tell their story. They provide many pitfalls. It is plain that some of Dr Usher's conclusions are due to a misinterpretation of the records, as in the case of the poverty of benefices and the number of impropriations.<sup>2</sup>

p. 384.
 These cases will be noticed below.

His book is valuable to the student of the crisis of 1604 in the struggle between the Church and the puritans; but it is necessary to put in a *careat*, because if Dr Usher's estimate is correct, it is mere waste of time, and darkening of counsel, to print the texts included in this volume.

In order to help the reader, type of various kinds is used for the titles and sub-titles of this introduction. The heavier type indicates that the document referred to is printed in the text. Large and small capitals of ordinary type are used for the titles of other sections, and italic letters for the titles of sub-sections.

#### CLERICAL SUBSIDY ROLLS

(Public Record Office, and Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Printed below, pages 2-32, 373-4.)

The rolls from which lists of curates are printed relate to the years 1571, 1572, 1573, 1575, 1577, 1581, 1583, 1586, 1587, 1588, 1589, 1590, 1591, 1594, 1598, 1598-9, 1599, 1602, March 1602-3, October 1603. They are deposited in the Public Record Office, with the exception of the roll for 1583, which is printed from a copy preserved in the Lincoln Diocesan Registry. It will be observed that the number of curates gradually grows smaller. In 1571, one hundred and thirty-five curates paid to the subsidy, while in 1603 the number had fallen to ten. After 1603, the subsidy rolls contain no names of curates. The amount that unbeneficed curates and other stipendiaries were required to pay was generally six shillings and

eight pence at each collection of a subsidy.1

The absence from the rolls of the names of incumbents who paid their quota to the subsidy is due to the method of constructing the rolls. Unlike the lav subsidy rolls, which record the names of those who paid, the clerical subsidy rolls give the names of the incumbents who, whether rightly or wrongly, did not pay. Incumbents were assessed according to the valuation of benefices, made in 1535, and known as the Valor Ecclesiasticus, which for the purposes of first-fruits and tenths persists to the present day. Since the total assessment of the benefices of the diocese was a constant sum, the amount due in respect of a subsidy of so many shillings and pence in the pound was quickly ascertainable. For this sum the bishop was responsible to the barons of the exchequer, less any allowances which he could claim. These allowances were both fixed and casual. The fixed deductions were made in respect of the benefices which, on account of their poverty, were either wholly or partly discharged from payment<sup>1</sup>: the casual deductions were chiefly due to the fact that a newly instituted incumbent was not required to contribute to a subsidy in respect of the year in which he compounded with the queen for the payment of first-fruits.2 The bishop might also claim allowance for benefices, whether full or void, from which he had been unable to collect the subsidy.

#### EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1571

The visitation articles are not extant, and the detections are extant only for the archdeaconries of Bedford and Buckingham. The visitation was held in June. Many chancels are found to be out of repair. At

2 ibid.

<sup>1</sup> See, e.g., 27 Elizabeth, cap. 28.

Amersham, co. Buckingham, the rector [Thomas Gressopp] 'disdains' to use a surplice (f. 1); and at Great Barford, co. Bedford, the vicar [Robert Wynd] refuses to use one (f. 47).

THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATIONS, A.D. 1571-2 AND 1572-3

The detections of these two visitations, so far as they can be read, contain no cases of nonconformity. Many chancels are out of repair.

THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, A.D. 1574-1575

The detections shew that many chancels are out of repair. John Walkewoode, rector of All Saints, Stamford, is presented because he does not wear a surplice (f. 25). Clement Freckingham, vicar of Whaplode, presented for a similar default, subsequently appeared in the archdeacon's court at Lincoln, 11 June, 1575, "et dicet se non habere superpellicium " (f. 47).

#### LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1576

(Lambeth Palace Library, Miscellaneæ, tom. xii, num. 4. Foolscap, paper, 13 folios. Printed below, pages 33-46.)

This book belongs to bishop Cooper's visitation of the archdeaconry of Leicester in the summer of 1576. It bears no date, but the year is determined by internal evidence. The corresponding liber for the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow was printed in Lincoln Episcopal Records in the time of Bishop Cooper.1

#### The learning of the clergy

Like the Lincoln liber, the Leicester record contains interesting particulars about the learning of the clergy. While only one clergyman is somewhat learned in Greek,<sup>2</sup> some are "pretilie learned both in grammer and divinitie." Others "understand Latine wordes without iudgment" and are "indifferentlie traveled" in the scriptures, or are "meanlie learned." Others again have but "a superficiall smatteringe," or are "utterlie ignoraunt." One young man of six-and-twenty seems, as the bishop's commissioners report, to be wise in his own eyes, but in theirs to be without judgement. He, at any rate, had not the supreme contempt for persons of riper years that was found in a man, certified to be very young, whom his parishioners, early in the seventeeth century, convented before the bishop of Lincoln because he had preached in open pulpit, inter alia, that all old men are damned.

A comparison of the returns for Lincoln and Leicester suggests that a higher standard was set in the latter?; but in the former archdeaconry the examination was sufficiently formidable, for it is recorded that two clergymen withdrew before their examination, one of them doing so "in spite of being admonished to undergo it."8

<sup>1</sup> ed. C. W. Foster, L.R.S., ii, 157-213.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, p. 37.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> p. 36.

<sup>4</sup> pp. 35, 42.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> pp. 35, 40. <sup>6</sup> p. 34.

<sup>7</sup> below, pp. 456-7, where the evidence is tabulated.

<sup>\*</sup> L.R.S., ii, 189, 211.

The general position disclosed by these returns is deplorable. Omitting those, whether graduates or non-graduates, about whose knowledge no particulars are given, the returns may be summarised as follows:

		n and Stow	LEICESTER		
	Latin Sa	cred Learning	Latin Sacred Learning		
Sufficient or moderate	154	195	13	12	
Insufficient or quite ignorant	135	113	91	93	

It would appear that the men who were ordained between 1560 and 1570 had, on the whole, the worst record. For a further analysis of the returns, see below (pp. 456-7). Two of the Leicester clergy, Richard Woodward and William Squire, are stigmatised in marginal notes as 'Bonners Clarke,' which means, as is proved by the *Liber Cleri* of 1585, that they were ordained by bishop Bonner.\(^1\) They were both 'mere ignorant.' As late as 1573, some of the men who presented themselves for orders or for institution were very ignorant. In that year bishop Cooper ordained Thomas Morley to the priesthood "upon necessitie, although in the holy scriptures unacquainted," and stayed the issue of his letters of orders for a year, charging him to give himself to the study of the scriptures, and then to shew how he had profited.2 To take another instance, a memorandum appears against the name of Thomas Walkington, who was ordained in the same year: "that my L[ord] hath made stay of his letters of orders until he have red over Bulingers Decades and the Byble so that he be hable to render accompte of the principles of Religion therein contayned." In 1576, Morley was presented to the rectory of Wyberton, but the bishop, on personally examining him, and finding him incapable, enjoined him "to apply his study" for six months, and then present himself again. Morley evidently failed to satisfy the bishop, for another clerk was instituted to the rectory five months later,4 but he was instituted to the vicarage of Heckington in about a year's time.5

The royal injunctions of 1559 and the advertisements of 1566 had ordered clergymen to study if they were below the degree of a master of arts; and had directed the bishops and archdeacons to examine them at their visitations. In the diocese of Lincoln even masters of arts were in some cases examined, as would appear from these returns, the bachelors and doctors of divinity being the only persons about whose learning no details are given because it is taken for granted. On 3 June, 1577, bishop Cooper issued a set of injunctions for the diocese, of which the

sixteenth and seventeenth articles provide:

16. [Item], that the ministers bend themselves diligently to the study of the Holy Scriptures and word of God; and that every parson and vicar under the degree of a Master of Art, or a preacher allowed by the hand and seal of the Bishop, and also every curate serving in a benefice where a preacher is not resident shall, before the first of September next coming, buy the *Decades* of Bullinger either in Latin or English (being now for that purpose translated), and every week to read over one sermon in such sort as he be able to make some reasonable account of it, and likewise every day in the week with like diligence to read over one chapter at

<sup>1</sup> below, pp. 38, 43 ;1cp. pp. 103, 110.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> L.R.S., ii, 82.

<sup>3</sup> ibid.

<sup>4</sup> ibid., p. 17.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 1bid., p. 20.

the least of the Bible, taking some notes in a paper book of such wholesome sentences and good matter as he shall observe in the reading as well of the Bible as of the *Decades* before mentioned, that he may show the same when he shall be thereunto called.

17. [Rem], and that this order may be better observed, I earnestly require the archdeacons and officials that, in the end of their next visitation of Michaelmas, they take unto them one or two of the best learned and most discreet preachers of that part where they sit and call for such ministers as is above mentioned, and to will them there as well to show their Bibles as also the Book of Decades with every man's own name written in the end of their said books; and from time to time the said archdeacons or officials, associated as before in the end of every visitation, shall cause the said parsons, vicars, or curates to show some account of their task in reading the aforesaid books, and within one fortnight after to certify unto me their ordinary the names of such as they find negligent in the premisses; and if the shortness of time will not suffer the said officers to make sufficient trial of their diligence, then they shall appoint the ministers to resort partly to themselves, partly to such grave and learned preachers as shall dwell next that place where such ministers are, that they may be by them in reasonable time certified of the truth (Kennedy, ii, 45-6).

These injunctions anticipate "certain orders for the increase of learning in the unlearned sort of ministers," which seem to belong to the year 1585.

Inprimis, the order appointed in the preface of the common boke concerninge the daily readinge of publique prayer shalbe dulie observed to thende thei maye be the better acquainted with the phrase and histories of the scriptures.

Item, the ordinarie of the place shall assigne vnto suche as are not maisters of arte or preachers one chapter at the least of the olde and newe testamente everie weeke to be diligentlie studied upon by theim in suche sorte as thei be hable to make accompte of the principall contentes thereof in Latten, and bringe notes in Latten collected out of the same.

Item, the ordinarie of the place shall likewise appoints vnto them everie quarter of a yere a common place of Divinitie to be written vpon in Latten by theim, and to be travelled in, so as they be hable to aunswer to the principall points thereof in Latten.

Item, suche as are not hable to do theise exercises in Latten shall for the tyme performe theim in Englishe, yet so as if in conueniente tyme to be assigned vnto theim by the discrecion of the ordinarie, havinge regarde to their age and capacities, they do not performe theim in Latten, or at the least shewe good testimonie of their diligence in studie they shalbe proceded against by ecclesiastical Censures for their notorious negligence.

The ordinarie shall examine himself, or by some learned preachers call theim to accompte for their exercises eueric quarter, and shall examine theim also at their synodes and visitacions howe their haue profited, and suche as shalbe notoriouslie negligente or wilfullie disobediente shalbe punyshed by the ordinarie of the place as the qualitie of his offence shall require (Brown Book, ff. 50d., 51).<sup>1</sup>

Dr Usher<sup>2</sup> seems to assume that the orders were drawn up by the bishop of Lincoln for use in his own diocese, but the way in which they speak of the ordinary suggests that they emanated from the bishops as a body. In the Brown Book they follow articles which were drawn up by the convocation of Canterbury in 1584-5<sup>3</sup> to secure that fit men be admitted to holy orders and to benefices, and they may well have been framed by

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These articles are printed from the Brown Book by Cardwell, *Documentary Annals*, ii, 21, 22, who remarks that they were evidently adopted as a substitute for the exercises called prophesyings.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Reconstruction, i. 383.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cardwell, Synodalia, i, 139-46.

the bishops while they were gathered together. If this be so, they were superseded, and somewhat relaxed, by certain "Orders for the better increase of learning in the inferior ministers, and for more diligent preaching and catechising," which were agreed upon in convocation in 1586.<sup>1</sup>

#### Marriage

The Liber of 1576 is the latest document in this collection, with the exception of the Liber Cleri of the archdeaconry of Stow in 1598,<sup>2</sup> in which a return is made with regard to clerical marriage. The tables at page 455 shew a gradual increase in the number of those who married The royal injunctions of 1559, laid down that

because there hath grown offence, and some slander to the Church by lack of discreet and sober behaviour in many ministers of the Church, both in choosing of their wives and indiscreet living with them, the remedy whereof is necessary to be sought; it is thought, therefore, very necessary that no manner of priest or deacon shall hereafter take to his wife any manner of woman without the advice and allowance first had upon good examination by the bishop of the same diocese, and two justices of the peace of the same shire; ... nor without the good will of the parents of the said woman, if she have any living, or two of the next of her kinsfolks, or, for lack of knowledge of such, of her master or mistress, where she serveth (Gee and Hardy, p. 431).

A specimen of a justices' certificate may be given:

Right honorable and our verie good Lorde, whereas it is provided by the Quenes Maties Injunctions that noe minister shall take to wife anye woman without allowance of the Bishopp of the same dioces first had uppon the Certificat of her honest & good behaviour by tow justices of peace of the same shire dwellinge neare to the place where the same woman maketh her abode. And whereas the bearer hereof Henry Bromley clerke person of Stubton in the Countie of Lincolne, intendinge by the grace of god to take to wife one Marye Holte servant to a neighbour of ours within the said Countie, and beinge lothe to incurre the daunger which might befall him if he shoulde proceed in the said marriage contrarie to the order prescribed in the said Iniunctions; he hath intreated vs to certefie your Lp of her honest & good behaviour; which wee are the rather bolde to doe, for that wee are certenly perswaded thereof partely of our owne knowledge, & partely by the Relation of her mr a verie honest gentleman in whose house shee hathe served with good Comendacion by the space of.3. or.4. yeares. May it therefore please your good Lp of your accustomed goodnes in the like cases vsed, to graunt vnto the bearer hereof your honorable allowance for the takinge of the said woman to his wife, and he accordinge to his dutye shall not cease contynually to praye for the encrease of your honour, and our selves shall remayne wholly at your Lps service. Birton this xxvth of October, 1602.

Your L<sup>pps</sup> to commaunde Jo: Hatcher.

Henry Cholmeley.

To the righte honorable our verye good L. the Bisshopp of Lincolne at Holywell', be theis d[elivere]d (Misc., 1602/1).

Sometimes a clergyman failed to comply with the provisions of the injunctions:

[Abstract]. 26 June, 1599, at Lincoln, before master Thomas Randes, M.A., commissary and official of the archdeaconry of Lincoln, and deputy of John Belley, LLD., the vicar general, in the presence of Thomas Taylour, notary public, writer of the acts and registrar, sitting as a judge, appeared personally master George

<sup>1</sup> ibid., ii, 562-4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 329-35.

Meriton, clerk, and confessed that he had procured matrimony to be celebrated in the face of the church between himself and Mary Randes, daughter of the said master Thomas Randes, within the archdeaconry of Lincoln, without having observed all things prescribed in the twenty-ninth injunction of the year 1559, and submitted bimself to the correction of the said master Thomas. Whereupon master Thomas, after deliberation, thinking that a case of confession should be dealt with more leniently than a case of conviction, simply absolved master George, and dismissed him finally with an admonition (Brown Book, f. 145d.).

Randes cannot be considered to be a disinterested judge in this case, but justice was no doubt satisfied. On 7 March, 1602-3, he dealt in a similar way with Thomas Bancks, vicar of South Elkington, who had married Katherine Racke, of Louth, widow (Brown Book, f. 181).

LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1580

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 22 folios.)

This *liber* of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow, which was drawn up for the triennial visitation of bishop Cooper in 1580, was printed by the Lincoln Record Society in 1912. It is woefully incomplete, for the upper halves of folios 1-7 have perished, and the upper halves of folios 8-22 are much injured. Further, the deaneries of Christianity, Graffoe, Longoboby, Grimsby, Yarborough, Walshcroft, and Wraggoe are missing, and the whole of the record of the archdeaconry of Stow has perished.

The comperta survive, but leaves at the beginning and end, which contained the record of the deaneries of Christianity, Graffoe, Longoboby, Grimsby, Yarborough, Walshcroft, Wraggoe, Aslackhoe, Corringham, and Manlake are missing. A note at folio 88 states that the

deanery of Lawres was visited on 14 June.

The visitation of the cathedral church began on Monday, 16th May, and was continued on 15 and 16 June, and 22 September. On 16 June, Dr John Belley, the vicar-general, admonished the dean and chapter that they should canonically correct and reform Henry Horner, one of the vicars choral, who was reported (detectum) to the bishop as holding wrong opinions on the received religion, and of asserting that it was no derogation from the honour of God to invoke the Blessed Virgin, and to offer prayers to her. Further, they were admonished to correct and reform such of the prebendaries as were bound to preach in the cathedral, and had failed to do so; and to correct Christopher Digles, master of the grammar-school, who was charged by master John Robinson, [the precentor], residentiary canon, with negligence in teaching. 22 September, George Hudlestone, provost of the vicars choral, complained that Thomas Todd, prebendary of Leicester, had withheld the vicars' salary, that is, their "stall wages and ministracions." On 21 November, the dean and chapter notified the bishop that they had taken steps for the correction and reformation of Digles and Horner, and also of Thomas Butler, master of the choristers' music-school, who had been found guilty of grave negligence in instructing his scholars.<sup>2</sup>

## SUBSCRIPTION TO THE THREE ARTICLES, A.D. 1583-4

One of Whitgift's earliest acts, on his elevation to the see of Canterbury, in 1583, was to issue the famous Three Articles to which the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> L.R.S., ii, 215-39.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Brown Book, ff. 2-6.

clergy and other ecclesiastical persons were required to subscribe. These articles, which are printed below, formed the sixth of twelve articles which were sent by the archbishop to the bishops on October 19th, with a letter praying them to send him "a catalogue of the names of all the ecclesiastical persons within their dioceses, with signification of their benefices and promotions, degrees of school, and of the conformity of every one of them to the laws and orders any ways

established by her Majesty."2

Subscription to the three articles included a pledge that he who signed would, in public prayer and the administration of the sacraments, use the form prescribed in the Book of Common Prayer; and nonconformity was revealed chiefly in a refusal to read the prescribed prayers, to kneel for the reception of the Holy Communion, to wear a surplice, and to use the sign of the cross in baptism and the ring in marriage. These things might, as the Puritans alleged, be "traditions of man"; but the truth is that the Book of Common Prayer and the Book of Discipline which they were trying to establish in its place, represented two mutally exclusive systems; and these ceremonies became the points at which the inevitable battle was joined.

It is remarkable that the form of subscription used in the diocese of Lincoln from 1585 to 1587, after which there is a ten years' gap in the

records, did not follow Whitgift's articles. It was as follows:

Ego N. N., clericus ante admissionem et institutionem meam ad rectoriam de A. [vel ante admissionem meam ad ordinem presbiteratus] omnibus et singulis articulis christianæ religionis infra mencionatis in quos consensum est Archiepiscopis et Episcopis utriusque provinciæ et clero universo in convocatione celebrata apud London,' anno Domini 1562, subscribo et assentior, fidemque do me velle tueri et defendere doctrinam eam, quæ in eis continetur ut vere consentaneam veritati divini verbi. In presentia reuerendi in Christo patris Willielmi Lincolniensis episcopi (Diocesan Registry, Subscription Book, 1585-7).

When the record begins again in August, 1597, the form of subscription included assent to "the archiepiscopal articles," that is, Whitgift's

three articles.3

On 12 March, 1583-4, bishop Cooper was elected bishop of Winchester, the election being confirmed on 23 March. It appears that some of the clergy of the diocese of Lincoln took advantage of the vacancy to delay subscribing, and appealed to powerful friends at court and to the lords of the privy council for support. Some of these men were suspended; and, in May, 1584, the archbishop charged John Barefoot, archdeacon of Lincoln, in his name, to exhort the recusants to subscribe. Barefoot, in a long letter to the archbishop, dated I June, 1584, says that he had exhorted them

that they would leave off their fantasces, conceived without any ground of learning, and listen unto his grace, and other fathers, and learned counsel: signifying also unto them, that his grace's pleasure was, that they should still remain in the state of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> p. 47. <sup>2</sup> Strype, Whitgift, i, 227 ff., 233.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Reg. xxx, f, 74.

<sup>4</sup> On 8 June, 1584, Sir Francis Knollys, a principal supporter at court of the puritans, wrote to the archbishop, praying him "to open the mouths of al zelous preachers, that be sound in doctrine, howsoever otherwise they refuse to subscribe to any tradition of man, in order that they might withstand the armes of the Poope, to draw us into his pompous, glittering kingdom of strong delusions" (Strype, Whitgit, iii, 103-4).

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suspension; but that the sequestration of the fruits of their benefices should be staved for a season; so that they would in the meantime provide sufficient and comformable men to serve in their several cures.

The archdeacon then goes on to say that he gave them until 31 May "to conform themselves to subscribe." They answered, however, that "they would to London again and renew their suit," which they did, "but upon what heartening he knows not." The next Sunday, in spite of their suspension, they preached and ministered in their several charges as before, without meddling in other places. They brought back a letter from Mr Field,1 of London, "exhorting them to stand stoutly to the cause," and judging of those who had subscribed "that they would never do good hereafter, and slanderously terming them by the name of branded menne"; at which, the archdeacon said, "there was great grief conceived" on the part of those who had subscribed. He added that if the archbishop "dealt roundly" with Mr Huddleston, vicar of Saxelby,<sup>2</sup> who was now before him by virtue of the high commission, "he might happily attain the sight of the original "The archbishop sent Barefoot's letter to Burghley, the lord treasurer.<sup>8</sup>

Some evidence with reference to those who subscribed has been found for all the archdeaconries except Bedford.

#### ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN AND STOW

Strype gives the numbers of the preachers in these two archdeaconries who were either conformable or recusants:

Conformable		Recusants	
Doctors of Divinitie	7	Masters of Arte	6
Bachelers of Divinitie	10	Bachelers of Arte	6
Masters of Arte	3 1	No Graduate	1
Bachelers of Arte	19		
No Graduates	27		13
	9.4		

The numbers of doctors and bachelors of divinity here is greater than in the Liber Cleri of 1585, but many of these men were pluralists and some of them may there have been counted in other archdeaconries.

The Seconde Parte of a Register, a collection of Puritan documents, supplies the names of those who were suspended,7 twenty-three in all. They are contained in a survey of the county of Lincoln, made in January and February, 1584-5:

- Allen, Richard, [B.A.], curate of Edenham.
- Bingham, Charles, [M.A., 1573], vicar of Croft. Bradley, Thomas, [M.A. 1578], curate of Torksey. 2.
- 3.
- Daniell, John, [bred in the schools], parson of Ingoldsby. 4.
- Fulbeck, Thomas, [M.A., 1576; fellow of Lincoln College, Oxford], parson of Boultham.

John Field played a principal part in the puritan movement.
 Saxiby, co. Lincoln (below, p. 90).
 Strype, Whiteyt, i. 302; Annals, iii, part i, 348-51.

<sup>4</sup> Whitgift, iii, 101-2.

<sup>5</sup> below, p. 448.

<sup>6</sup> ed. Dr Albert Peel, ii, 111-29. About this manuscript see below, p. xxxiii ff.

<sup>7</sup> That is, from performing the duties of their office.

6. Gibson, Joseph. [M.A., 1581], parson of Swaby.

Grome, Reginald, [B.A, 1566-7], parson of Theddlethorpe St. Helen. 7.

8. Holdesworth, Richard, parson of Boothby Graffoe

- Huddlestone, John, [bred in the schools], vicar of Saxilby. 9.
- Hunt, Anthony, [bred in the schools], parson of West Deeping. 10.

Kellett, Richard, [M.A., 1581], vicar of Carlton le Moorland. ΙI.

12.

Man, Thomas, [B.A.], parson of Scrivelsby.
Munning, William, [bred in the schools], vicar of Claxby by Alford.
Nelson, Henry, [B.A., 1569-70], parson of Skinnand. 13.

14. 15. Shephard, Walter, [B.A., 1578], vicar of Bardney.

Somerscailes, John, [B.A., 1569-70], parson of Beesby. 16. Tuke, Hugh, [M.A., 1575], parson of Silk Willoughby. 17.

All these men were Puritan preachers. The Survey states that nine of them were suspended for not subscribing to the archbishop's articles, and it is scarcely doubtful but that the rest were in trouble for the same In the Liber seven of the seventeen are entered as licensed preachers (nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 16, and 17), one is an unlicensed preacher (no. 11), eight are not preachers (nos. 4, 5, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, and 15). No. I does not appear in the *Liber*.

The Seconde Parte of a Register contains a petition, [AD. 1584], from twenty-one "pastors and prechers" in Lincolnshire, asking the lords of the council "to regard the pitifull and wofull estate of our congregations and people . . . , which being destitute of our ministerie by the meanes of a subscription generallie and strictly urged now of late by the Bps. officers do mourne and lament."

The names include the abovementioned seventeen ministers except Huddlestone and Man; and there are the following additions:

18. Prior, John, [preacher at Donington in Holland].

19. Tripler, [rectius Tipler], Thomas.

Stravers, [rectius Travers], Humphrey, [M.A., 1574, vicar of North 20. and South Grantham].

Thompson, Matthew, I bred in the schools, vicar of Anwick; a 21.

pluralist].

Wintle, John, [M.A., 1570, rector of Branston, and prebendary of 22. All Saints in Hungate].

Worship, James, [M.A., 1577, vicar of Boston].

Prior and Travers were licensed preachers.

Another list of "Recusants in Lincolnshire," of about the same date, also has twenty-one names.<sup>2</sup> This time, Shephard is the only one of the seventeen to be omitted, and the additions are Prior, Tripler for Tipler, Travers, Wintle, and Worship.

None of these men who were suspended suffered deprivation. The present volume shews that Allen, Bingham, Bradley, Holdesworth, Hunt, Kellett, Munning, Nelson, Prior, Shephard, and Tuke, continued to hold the same or other appointments in the diocese, at least until 1594, except Prior who is not found after 1590. Daniel in 1590,8 Gibson

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Peel, i, 226.

<sup>2 1</sup>b1d., 244.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> P.D., 1590/42.

in 1589,¹ Grome in 1588,² Somerscales in 1591,³ Thompson in 1589,⁴ Tipler in 1591,⁵ Travers in 1586,⁶ Wintle in 1591,⁵ and Worship in 1592,⁶ died in possession of their benefices. Fulbeck resigned in 1585,⁶ and does not appear in the diocese again. Man, who probably was a

Brownist, resigned in 1591,10 and separated from the church.

On 13 November, 1587, in the church of St. Michael on the Mount, Lincoln, Huddlestone, who had been before the High Commission, in 1584, was deprived of the vicarage of Saxilby, because he, "regardless of the salvation of his soul, without reasonable cause, has long absented, and still absents, himself from the said vicarage and the cure of the souls of the parishioners, leaving them without the solace of a diligent pastor, and exercising no hospitality." He was one of the lesser leaders of his party, and his absence from his parish may probably be put down to his being busy with puritan propaganda.

Richard Holdesworth (no. 8) was, on 10 January, 1584-5, appointed by Henry earl of Huntingdon, lord president of the Council of the North, to be one of his household chaplains; and, on 13 March following, he had a dispensation from the archbishop of Canterbury, permitting him to hold a benefice in addition to his present benefice, on condition that he provided preachers in each of his parishes, and exercised hospitality for two months every year in the parish in which he should reside the least. Matthew Thomson also was a pluralist, although pluralism, it may be remarked, was one of evils which the puritans were constantly objecting against the bishops. Since the puritans had every inducement to make the cases of suspension appear as numerous as possible, it may be taken as proved that twenty-three was the maximum number in Lincolnshire.

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BUCKINGHAM

(Lambeth Palace Library, Cartæ Miscellaneæ, tom. xiii, num. 62. Foolscap, paper, 7 folios. Printed below, pp. 47-51.)

This return was made in obedience to the archbishop's directions already mentioned. Most of the clergy, it will be seen, were content with the words ex animo subscribo. A few were more emphatic than the rest, and wrote volens ex animo subscribo (p. 48) or imo ex corde subscribo, or hiis articulis consentio et quacunque contra hos articulos nostri temporis Scismatici scripserunt et docuerunt horreo et abominor (p. 50). The rector of Hardmead subscribed with a formula which he possibly thought was good Latin, fertekles supradictis volens subscribo; but in excuse it must be remembered that before his ordination he had been a mercer (pp. 50, 119). The list contains one hundred and fifty-four names,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Buried at Swaby, 8 April (Bishop's Transcript).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Buried at Theddlethorpe St. Helen, 28 January, 1587-8 (ibid).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> P.D., 1591/13,37. <sup>4</sup> Buried at Anwick, 14 December, 1589 (Bishop's Transcript.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Buried at Salmonby, 9 February, 1590-1 (*ibid*.).

Buried at Grantham, 13 March, 1585-6 (Parish Register).
Buried at Branston, 4 April, 1591 (Bishop's Transcript).

<sup>8</sup> Buried at Boston, 3 September, 1592 (Parish Register).

<sup>9</sup> P.D., 1585/30.

<sup>10</sup> sbid., 1592/9. Strype, Annals, iv, 367.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Brown Book, ff. 82-88. <sup>12</sup> Brown Book, ff. 78, 79.

one hundred and thirteen being incumbents and forty-one being curates. This leaves a considerable part of the clergy unaccounted for, because the *Liber Cleri* of 1585 has one hundred and fifty-one incumbents and thirty-eight curates. It is difficult however, to believe that as many as forty refused to conform, for the *comperta* of the bishop's visitation in 1585 do not reveal much more nonconformity in Buckinghamshire than elsewhere.

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON

(Lambeth Palace Library, Cartæ Miscellaneæ, tom. xii, num. 2. Foolscap, paper, 8 folios, with cover. Printed below, pp. 53-61.)

This, like the Buckingham document, is a return to the archbishop. It supplies not only information about conformity, but also gives particulars about degrees and preachers. Sixty-nine, out of one hundred and seventy, were preachers, whether licensed or not; and eighty-five were able to catechize. Three others were "hardly able to catechize." Only four incumbents and one curate were returned as 'unconformable,' and even of these the registrar of the archdeaconry says, "we have hope." The rector of Hatfield and the curate of Totteridge "did not subscribe by reason of old age." The vicar of Yaxley did not appear by reason of the plague, but a note, added subsequently, states that he was "conformable." <sup>2</sup>

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER

Strype<sup>5</sup> gives particulars about the preachers in this archdeaconry: Preachers comformable Recusants Doctors of Divinitie None I have not yet receaved Bachelers of Divinitie 11 certificate of anie, yet I think Masters of Arte 26 there are some, though not Bachelers of Arte 32 manie.4 No Graduates 16

## LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1585

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(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 72 folios. Printed below, pp. 63-144, 465-468.)

## Puritan propaganda

During 1584, the puritans began to address petitions to the queen, to parliament, and to members of the privy council, professing their loyalty, and complaining of the action of the bishops in enforcing subscription to the articles and suspending or depriving godly ministers for their nonconformity, with the result that they saw unfit and ignorant men put into their places to the spiritual loss of their parishioners. They complained also of the lack of learned preachers, and of pluralism with consequent non-residence. The petitions continued for some years. In 1586, in A Supplication of Some of the Students of the Universitie of Cambridge to the parliament, the puritans say:

<sup>1</sup> below, p. 59.

below, p. 54.
 Whitgift, iii, 102.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This note is in the archbishop's own handwriting.

It cannot be denied but this our Universitie doth flourish at this present in all kind of good literature as much as at any time heretofore, the praise being given to God for the same; yet it cannot be denied likewise but that that part of us which have chosen the studie of the Sacred Scriptures and have prepared ourselves for the holie ministerie do find lesse lawfull entrance into the Church of God and preferment for our labors then in former times, a lamentable thing to be heard of in this gratious light of the Gospel: There are now in our Universitie of Cambridge 1 able men, furnished with sufficient gifts to teach the ignorant people, a common subject to be wrought upon in most places of this land, as partlie we know by experience, and partlie the generall complaints of the people do show, yet for all that, how fewe of us are called to this business with just and equall conditions, and not rather the unlearned ministers, the verie scumme of the people, preferred, to the ruine of Thowsands of soules, to the shame of the Church of God, and the utter ruine of learning. For if we ourselves use some meanes to have entrance into a charge, the covetousnes of patrons is such, and so insatiable for the most part, that there is no waie by them but by simonie, perjurie, and afterwards almost plaine beggerie. So that, in this great want of labourers we stand idle in the market place all the day, for almost no man regardeth us to use our labours, so lamentable is the state of this our Church at this time (Peel, ii, 185-6).

In another document, entitled 'A meane for the establishinge of a learned and sufficient ministrye' [A.D. 1586], it is recommended that unworthy ministers be thrust out, and "that meete men may be placed in their roumes out of the Universities or elsewhere." If this be done, "Oxford will be able presently to yield 194, and if it were reformed, non-residents being removed, bad heads displaced, and the younge fruit cherished, it would yield great plenty in short time. So would Cambridge yield the like, wherin by computation 140 and above fitte men [are] unprovided for; where the like reformation being had, the like fruite were to be looked for" (ibid., ii, 198-9).

At first, the queen and the privy council were impressed by the moderation of expression in the petitions, and the bishops' answers in defence were of no avail. Eventually, however, it became clear that the petitions were part of a scheme to establish the Book of Discipline instead of the Book of Common Prayer, and a ministry of elders and deacons in the place of the orders of the catholic Church.<sup>2</sup> In the meantime, in November, 1584, the convocation of Canterbury met, and issued (A.D. 1584-5) a set of articles, which were confirmed by royal authority, concerning the admission of fit men to holy orders and to benefices. The last of these articles prescribed that each bishop should, within a year, make diligent enquiry as to the condition, morals, and learning of the ministers living in his diocese, as well as by whom and when they were ordained, and what sort of life they had led previously, and should certify the particulars to the archbishop within the time given. Bishop Wickham used the occasion of his primary visitation of the diocese of Lincoln to make the enquiry, and the Liber Cleri of 1585 embodies the results of it.

For this, amongst other reasons, the *Liber* of that year is one of the most important documents in the present edition. It covers the whole of the Elizabethan diocese, and it is full of information about the state of the Church. The dates and places of ordination supplement the

3 Cardwell, Synodalia, i, 139-46. Brown Book, f. 50d.

<sup>1</sup> The numbers are omitted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the history of the period, see Usher, Reconstruction, i, 39 ff.

records of ordinations in several dioceses during a critical period, and the dates of institutions provide material for a time when the episcopal registers at Lincoln are defective.

## The Bishop's Visitation

On 6 April, 1585, the bishop caused inhibitions to issue to his archdeacons, suspending their jurisdiction; and on 8 May, from the manor of Nettleham, he admonished the archdeacons to cite all preachers, appropriators of churches, rectors, vicars, chaplains, stipendiary priests, strange clergymen, schoolmasters, ushers, and sequestrators, together with the churchwardens and four or six trustworthy persons from each parish according to its size, as well as executors and administrators, to appear at the visitation. Preachers were required to exhibit their licences to preach, appropriators to pay the procurations due, rectors and vicars to exhibit their letters of orders and institution, and their dispensations, privileges, pluralities, etc., if they had any; and those rectors and vicars who had been instituted by any other form than that put forth by authority of parliament under king Edward VI, or which was in use under queen Elizabeth, or who had been instituted since the thirteenth year of her reign, were required to produce letters testimonial of their assent to, and subscription to, the articles of religion agreed upon in the synod of 1562. Curates, strange clerks, readers, sequestrators, schoolmasters, and ushers were to produce their letters of orders, letters testimonial, sequestrations, licences to teach, or tolerations. Churchwardens and parishioners were to bring their answers to the visitation articles, and executors and administrators their wills and accounts.2 The production of the various documents by the clergy and others was known as the exhibition of the instruments (exhibitio instrumentorum), and for each instrument the appropriate fee had to be paid. These exhibits are entered in the liber in a kind of shorthand: a. licence of admission to a curacy; i. letters of institution; o. letters of orders; plur. dispensation for plurality, sometimes followed by the distance to the other benefice; qual. qualification for plurality; t. letters testimonial of subscription to the articles of religion; tol. toleration.3 When a clerk failed to exhibit, the words habet ad exhibendum were entered against his name, and his case was dealt with on a later day in the bishop's court. If, when cited, he failed to put in appearance there, he would ordinarily be declared contumacious, and might probably be suspended: he might even be excommunicated.

The sessions of the visitation in the several archdeaconries were appointed to be held as follows: Lincoln, 5, 6, 8-10, 12-14 July; Stow, 6 and 7 July; Leicester, 16 and 17 July; Buckingham, 20-22 July; Bedford, 23 and 26 July; and Huntingdon, 24 and 27 July. The cathedral church was visited on July 3rd by the bishop, with Dr Belley, the vicar-general. The visitation was thereupon prorogued to September 1st. After the text of the present work had been printed, five missing leaves of the *Liber Cleri*, which contain the record of the chief

5 Brown Book, ff. 61, 61d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These are printed by Kennedy, iii, 186-95.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Brown Book, ff. 51-53d.

below, p. xxxii.
 The date given in the Liber is 2 August, which is, perhaps, the date when that document was completed.

part of the cathedral clergy, came to light in time to be printed in an appendix.<sup>1</sup> The first leaf is still missing, but the names which it contained are supplied in the list of persons cited to the visitation.2 It is noticeable that several of the canons and prebendaries were laymen.

bishop visited the deaneries of Longoboby, Graffoe, Christianity, Wraggoe, Lawres, and Aslackhoe in person in the church of St. Michael on the Mount, Lincoln, on 5 and 6 July; and Dr Belley visited the remainder of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow. For the rest of the diocese the particulars are wanting.

## The Comperta

The Comperta of the visitation, which are preserved in the diocesan registry, reveal only a few cases of nonconformity:

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN

Lincoln, St. Peter at Arches-[Adam Garside, rector]; they lack a convenient

surplice for the minister. They procured one, and were dismissed (f. 5d.).

Silk Willoughby—the rector [Hugh Tuke] does not wear the surplice and omits to sign infants with the cross in baptism (f. 8d.).

Wilksby-[Francis Purifie, rector]: they lack sufficient books, the Book of

Common Prayer, a table for the communion, and a surplice (f. 32).

Elsham—the vicar [John Juliane] does not wear the surplice. On 19 August, he appeared and confessed, and was dismissed with an admonition (f. 50d.).

Horkstow—the vicar [James Birch] does not wear the surplice, and says that it is superstitious to use it; he does not wear a square cap; he does not say the public pravers according to the Book of Common Prayer; he does not allow the dead to be brought into church. On 19 August he submitted himself, and was dismissed with an admonition (f. 51).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BEDFORD

Bedford, St. Peter Dunstable-Mr Linford [the rector] "dothe neuer weare the surplice but towardes the time of the visitacion" (f. 115d.).

Norhill-their curate [Anthony Hodgkett] doth not weare the surplice, and

doth not read the 'lettanye' (f. 120).

## ARCHDEACONRY OF BUCKINGHAM

Steeple Claydon—the vicar [Richard Par] does not wear the surplice. Afterwards he wore it (f. 85d.).

Thornton—[Thomas Elward, rector]: they have not a sufficient surplice

(f. 86).

Lee-" Emme Teacher wife of George Teacher is a derider of thos that professe the gospell and calleth them bisshoppes and commissaries with other names. This Emme baptizeth children privately as it is thought" (f. 94d.).

Chesham [query Bois]—Their minister [query Robert Herne] doth not wear

the surplice (f. 97d.).

Fingest—"Their parson [Peter Rider] doth not reade the lettanye on the sundaies and holidaies orderly" (f. 103).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON

Kimbolton—The curate [Thomas Dawson] doth not wear the surplice. Afterwards he was dismissed with an admonition (f. 130).

Buckworth-[John Cookson, rector]: they have not a Book of Common Prayer (f. 130d.).

<sup>1</sup> below, pp. 465-8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 432, 434, 436, 438.

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER

Bushby cum Thurnby and Stoughton—the vicar [Roger Crossley] weareth not the surplice, and readeth not the homilies or the queen's injunctions (ff. 7od., 71).

Frowlesworth—[William Staresmore, rector]: "there surplic' is neuer worne."
He appeared at Stamford "wher he affyrmeth he weareth it as often as it is brought vnto him " (f. 8od.).

Leicester, St. Martin-The vicar [Henry Lynney] "doth not read the lattennay

on wednesdaies and fridaies . . . he doth not weare the surplis " (f. 84d.).

#### The Liber

The Liber shews what proportion of the clergy had obtained university degrees, and supplies evidence about the antecedents of nongraduates.1 The latter class had come into the ministry from various callings; they had been day-labourers, serving-men, ostlers, husbandmen, parish-clerks, monks, glovers, drapers, tallow-chandlers, shoemakers, soldiers, attorneys, gentlemen.

#### Scolares

A large number, 564 in all, are entered as scolares, which has in this edition been rendered bred in the schools,<sup>2</sup> Scolaris should mean that the man was actually at the university, but that sense is plainly inapplicable here. In some cases it means a person who had spent some time at Oxford or Cambridge, but had failed to take a degree. For instance, Robert Welles, Thomas Duffeld, Simon Buttrie, Ambrose Ward, and others had matriculated at Cambridge.8 But the great majority of the scolares had not been to a university at all. They had attended a school in the country, and correspond to the scolares rurales who form a majority of the clergy in a return from the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield in 1592.4 In that document a man is every now and then entered as scolaris Oxoniensis or scolaris Cambrigiensis. In a return from the diocese of Hereford, at about the same time, in which, under the head priusquam fuerunt in ministerium cooptati, a few ministers are entered as graduates, and the rest as scolares.5

# Capacitas

In six entries it is stated of a clerk, habet capacitatem. 6 Capacitas signifies legal competence. In three of the cases' it is set down that the clerk had been a monk. Before the suppression of the monasteries, a monk would need a dispensation to enable him to hold a benefice, but such a dispensation would have no operative value in 1585. Again, capacitas here cannot mean a dispensation for plurality, for in two cases such a dispensation was exhibited. It is noticeable that where there is capacitas no particulars of ordination are given,8 and no letters of orders are exhibited, and that capacitas is placed in the entry where the

<sup>1</sup> below, pp. 448-52.

For an analysis of the return, see below, pp. 448 ff.
J. and J. A. Venn, The Book of Matriculations and Degrees. 4 Lambeth Palace Library, Cartæ Miscellaneæ, tom. xii, num. 5.

<sup>5 1</sup>bid., tom. xiii, num. 37.

<sup>6</sup> below, pp. 97, 101, 104, 117, 122, 143.

below, pp. 117, 122, 143.

The entry about John Thomas alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with John Thomas Alias Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with Indiana Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with Indiana Smyth (p. 123), who is identical with Indiana Smyth, vicar of Bledlow (p. 122; cp. p. 162), is hardly an exception, for 1579 is an impossible date for his ordination (cp. p. 122).

note about orders generally appears. It may be suggested, therefore, that in these instances the letters of orders had been lost, perhaps, in the case of the three monks, in the troubles which overtook the religious houses, and that habet capacitatem means that the bishop was satisfied that the man had legal competence to execute the office of a priest. Capacitas might imply a written instrument signifying that the clerk had legal competence; but against this is to be set the fact that habet capacitatem does not appear in the part of the entry which enumerates the instruments exhibited; nor is any fee paid in connection with it, as is the case when an exhibit is made.

#### Readers

At the beginning of Elizabeth's reign, owing to the dearth of clergymen, and the lack of suitable candidates for ordination, the expedient was tried of appointing readers (*lectores*, *fraelectores*) to minister in small parishes for which it was impossible otherwise to make provision.

They were to be taken out of the laity, tradesmen and others; any that was of sober conversation and honest behaviour, and that could read or write... They seemed not wholly to forbear their callings, but were not countenanced to follow them, especially if they were mechanical (Strype, Annals, i, part i, pp. 515, 265).

Included in fhe Interpretations of the Bishops, 1560-1, was a set of Injunctions to be confessed and subscribed by them that shall be admitted Readers, which restrained the readers from preaching and interpreting, and from ministering the sacraments and other rites of the church, except that they might "bury the dead, and purify women after their childbirth." The readers were enjoined to keep the parish register, and to bring to the ordinary a testimony of their behaviour "from the honest of the parish" within six months.\(^1\) In the diocese of Lincoln the readers were not 'licensed' like curates, but 'tolerated'; and the document which they received on being commissioned was called a 'toleration' (toleratio)\(^2\) The reader, on his appointment, with a surety entered into a bond to pay twenty pounds, or other sum, to one of the bishops' officers, the condition of the obligation being

that if he the above-bounden N.N. being tolerated and admitted to read prayers in the church or chapel of N., in the county of Lincoln, according to the Book of Common Prayer, together with the chapters and suffrages appointed by the same, do not in any thing or things touching his said office contrary or otherwise than is in the said book specified and allowed, then this present obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to stand and remain in full force, strength, power, and virtue (Misc., 1609/1).

Considering the circumstances of its institution, the order of readers was not calculated to bring much credit to the Church, and the expedient was gradually discontinued as the supply of clergymen increased. Its gradual passing is illustrated by the analysis at page 447 below. It is remarkable, however, that in the archdeaconry of Lincoln the number increased from four in 1603 to twelve in 1611, and returned to four in 1614.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Frere and Kennedy, iii, 67.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In 1594, John Roper, 'curate' of Wispington exhibited a 'toleration.' He signed the bishop's transcript for that parish, at Michaelmas, 1594, as curate, and the transcript for Syston, at Michaelmas, 1596, as curate. He may, however, have been no more than a reader.

Of the twenty-eight readers¹ in the archdeaconry of Lincoln in 1585, ten were afterwards ordained. It is probable that most of the readers did not come up to the educational standard required by the bishops. If so, their attainments must, in 1585, have been small indeed. By 1603 the standard was much higher. It is remarkable that, in 1597, Robert Nicholson, Richard Rodes, and Robert Pattison, who were certainly laymen at the time,² were cited to vote for proctors of the clergy in convocation.³ Of Stephen Bouth, reader at Revesby, it is returned, in 1585, that "he baptizes and celebrates matrimony." In the *Liber Cleri* of 1603, Robert Marshall, Robert Nicholson, Richard Rodes, and William Utterby appear under the head of 'Incumbent' although they were only readers³; and in the *Libri* of 1604 and 1607, readers are in some cases described as curates, e.g., William Utterby³ and Richard Rodes³.

#### Schoolmasters

Schoolmasters are included in the Liber Cleri, because no one was allowed to exercise the office of a teacher, whether in public or private, unless he were licensed by the bishop. Schoolmasters and other teachers were therefore required to appear at the bishop's visitation, and to exhibit their licences. Bishop Wickham's visitation articles in 1585 ask "Whether the schoolmasters which teach within your parish, either openly or privately in any nobleman or gentleman's house or in any other place with you, be of good and sincere religion and conversation; and be diligent in teaching and bringing up of youth; and whether they be examined, allowed, and licensed, by the ordinary; and whether they teach the Grammar set forth by king Henry the Eighth . . . ; whether they teach their scholars the Catechism in Latin lately set forth, and such sentences of Scriptures as shall be most expedient and meet to move them to the love and due reverence of God's true religion now truly set forth by the Queen's Majesty's authority . . . ; and what be the names and surnames of all such schoolmasters and teachers of youth within your parish as well of such as teach publicly as those that hath in the houses of noblemen, gentlemen, or other private men.8 In 1588, again, Wickham issued the same article9; and Chaderton made a similar enquiry in 1598.10

#### THE PURITAN SURVEY

In the summer of 1584, 11 the puritans decided to make surveys in the several dioceses with a view to ascertaining the numbers of preaching ministers and of those who were insufficient in learning or of scandalous lives. These surveys are printed by Dr A. Peel in *The Seconde Parte of* 

Possibly one should be added to this number, namely, John Enderbie (p. 83 below), since, although he is not described as a reader, he is said to be 'tolerated.'

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 424, 426. Liber Cleri 1611. ff. 61, 75d., 91d.
 <sup>3</sup> below. pp. 171, 180, 183.

<sup>4</sup> below, p. 81.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> below, pp. 305, 320, 322, 327.

below, pp. 413, 428.below, pp. 411, 426.

<sup>8</sup> Kennedy, iii, 193.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> 1b1d, p. 244.

<sup>10</sup> ibid., p. 303; cp. ibid., ii, 118.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> See a resolution, dated 1 July, 1584. in the Minute Book of the Dedham Classis (Usher, The Presbyterian Movement in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, p. 36).

a Register.¹ The summary of the surveys is dated 1586,² but the institutions to benefices in the diocesan registry shew that the Lincolnshire return was made in January and February, 1584-5, that is, about six months earlier than the Liber Cleri. The return for Buckinghamshire is actually dated February, 1584-5.³ The date 1586 has evidently been deduced from the fact that the surveys were annexed to A General Supplication of portentous length which the puritans presented to parliament in the November of that year.⁴ In that document they complained about the suspension and deprivation of ministers for nonconformity, and about pluralism and non-residence and the lack of learned preachers. The bishops, they say,

have made priests (as thei terme themselves), like those that were in Jeroboam's time of the basest of the people, not onelie for their base occupations and trades, whence thei have taken them, some having bene Shoemakers, Barbers, Tailors, even water-bearers, sheppheards, and horse keepers, but allso speciallie for their so great want of all good learning and honestie, as no man will take a number of them to make them his hindes to use them for keeping of his horse or his sheepe. (Neal, History of the Puritans, (ed. 1837), i, 307-11. Cp. Peel, ii, 70 ft.).

The puritan survey contains a view of the clergy in the whole of Lincolnshire, and a summary of the returns for Buckinghamshire. The other archdeaconries are missing.

#### LINCOLNSHIRE

The Lincolnshire returns in the Survey are "confirmed by the hands and testimonies of certaine of the Q. Maties Justices of peace, gentlemen, and others, subscribed under everie Deanery according to their severall knowledge of their Deanries and parishes." The names of these persons are only given, however, for the deaneries that lie in Kesteven and Holland. It is evident from the close agreement of the Survey with the Liber Cleri that the former was compiled with great care. There are indeed many mistakes in the names of persons and places, but these seem to be due to the difficulties of a later copyist dealing with unfamiliar names; or perhaps of a puritan organiser from London who wrote down the names as they were dictated to him. Thus Sansthorpe appears for Sausthorpe, Belne for Bellue (Belleau), Huttost for Huttoft, Carnethorp for Garnethorp (Grainthorpe), Fliskerton for Fiskerton, Wanibie for Nainbie (Navenby). Buskington for Ruskington, Reckingham for Threkingham, Havington for Lavington; and in surnames, Hillborne for Lillborne, Woodles for Woodlef, Rent for Kent; and by strange confusion, Willoughbic Hughe, rector of Silke, for Hughe Tuke, rector of Silk Willonghbie, and Ezekiel Dubb for Ezekiel Tailor. The last mistake arose through Tailor being a double-beneficed man, and therefore having 'dubb' placed against his name, which the copyist took to be his surname. These mistakes could not possibly have been made by anyone who was familiar with the neighbourhood.

<sup>1</sup> Peel, ii, \$8-184.

ibid, p. 88.
 ibid., ii, 94.

<sup>4</sup> A note states that the surveys were "made the last parliament, and partie this 2 November, 1586" (161d., ii, 89).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Sir Charles Firth, in his introduction to Dr Peel's volumes, assumes that the return relates only to Lindsey, owing to the fact that the sub-titles of Kesteven and Holland are omitted (Peel, i, p. x).

<sup>6</sup> Peel, ii, 111, 123-9.

The Survey gives, under deaneries, the numbers of parishes, of "double-beneficed men," of non-residents, of preachers, and of non-preachers. The preachers are sometimes characterised as "indifferent preachers, good and bad," while the nine preachers in the deanery of Yarborough are "but soe soe." The non-preachers are spoken of with contempt: they are "dumb ministers and readers," "bare readers," "dumbe idolles." Between the preachers and non-preachers, are those who are "able in some measure to exhort" or "to instruct."

It is interesting to compare the puritan survey with the episcopal liber. For this purpose the two returns for Lincolnshire have been tabulated. They will be referred to as the Liber and the Survey. Mathematical accuracy is scarcely attainable, for adjustment has to be made for the fact that the two returns were made at slightly different dates. There are also certain ambiguities in the returns. But the chief difficulty is pointed out in the note at the beginning of the puritan return:

It is to be observed that in this booke there are often times fewer preachers computated in the briefe somme at the end of everie Deanry, and fewer ministers then are set downe in the particulars of the same Deanryes. The cause herof is, that those preachers are double beneficed and non Residents, and so are numbred in other places where thei are resident: and manie ministers serve two cures either in the same Deanry, or in another, the which if thei should be numbred in everie place where thei serve, or where thei have livings, the number both of the preachers and allso unable ministers will be greater then it is (Peel, ii, 111).

	Liber	Survey
Preachers	109	124
Non-preachers	464	460
	573	584

The difference of eleven in the totals is probably due to some 'plurified' or double-beneficed non-preachers having been counted twice in the *Survey*, whereas great care has been taken to guard against this source of error in the *Liber*. Moreover, there was an interval of about six months between the two enquiries. A closer analysis of the numbers of preachers yields interesting results. For the purpose of comparison, from the one hundred and nine preachers in the *Liber* nine must be deducted, since their names are not contained in the Survey; and from the one hundred and twenty-four of the *Survey* eight whose names are not found in the *Liber*.

	Liber	Surves
Preachers in both Liber and Survey	74	7.4
Preachers in Liber only	26	
Preachers in Survey only		42
T 1		_
Totals of preachers in the two records	100	116
It is assumed in these figures that	it the d	octors

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A reader in the Survey is a minister who can do no more than read the prayers. For the meaning of reader in the Liber see above (pp. xxxii-iii).

and bachelors of divinity were preachers.

<sup>2</sup> Peel, ii, 90-1.

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Preachers common to Liber and Surve	ey
S.T.D. (both being pluralists)	2
S.T.B. (all being pluralists)	7
M.A. (14 being pluralists)	29
B.A. (4 being pluralists)	16
Scolares (7 being pluralists)	15
Non-graduates (1 being a pluralist)	5
	74

#### Preachers peculiar to the Liber

M.A. (1 being a pluralist, and 4 pluralists and non-residents)	7
B.A. (4 being pluralists, and 2 pluralists and non-residents)	10
Scolares (1 being a pluralist and non-resident)	3
Presumably non-graduates (1 being a pluralist, and 1 a pluralist	
and non-resident)	6
	26

Of these the Survey states that three B.A.'s, one scolaris, and one non-graduate were able in some measure to exhort.

#### Preachers peculiar to the Survey

M.A. (3 being pluralists)	8
B.A.	12
Scolares (1 being a pluralist, and 1 a pluralist and non-resident)	13
Formerly a serving-man	1
Presumably non-graduates (of whom 5 are pluralists)	8
	42

Thus out of one hundred and forty-two preachers, only seventy-four are common to both the records; and there remain twenty-six men who were recognised as preachers by the bishop but not by the puritans, and forty-two who were allowed by the puritan classes, and not by the bishop. That all the latter preached is probable for, no doubt, many ministers took advantage of the confusion of the times, to preach without a licence; and the puritans denied the right of the bishops to hinder a minister from preaching. In the Liber itself one man is stated to be an unlicensed preacher, and eleven others were presumably not licensed. But if the men who appear in the Survey as preachers were those who were recognised as such by the puritan classes, it is difficult to account for the large proportion of pluralists and non-residents among them.<sup>1</sup>

Besides the preachers, the *Survey* contains the names of forty ministers who are able in some measure to instruct, or exhort, or teach. Of these, the following particulars are given in the *Liber*.

M.A. (I being a licensed preacher)	3
B.A. (2 being licensed preachers)	7
Scolares (1 being a licensed preacher)	18
Non-graduates (1 of whom had been a serving man)	12
	40

<sup>1</sup> above, p. xxxiv.

The cases of pluralism are 81 in the Liber and 77 in the Survey. The difference may be accounted for by the difficulty in tracing pluralists outside Lincolnshire, and by changes in the interval between the two records.

The fairness and moderation of the puritan survey of Lincolnshire are in striking contrast to the returns from some other dioceses. With the exception of the remarks about preachers quoted above, there is in the Lincolnshire document only one disparaging remark, namely, that Sir John Gammon was a preacher, "but of verie mean giftes," and double-beneficed.¹ The bishop's *liber* is even more sombre reading than the puritan *survey*. On the other hand the surveys of Cornwall, Norfolk, and Warwickshire' represent the clergy as so generally neglectful and wicked that, bad as the state of the Church was, it is difficult to accept them as trustworthy evidence. Bancroft, bishop of London, speaks of them as being "in manner of Heathenish Libels" s them as being "in manner of Heathenish Libels."

#### BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

It is unfortunate that The Seconde Parte of a Register gives no more than a summary of the puritan return for Buckinghamshire4;

A shorte view of the whole estate of the ministerie in the Comt. of Buck. february 1584 [i.e. 1584/5]

Parsonages and vicarages furnyshed, yet not all resident	150	
Curates servinge	60	
		210
Whereof:		
Diligent preachers	1.4	
Preachinge now and then	16	
non-residents learned	6	
Double beneficed learned	9	
		4.5
Unlearned and unprofitable non-residents	13	
Double beneficed unlearned	8	
Parsons, Vicars and Curats, Unlearned and unprofitable	139	160
		205
Of this number infamous	26	
Note the nomber of fyve w. is wantinge must be supplied in the double beneficed men in the Shier to		
make upp		5
4.4		
		210

The number of licensed preachers in the Liber is seventeen.<sup>5</sup> The number of incumbents in the archdeaconry as given in the Liber is one hundred and fifty-one, which is one more than the number in the Survey. The Liber gives the names of thirty-eight curates, whereas the number in the Survey is sixty. This large difference cannot be accounted for; for if the twenty-two additional curates in the Survey were unordained

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Peel, ii, 124.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *ibid.*, pp. 98-110, 146-56, 165-74. <sup>3</sup> Engl. Hist. Rev., 1911, 340.

Peel, ii, 94; where the return is printed from a loose sheet in the Register. below, p. 458.

<sup>6</sup> below, p. 446.

men who were commissioned by the puritan *classes*, it might be expected that their names would appear in the *detectiones* as unlicensed; but they are not to be found there. It may be suggested that there is a mistake in the puritan figures.

## EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1588

(Brown Book, ff. 101-106d. Printed below, pp. 433-438.)

The visitation of the cathedral church was held on 3 June, 6 July, and 16 September. On the last mentioned day, the dean and chapter were admonished to correct and reform master John Robinson, s.t.p., the precentor, for that through his fault he had suffered the precentory and the buildings belonging thereto to be dilapidated and ruined; and that they should compel him to repair and rebuild the same before St. Bartholomew's day next. The list of the persons cited to attend the visitation is printed in the text.

Unfortunately, the *liber cleri* for the rest of the diocese is missing. The bishop's articles are printed by Dr Kennedy.\(^1\) Amongst other things, he enquires "whether any physicians or surgeons practice physic or surgery without licence of the ordinary.\(^1\) The book of *detectiones*\(^2\) of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow which were visited from 5 to 12 June, by Dr John Belley, the vicar-general, and John Billingsley, his deputy, is preserved in the diocesan registry. The detections shew a few cases of nonconformity:

Tex eases of noncomormity.

[Parish illegible, query deanery of Loveden]—the vicar does not wear the surplice (f. 5d.).

Brant Broughton—Thomas Wright, curate, does not use the surplice (*ibid.*). Swineshead [or a neighbouring parish]—the curate does not wear the surplice. On 6 July, 1580, he appeared at Lincoln, and was dismissed with an admonition. (f. 15).

Stickford—Mr Patie, vicar there, beat his wife in the churchyard, and is a common sower of discord amongst his neighbours; and he has two wives;

and he seldom or never uses the surplice. [Later] He is dead (f. 23).

[Parish illegible. in the deanery of Bolingbroke]—the rector there in the chancel struck Francis Clarke in the mouth, wherefrom there came blood and teeth. The said rector does not wear the surplice while he administers the sacraments and says the public prayers. On 28 June, 1580, he appeared at Lincoln, and submitted himself as to the surplice, whereupon he was dismissed with an admonition. And as to the striking, he denied it (f. 26).

# THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, 1588-9

The visitation began in February 1588-9, and ended in the following April. The detections do not reveal much nonconformity.

Grantham—Master Robert Brian [vicar of South Grantham] does not wear the surplice when he ministers the sacraments. On 14 March, 1588-9, he appeared at Lincoln and submitted himself, and was dismissed with an admonition (f. 17).

Sutton le Marsh—[John] East [curate] is presented, because "we have no communion att this Ester nor he dothe nott rede the pesseles nor gospelles... Item sence he came to the towne he did never weare surplesse." He confesses to this. On 5 May, 158a, East appeared at Lincoln and was dismissed with an admonition. (ff. 82, 82d.). They [the churchwardens] lack a surplice, and are enjoined to provide one (f. 87).

<sup>1</sup> iii. 242-6

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The book has been very badly injured by damp, and some parts have perished. It has lately been repaired and rebound.

Frieston-John Huddleston, the curate, does not say the prayers according to the Book of Common Praver (f. 48).

East Kirkby—Richard Risinge, the vicar, does not say the prayers according

to the Book of Common Praver (f. 48).

Barnetby—the vicar [Richard Bateman] does not wear the surplice. [Later] he appeared at Lincoln, and submitted himself, and was dismissed with an admonition (f. 107d.).

At Cumberworth (f. 85d.) and at Keddington (f. 96d.) they lack a surplice.

Grantham—Thomas Yardley presented for denying the landable ceremonies of the church. He submitted himself, and had to acknowledge his fault in the church there in service-time, and to lead his wife to the accustomed place, where women are used to sit while they give thanks after childbirth, and there to give thanks (f. 21d.).

Grantham-Richard Morley "saith the churching of women is a beggerly ceremonie and that all thos which do vse vt do in some respecte forsak Christ, and yf he cold have perswaded his wief she shold never have geauen thanckes " (f. 22).

## SUBSIDY OF ARMOUR, A.D. 1590

(Muniment room of the Dean and Chapter of Lincoln (A, 2, 10.) Foolscap, paper, 16 folios. Printed below, pp. 145-168.)

On 4 March, 1589-90, the lords of the council wrote to the archbishop of Canterbury, praying him to direct the bishops and clergy to furnish troops of horsemen and footmen, with armour and weapons, for the defence of the kingdom against the king of Spain, as they did in 1588.1 Directions were given, on 26 April, 1590, to the lords lieutenant that, whereas divers of the clergy had made provision of armour and furniture, but by reason of their smallness of household and retinue wanted able and fit men to wear the same, they should give order that choice be made of able and sufficient persons, who were not of "the enrolled and trained nombers," to be enrolled in the bands set forth by the clergy.2 On 11 October, the council desired the archbishop to furnish certificates of the able men with their armour, and of the furniture provided by the The document which is printed in the text is evidently the certificate for the diocese of Lincoln. It covers the whole of the diocese; and at the end is given a summary of the horses and armour provided by the clergy.

# EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1591

(Brown Book, ff. 108-15. Printed below, pp. 433-439.)

The visitation articles for the diocese are printed by Dr Kennedy<sup>4</sup>; the detectiones are not extant. All that remains is the schedule of the names of those who were cited to appear at the visitation of the cathedral church, which was visited on 2 and 28 June, 26 July, and 22 September.

Proceedings against the Puritans, a.D. 1590-1592

In 1590, the government proceeded against some of the puritan leaders on the charge of holding unlawful assemblies, subscribing to the Book of Discipline, and attempting to establish a presbyterian system. The most prominent of these men were Thomas Cartwright and Edmund

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Acts of the Privy Council, xviii, (1589-90), 399.
<sup>2</sup> shid., xix, (1590), 85.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> ibid., xx, (1590-1), 22.

<sup>4</sup> iii, p. 265.

Snape Three others, Arthur Hildersham, Andrew King, and Anthony Nutter, are connected with the diocese of Lincoln. They appeared first before the ecclesiastical commission and, since they refused to answer upon the oath *ex officio*, they were committed to prison. On 13 May, 1592, they appeared in the Star Chamber. At length it was found that no illegal practices could be proved against them, and they were released on their promises of good behaviour. King was in 1595, a schoolmaster at Chesham Woburn in Buckinghamshire, and preacher there in 1605. Nutter held the rectory of Fenny Drayton in Leicestershire from 1582 to 1604-5. Hildersham, in 1593, became vicar of Ashby de la Zouch in the same county. All three will be found in the list of nonconforming clergymen at the end of this introduction.

## A Lost Certificate of the Clergy, a.d. 1592-3

On 10 January, 1592-3, the archbishop conveyed to the bishops the queen's command that they should send him, before the opening of parliament, a certificate of all the ministers within their dioceses, specifying the names of the clergy, their degrees, their learning, their conversation, and whether they were preachers or no, and if not preachers, of what "tolerable learning" they were, or otherwise; and whom they (the bishops) had deprived for insufficiency and lewdness of life; to the intent that the queen might understand the state and qualities of all her clergy; for it was said that there were as unmeet ministers admitted since as there were before. Some of the returns of the bishops are extant at Lambeth, but the return from Lincoln is missing; nor has any trace of, or reference to, it been found in the diocesan registry. The more the diocesan archives are studied in detail, the more plain does it become that a great mass of documents has perished, including not a few of first-class importance.

# LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1594

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 52 folios. Printed below, pp. 375-395.)

This book, which was for many years preserved in the registry of the archdeacon of Leicester, has, during the present year, been transferred to its proper place of deposit in the diocesan registry at Lincoln. The diocese was, until about 1840, too large to be administered from Lincoln, and the custom prevailed of using Leicester, Bedford, Aylesbury, Huntingdon, and Hitchin, the headquarters of the several archdeaconries, as centres of episcopal administration for many purposes. This was rendered the easier by the practice which tended to prevail of appointing the same persons to be both episcopal and diocesan officers, an arrangement which sometimes renders it impossible to decide in what capacity a person is acting. Indeed, in some cases an official is described as sitting in a double capacity, deriving his authority from both the bishop and the archdeacon.

<sup>3</sup> At the present time the same person is the registrar of the bishop and of the archdeacons of Lincoln and Stow.

Usher, Reconstruction, i, 62-4. Usher, The Presbyterian Movement, pp. xxiii-iv.
 Strype, Whitgift, ii, 81-96; iii, 242-82.
 Strype, Whitgift, iii, pp. 292-3. The reference is to a command which the queen had

Strype, Whiteyft, iii, pp. 292-3. The reference is to a command which the queen had given in parliament.

The liber, which is dated 11 May, 1594, was drawn up in view of bishop Wickham's last visitation of the diocese. It contains the names of the cathedral body and of the ecclesiastical persons of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow. The names of a good many school-masters are given. The letters p., a., and e., in heavier type, mean present, absent, excused. The cathedral church was visited on 11 May, 17 June, 13 July, and 10 August. The detectiones of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow are preserved in the diocesan registry, and they give 6-8 and 10-14 June as the dates of the sessions. The visitor was Thomas Randes, as deputy of Dr Belley, the vicar-general. The book of detectiones contains many entries relating to the decay of chancels, and a few cases of nonconformity:

New Sleaford—the vicar [George Blackethe] (1) refuses to baptize except on the Lord's day. On 10 August, 1594, he appeared, and denied the objected article (2) he refuses to sign with the sign of the cross infants whom he baptizes, and he refuses to answer to the objected article (3) on account of such his negligence and recusancy certain infants have died without baptism, and to the objected article he confesses as far as one is concerned; wherefore the judge suspended him from the celebration of divine service and from the execution of his office [etc.], and a commission issued to denounce him (f. 6).

Donington in Holland—Mr Pieke, vicar there, promised in full court at Boston to use the surplice in time of divine service, and to use the form enjoined in the Book of Common Prayer. Witnesses: D[r] Jermyn' and I, Thomas

Randes (f. 34).

Gosberton—The churchwardens and sworn-men presented their minister [William Addister] "for that he... douthe refuse to assine with the sine of the crose"; and that he is "a haterde and one that sekes the dishquytnes of his nighbours in meskaling and rewilinge and callinge his nighbours Brason face and Liers with in the Churche"; and that "for the spase of vij years or ther aboutes he neuer ware the surplis but of weson monday last at morninge prayer." The vicar denied all the charges except the last if. 35).

Skirbeck—Mr Harcastle, the vicar, does not wear the surplice because it is not decent, nether have we had any that was decente these two yeares, and the churchwardens neither presented it nor bought one. They appeared at Lincoln, July, 1594, and submitted themselves, and were dismissed with an admonition

(f. 37).

Corby—Stephen Smyth and Helen his wife are notorious recusants, and do not come to church. They did not appear when cited, and therefore were excommunicated (f. 17d.).

Wrawby with Brigg-Hugh Cocke and his wife are recusants and refuse to

come to their parish church (f. 64).

Buslingthorpe—John Morley, gentleman, is a recusant, neither has he for seven years last past come to his parish church. He was excommunicated (f. 77).

#### LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1595

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Part of a sheet of paper. Printed below, p. 169.)

Bishop Chaderton held his primary visitation immediately after his enthronement in person. On 10 July and 22 September the cathedral church was visited by the bishop's commissionaries. Of the visitation of the rest of the diocese no record is preserved at Lincoln except part of a single sheet of paper, dated August, 1595, which was found rolled up as a stop at the end of a filing cord.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Brown Book, ff. 128-30.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was curate (below, p. 384). <sup>3</sup> Brown Book, ff. 138-9.

## LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1598

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 21 leaves. Printed below, pp. 329-335.)

The articles of bishop Chaderton's triennial visitation in 1598 are printed by Dr Kennedy<sup>1</sup> The only *liber cleri* which has survived is that for the archdeaconry of Stow. It shews that sixty of the clergy were married, and thirteen unmarried, while the state of seven is not specified. Fifty-three of the clergy were hospitable, and thirteen not hospitable, while nothing is said about the remaining fourteen. The behaviour of seventy-nine was good: that of one was "unknown." Five benefices were leased, fifty-five were not leased, and no particulars are given about thirteen. Dr Usher states that the *comperta* of the visitation are preserved at Lambeth,<sup>2</sup> but the document proves to be a list of the persons excommunicated in the triennial visitations of bishop Chaderton and his predecessors.

## LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1597-1600

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Part of a sheet of paper, found rolled up as a stop on a filing cord. Printed below, p. 170.)

This fragment, which relates to the archdeaconries of Bedford and Buckingham, may belong to the visitation of 1598 but the entries are too few to admit of the date being determined exactly.

# ELECTIONS OF PROCTORS FOR CONVOCATION, 1597, 1601, and 1603-4

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Instruments and schedules of various sizes. Printed below, pp. 171-218.)

A.D. 1588

On Tuesday, 29 October, 1588, in the church of St. Mary, Stamford, before Master John Belley, LL.D., the vicar-general, sitting as a judge, in the presence of John Dightonne, notary public, deputy registrar, there appeared the following persons who had been appointed by the clergy of the several archdeaconries to elect two proctors to represent the clergy of the whole diocese in the convocation to be held in the cathedral church of St. Paul, London, on 13 November next, namely: for Lincoln and Stow, Thomas Randes, M.A., official of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow; for Leicester, Masters William Rudierde, vicar of All Saints, Leicester, and Thomas Pollarde, vicar of Peatlinge; for Buckingham and Bedford, Masters Edward Coulter, LL.B., and Thomas Yarrowe, M.A.; for Huntingdon, Master Kenelm Kente, notary public, registrar of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon. The proctors withdrew to the chapel on the north side of the church, and consulted amongst themselves; and then, returning to the vicar-general, who was still sitting in his court, Master Randes, in the name of all the rest, notified that they had unanimously elected Masters Bartholomew Chamberlane, s.r.p, and Edward Jermyn, s.T.P., beneficed and resident in the diocese, to represent them as their proctors in convocation; and that the said

<sup>1</sup> iii, 298-304.

<sup>2</sup> Cartæ Miscellaneæ, tom. xii, num. 22.

proctors should receive one penny on each pound of the taxable value of each benefice, reckoned according to the valuation for the queen's tenths, for their expenses for the whole term of parliament.<sup>1</sup>

## A.D. 1592-3

For the convocation to be held in St. Paul's, London, on 20 February, 1592-3, the clergy of the several archdeaconries appointed the following persons as their proctors to join in electing two proctors to represent the clergy of the diocese; Lincoln, Thomas Randes, M.A., commissary and official of the archdeaconry, and Thomas Tailor, notary public, secretary and registrar of the same; Stow, Thomas Randes, M.A., official of the archdeaconry of Stow, and John Harrys, notary public; Leicester, Masters Christopher Pollarde and William Rudyarde, clerks; Bedford, Thomas Archer, M.A., rector of Howghton Conquest and Gildable, and Edward Cultre, notary public, LL.B.; Buckingham, John Preesteman, M.A., rector of Emerton, and Edward Cultre, notary public, LL.B.; Huntingdon, Bartholomew Chamberlaine. S.T.D., William Bate, M.A., and Kenelm Kente, notary public, and registrar for the archdeaconry. Of these Randes, Pollarde, Rudyarde, Cultre, Preesteman, and Kente appeared before the vicar-general at St. Mary's, Stamford, on 6 February, and elected Edward Jermyn, S.T.P., and Samuel Flemynge, S.T.P., as proctors of the clergy of the diocese, making the same provision for their expenses as in 1588.<sup>2</sup>

# A.D. 1597, 1601, 1603-4

The documents printed in the text are notarial instruments with schedules giving the names of the clergy of each of the several archdeaconries. The clergy of each archdeaconry appoint two proctors to appear before the bishop or his vicar-general or commissary in the church of St. Mary, Stamford, and there, with the clergy or their proctors of the other archdeaconries, to elect two proctors of the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln to appear as well in the parliament of the queen's majesty, as also in the convocation of the church and of the whole clergy and ecclesiastical persons of the kingdom. Attached to the instruments are schedules of those who elected the proctors, with a list, in the case of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon, in 1597, of those who were absent. These schedules of names are evidence of the succession of incumbents at a time when the records of institution are defective. It will be observed that the lists of electors contain the names of curates as well as those of incumbents; and that in three instances at least these curates were laymen. The names of those who were elected to serve as proctors in convocation are not given.

# LIBER CLERI OF THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH, A.D. 1599-1600

(Brown Book, ff. 62-3d. Printed below, pp. 433-9.)

On 15 December, 1599, bishop Chaderton issued his mandate to the dean and chapter, enjoining them to cite the cathedral body to appear at his visitation on 21 February. The mandate recited that the subdean

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Brown Book, ff. 107, 107d. The valuation is that contained in the Valor Ecclesiasticus. <sup>2</sup> ibid. ff. 116-26d.

<sup>3</sup> above, p. xxxiii.

and chapter had signified to the bishop that many questions and dissensions had arisen between Dr William Cole, who had been installed as dean on 2 June, 1599, and themselves, which daily increased by reason of the obstinacy and captiousness (pertinacitatis et morositatis) of the dean to the prejudice of their cathedral church and the offence of other christian people, especially of the laity and others, who did not duly understand such happenings. After keeping the mandate twelve days or more, the dean returned it by Thomas Stirropp, the chapter-clerk, with the message that he, the dean, would not consent to such episcopal visitation, nor would be undertake the execution of the mandate. Wherefore, the sub-dean and chapter, on 12 January, 1599-1600, undertook to execute it. In April, 1600, the visitation was prorogued to 10 July, and again to 5 September. It was prorogued again to 12 September, when Christopher Digles, George Hudleston, and John Cheesman, vicars choral, exhibited certain articles, written in a paper schedule, against Richard Forster, clerk, one of the vicars choral. Forster denied that there was any truth in the articles. They were all enjoined to appear on 16 September, but what then happened is not recorded, nor is the nature of the articles stated. About Michaelmas, the dean, the original cause of the visitation, died, and was buried in the cathedral church. His eldest daughter, Abigail, wife of Henry Stratford, erected a monument (which no longer exists) under the great window of the Lady chapel, embellished with lines which ended with these words:

And, when the latter trump of heav'n shall blow, Cole, now raked up in ashes, then shall glow.<sup>1</sup>

The visitation, after prorogations to 26 September, and 22 October, 1600, 27 February, 1600-1, 17 April and 11 June, 1601, was dissolved on 4 August.<sup>2</sup>

THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, A.D. 1599-1600

The detectiones of the visitation, which began in February, 1599-1600, and ended in the following June, disclose several cases of nonconformity:

Ryby—Robert Rainer [the vicar] "readeth no homilies, neither precheth his quarter sermons, neither readeth the Queenes Iniunctions, he catechiseth not, he weareth not the surplishe, he doth not service according to the booke of common praier," etc. On I July, 1600, he appeared at Lincoln, and submitted himself, and because he promised on the word of a priest to reform himself, the judge dismissed him with an admonition (f. 100d.).

At Tattershall (f. 62d.), Haugham (f. 79d.), Wold Newton (f. 96d.), and West

Torrington (f. 119) there was no decent surplice.

Welton le Wold—Mr Kighley doth not say divine service, nor minister the sacraments, nor come to the said church of which he is parson. He did not appear, and the fruits of the benefice were sequestrated (f. 79).

The presentments for recusancy will be considered presently.

THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, A.D. 1600-1601

The detections shew that at Timberland (f. 5), Great Carlton (f. 29), North Reston (f. 33d.), Hogsthorpe (f. 43), Great Cotes (f. 55), Market Stainton (f. 75d.), and Brant Broughton (f. 125d.) the surplice is wanting. At Barrow on Humber there is only an old ragged surplice (f. 16d.). Many curates are presented for serving without a licence. The recusants will be noticed below.

<sup>2</sup> Brown Book, ff. 149-57.

<sup>1</sup> Lincoln Cathedral . . . Ancient Monumental Inscriptions, p. 3.

## EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1601

Bishop Chaderton began his triennial visitation in the cathedral church, 11 June, 1601, continued it the next day in St. Michael's church, Lincoln, and ended it on 4 July, at Huntingdon. No articles, *libri*, or *detectiones* have been found.

## LIGHT HORSE FOR IRELAND, A.D. 1601

(Brown Book, ff. 162-169, 176. Below, pp. 219, and List I at the end of the Introduction.)

On 9 October, 1601, the archbishop wrote<sup>2</sup> to the bishop to the effect that "whereas the king of Spain and the pope, having long fostered, by underhand means, her Majesty's rebels in Ireland, had now of late discovered their malice in more open manner by sending into that kingdom a navy, and an army of men, who were landed in the province of Munster"3; the queen upon this urgent occasion had herself written to him urging him to require the clergy to furnish such number of light horses as he (the archbishop) should think fit.4 He therefore required the bishop of Lincoln, by himself, his dean and chapter, and some others of ability of the clergy, to provide and furnish good and sufficient light horses and geldings, fitted with Morocco saddles of buff, or other good leather, and the rest of the furniture thereto agreeable: and that the men to serve on them be armed with good cuirasses and casques, petronels furnished, good swords and daggers, and horsemen's coats of good cloth. And that their Lordships' [of the privy council] opinion was, that nothing would more exalt the service, than the choice of such men as had been used to ride: and therefore none more fit than such as were born in the north parts, if possibly they might be had. Moss-troopers and border-riders seem to have been Apparently the Privy Council felt some doubt about the contemplated. power of the clergymen who provided horses to find "apt and fitt men to serve upon those horses"; and therefore they ordered the deputy lieutenants and commissioners of musters, upon request made by any of the clergy, to see them furnished with serviceable men.5

The horsemen were to assemble at Bristol on 26 October, where they were inspected. Some of the horses were unfit for service, and it appears, from a letter to Sir Robert Cecil (afterwards earl of Salisbury), from one of his officers, that some of the clergy complained that their horses had been rejected. Cecil's correspondent protested: "We have turned back none but such as are lame, blind, under stature or aged... We found the Archdeacon of Colchester's horse was lean, old, having splint and spavin and wounded on the near hind leg behind; the other Archdeacon's horse old and given to the scratches." No information is forthcoming about the soundness of the Lincolnshire horses.

<sup>1</sup> Brown Book, f. 157.

Strype, Whitzift. ii, 441-3.
 They landed at Kinsale, and took possession of the town and castle on 23 September,

<sup>1601.

4</sup> Forty-five horse were to be furnished by the clergy of the province of Canterbury (Acts of the Privy Council, xxxii, (1601-4), p. 266).

5 Acts of the Privy Council, xxxii, (1601-4), p. 266.

<sup>6</sup> Hist. MSS Com., Hatfield MSS, xi, 496.

It seems that, on account of the urgency of the need, a few of the leading clergymen of the diocese of Lincoln bore the expense of providing the diocesan quota of horses, and that these men appealed to the archbishop that they might be relieved "by the better sort of their fellow-ministeres (as was always intended)." The archbishop thereupon wrote on 24 December, 1601, from Lambeth, enjoining the bishop to levy a contribution according to a schedule which he enclosed on "the best able" of the clergy of the diocese. The schedule contains the names of 222 incumbents against whom are charged sums ranging from five shillings to two pounds. On 28 December, from his house "in Longdiche neare Westminster," the bishop wrote to Randes directing him to collect the contribution and send it to him at Bugden. On 30 June, 1602, he asked Randes to send a certificate of the names of those who had and those who had not paid.

The operations in Ireland were successful; and the archbishop

wrote the bishop:

Salutem in Christo: Your Lo: cannott be ignorante of the greate and manyfolde blessinges and benefyttes which wee have receyved from god sence yt pleased him to advaunce her Matie: to this Croune First by directing her Royall harte to establishe and maynteyne true religion amongeste vs then by defending her sacred person againste manie and divers secret plattes and cruell designmentes. Thirdlie by protecting this whole Realme from the entended invasions of the kyng of Spayne, to the great admiration almoste of all the worlde. And at this tyme by frustrating this kyng of Spavne of his entended Invasions and Conquest of the kingdome of Ireland that therby he mighte make his entrance the more easye for the subdueing of this Realme to which entente likewise he combined with the Pope, and of late sent greate forces into that kingdome to the aide and assistance of the Rebelles there whoe fortified themselves in 3. places besides Kinsale with resolucion never to have departed that kingdome till they had subdued yt to their M. the kinge of Spaine. Neuertheles (throughe Godes great goodnes and Mercies) they are subdued and forced to become humble surours that they mighte departe and leave that enterprize and have surrendred and yeelded vpp all the places wherin they had fortefied themselves. Moreover the forces of bothe the Traytours (Tyrone and Odenell) are vanquished the Tratours themselves rune away. Tyrone into the Northe parte of Ireland and Odenell into Spaine. For which great goodnes of almightie god in frustrating of those and other plottes and enterprices againste her Matie and her kingdomes and speciallie againste the true Religion which wee professe, devised as well by the late King of Spaine as by this his sonne that nowe raigneth whoe hathe vowed to followe his Fathers steppes therein: wee can never be sufficientlie thanckfull. And therfore your Lo: shall doe well (and yt is her Mates pleasure) to take order within your dioces that the preachers in their sermons shall notifie vnto their parishioners these admirable workes of god and exceedinge greate Marcies multiplied vppon vs and move them to render thanckes vnto God for the same. And to pray for the continuance therof. And soe not doubtinge of your Lo: care herin with my harty Com' I commytt yow to the Tuicion of thalmighty god From Lambeth the 25. of Januarie 1601.

> Your Lo: Loving brother in Christe Jo: CANTUAR:

To the Right Reuerend Father in Christe my verie good Lo: and brother the Bushopp of Lyncolne d[elivere]d (Brown Book, ff. 175-6).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Brown Book, ff. 163-9. The names of the ministers in the archdeacenries of Lincoln and Stow will be found in alphabetical order at the end of this Introduction.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *ibid.*, ff. 162d., 163. <sup>3</sup> below, p. 219.

# THE STATE OF THE CHURCHES, A.D. 1602

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 29 folios. Printed below, pp. 219-236.)

This return was made in obedience to a letter of the archbishop of Canterbury, dated 21 June, 1602, to the bishop of Lincoln, telling him that the queen had been informed that divers churches and chancels were greatly decayed, and were either fallen down, or were likely to fall down; and that many other churches were "very ondecentlie kepte within to the disgrace of Religion"; and, in the queen's name, requiring the bishop to certify him as to the state of the churches in his diocese. The bishop's letter, dated at Buckden, 30 June, to his commissaries and registrars, enjoins them to carry out the archbishop's directions. He tells them to use all convenient expedition that the offence may be cleared, if any such there be, (which needs must, he reminds them, be imputed to themselves in some sort), that "wee may bee freed from God and her Mates displesure then the weh twoe there can noe greater plagues fall ypon vs."

The comperta and detectiones of the episcopal visitations towards the end of the sixteenth century contain many notices of disrepair and ruin in church fabrics, and especially of those chancels for the maintenance of which the impropriators were responsible. Religion had been discredited in the mind of the laity by wholesale plunder of endowments, and by the destruction of church fabrics and furniture and ornaments. Moreover, there were some who taught that religion was a matter of individual communion between a man and his God, and disparaged its outward forms of a ministry and sacraments. These things led many men to disregard the obligation of keeping their parish church in repair,

and of contributing to the maintenance of their parish priest.

The return which is printed here discloses a rather better state of repair than might, perhaps, in the circumstances, have been expected. Where there is ruin or decay, "a speedy reformation" is generally promised. At Skegness there is some small decay of the church by reason of a late tempestuous storm. At Mablethorpe St. Peter's both church and chancel "weere swalowed vp wth the sea aboue lti or lx yeres past sence wth tyme there was never any churche there buylded thorowghe the pouertie wth the inhabitantes weere drawen into by losse of goods by that invindac'on." The church and chancel of Buslingthorpe were very ruinous "by reason there are no parishioners or very fewe there & of no abylitie. The Lord of the towne ys one mr Sutton of London; the persone ys beggarlie & residethe not "At Hundleby" the church by defective in the glase wyndowes wherby the same ys defiled with owles & pigeons." At Horsington the church and chancel "are greatly decayed by meanes that the same are lytle frequented by reason the parishioners have a chappell within the towne for devine service, the churche standinge farr of & yll to comme to in wynter, by

<sup>1</sup> below, p. 220.

below, p. 219.
 below, p. 223.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> D. 224.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> p. 234.

<sup>6</sup> p. 222.

reason of water & yll way." 1 At Holton le Clay the chancel "ys vnseamely in the wyndowes which are dawbed vp and stopped with

wispes." 2

The duty of repairing the chancel belonged to the rector or, in the case of an impropriated rectory, to the impropriator (or proprietary as he was called), or to the person to whom he had farmed or leased the parsonage. At Folkingham the chancel is in some decay through the poverty of the parson, but he promises that it shall shortly be amended.8 At other places the person in default is the queen, or the bishop of Lincoln,<sup>5</sup> or the dean and chapter,<sup>6</sup> or some layman.

## DOUBLE BENEFICES, A.D. 1602-3

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 9 folios and paper cover. Printed below, pp. 237-243.)

This return was made in connexion with one of the various attempts to restrain pluralities, to provide preachers, and to secure residence. In many cases the pluralist had no curate, or at least none lawfully admitted. At Thornton le Moor and South Kelsev St. Mary the curates were not in orders.7 At Mablethorpe St. Peter "the Churche is overflowne with water in the sea."8 And at Riseholme there was no curate "for the Church with the whole towne savinge one howse is ruinated and downe."9

# THE ACCESSION OF JAMES I

The documents which have been discussed up to this point have belonged to the reign of queen Elizabeth. Early on the morning of 24 March, 1602-3, the great queen died. Four days later the archbishop wrote to the bishop of Lincoln:

Salutem in Christo. I shall not neede to write vnto you the state of thinges here. First touchinge the death of our late most gratious sourraigne & then of the generall & vniuersall acceptance of his matie that now is, bycause they are thinges now notoriously knowen, and of the first, I cannot write for greif, savinge onlie this, which is a comforte to mee & may bee to all that loued her that shee died most Christianlie, most patiently & most quietly, of the seconde that hee is receaued with as great vnitie & applause as euer prince was into anie cuntrie, the end of my writinge to your Lo<sup>p</sup>: now is to pray you & require you, to cause publique thankes to bee geuen in your Cathedrall churche & other places of note, as well for the happie government under which wee haue hitherto lived under our late deare Queene both for matters of religion & other civile government, as also that it hath pleased god of his infinite goodnes to place ouer vs in her steade a kinge of the same profession & endewed with such excellent qualities as hee is &c. I do likewise advise your Lopp that you attend uppon him Bushoplike at the beginninge of your dioces, if it shall please his ma'tie to come that way. and so with my heartie commendacions I committe you to the tuicion of almightie god. From Lambeth this 28. of March 1603.

Your Lops Lovinge brother in Christe Jo: CANTUAR:

To my verie good Lo. & brother the Bushop of Lincoln' (Brown Book, f. 181d.).

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<sup>1</sup> p. 225.
                                                                                                        6 pp. 228, 232-3.
<sup>2</sup> p. 226.
<sup>3</sup> p. 221.
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<sup>4</sup> pp. 226, 229, 230. <sup>5</sup> pp. 221, 225, etc.
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# Thereupon the bishop wrote:

Salutem in Christo. I have sente you enclosed a copie of the most reverend father in god the Archbushop of Cant' his Gr: lettres, dated the 28. of the last March 1603, written vnto mee, by the which amongest other thinges (wherof wee have all juste cause to rejoyce) you may percease what his Gr: requireth at my handes, touchinge publique thankes to bee geuen in my Cathedrall churche of Lincoln', & other places of note within my dioces, as well for the happie government under which wee haue hitherto liued under our late deare Queene both for matters of religion & other Civile government, as also that yt hath pleased god of his infinite goodnes to place ouer vs in her stead a Kinge of the same profession & endewed with such excellent qualities as hee is &c. for the due & speedie accomplishment wherof I require you & euery of you in your scuerall Jurisdiccions to take such speedie & effectuall order as his Gr: direccions may bee performed in the premisses accordingly, wishinge you to appointe in euerye place where this accion is to bee published, an auncient, wyse, learned, godlie & staied preacher to make a sermon there, in the publique congregacion, & to entreate de subjecta materia with all reuerence & discretion, & in the Sheire towne I do also wishe, there might bee a generall communion, which course I minde (god willinge) to holde, to morowe at Huntington, and so for this tyme assuringe my self you will omitte nothinge herin that belongeth vnto your dutie, with my heartie commendacions, I committe you to god. From my hous at Buckden in some haste this first of Aprill 1603.

Your verie Lovinge Freinde W. LINCOLN

I minde (god willinge) to attende his matie at his first enterance into my dioces, if it shall please his highnes to come that way, & therefore I do pray & require you & euerye of you to associate mee in my said attendance, vpon his matie in your owne persons, with your servantes in tawney liueries, with facinges of changeable taffatie yelowe & redd, beinge the colours now cheiflie esteemed & such as I minde to ge ue my self, that wee may altogither acknowledge our selues with all our Jurisdiccion &c to bee holden of his most sacred matie, & to bee employed at his devotion, & assure your selves, that assoone as I shall receaue the gestes¹ of his mates iourney (for the which I haue written to my Lo. G. of Cant', whereof I am yet altogither ignorante) you shall haue intelligence of the time & place where I am to meete him. Lincoln' and Stowe.

To my verie Lovinge freindes Dor Claiton Archdeacon of Lincoln' & to Mr Furmerie Archdeacon of Stowe, & to Mr Randes my Commissarie in both the said Archdeaconries, and to Mr Francis Bullingham & John Harris Register in the said Archdeaconries & to enery of theim hast these speedely.

Recept' vna cum copia litterarum reverendissimi patris Cant' Archiepiscopi inclusa, sexto die Aprilis 1603. hora 6. post meridiem eiusdem diei<sup>2</sup> (Brown Book, ff. 181d-2d).

The following persons were selected as preachers, and, on 7 April, letters were sent to them under the hands of Randes and Bullingham, enclosing the letters of the archbishop and bishop, "for their better direction," and commanding them to preach on 25 April:

Mr Hooke, parson of Nettleton, for the deaneries of Yarborough, Walshcroft, and Wraggoe, to preach at Caistor.

Mr Cooke, vicar of Louth, for the deaneries of Louthesk and Ludborough, to preach at Louth.

Mr Sugar, parson of Ashby by Fenby, for the deanery of Grimsby, to preach at Grimsby.

<sup>1</sup> i.e. actions, doings.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This note was probably written by Francis Bullingham, the registrar of the diocese.

Mr Marberie, preacher at Alford, for the deanery of Calcewaith, to preach at Alford.

Mr Simmons, parson of Halton Holegate, for the deaneries of Horn-castle, Hill, and Gartree, to preach at Horncastle.

Mr Eliot, vicar of Sutterton, for the deanery of North Holland, to preach at Boston.

Mr Allerton, vicar of Pinchbeck, for the deanery of South Holland, to

preach at Spalding.

Mr Bradstreete, vicar of Horbling, for the deanery of Aveland, to preach at Folkingham

Mr Newton, vicar of Sleaford, for the deaneries of Lafford and Loveden, to preach at Sleaford.

Mr Walker, vicar of Grantham, for the deaneries of Beltisloe, Stamford, and Ness, to preach at St. Mary's, Stamford.

Mr Wood, vicar of Lavington, for the deanery of Grantham, to preach at Grantham.

Mr Barnes, parson of Bassingham, for the deaneries of Lincoln, Longoboby, and Graffoe, to preach at St. Benedict's, Lincoln.<sup>1</sup>

At the same time the apparitors were enjoined by letter to summon the clergy and laity to repair to the abovenamed churches by ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the appointed day.<sup>2</sup>

It is uncertain at what point bishop Chaderton, with his tawny liveries, met the king; but he preached before James and the court at

Burghlev house on Easter Day, 24 April, 1603.8

As king James was on his way from Scotland to London, the puritans presented to him a petition recounting their grievances. Since it claimed to express the views of a thousand ministers, it is known as the "millenary petition." This, however, seems to be an exaggeration, and seven hundred and forty-six is the number mentioned by the puritans themselves. Since the petition was not signed, no exact total can be defended. The latter number is probably derived from the Abridgment' of the Lincolnshire ministers in 1605, which gives seven hundred and forty-six as the total number of the signatures to the several petitions sent up by the puritans in the summer of 1603.5 The demands made in the petition were more moderate than might have been expected. There was nothing about the abolition of episcopacy or the introduction of presbyterianism, which had been urged in the time of Elizabeth. The promoters objected to the signing with the cross in baptism, the use of the ring in marriage, baptism by women, and confirmation; and prayed that the cap and surplice should not be required. They desired that none in future should be admitted to the ministry except able and sufficient men who should preach diligently, and specially on the Lord's day; and that those already admitted, if unable to preach, should be removed or be forced to maintain Further, that ministers should be compelled to subscribe to preachers. the articles of religion and the king's supremacy only, and not to the article requiring the observance of the form and order of the Prayer Book. That pluralities should be restrained, and that impropriations

<sup>5</sup> Usher, Reconstruction, i, 290 n.

² ibid., f. 183d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Brown Book, ff. 182d,-184.

<sup>3</sup> Cooper Athena Cantabrigienses, ii, 482.

Abridgment of that Booke which the ministers of Lincoln Diocess delivered, p. 52.

attached to bishoprics and colleges, or in lay hands, should be required to contribute to the maintenance of preaching ministers. That excommunication should not issue "for trifles and twelve-penny matters"; and that the fees of the officers and other abuses of the ecclesiastical courts should be restrained. That the oath ex-officio and licences for marriage without banns being asked should be more

sparingly used.

The papists too had hopes of relief. In answer to them, James declared that he would not exact the fines for recusancy: "He would not make a merchandise of conscience, nor set a price upon faith."1 James indeed pleased all parties, for the bishops also found relief from their worst fears in the attitude he adopted towards episcopacy. They were alarmed, however, at the encouragement which he gave to the puritans and the papists; and they were fain to realise that he did not fully understand the situation. Whitgift, therefore, began to collect information with which to meet the nonconformist complaints against the Church, and to ascertain the position with respect to the papist recusants. On 11 May, 1603, he wrote to the bishop of Lincoln, saying that he thought that the king would not "suffer any disordered persons" in the church, and requiring the bishop not to permit any one to preach unless he were licensed. An extract from the letter, with letters thereupon from the bishop, and from Randes, the bishop's commissary, dated 28 May and I June respectively, are printed in the text.<sup>2</sup> On 13 June, the bishop wrote again to the archdeacons, commissary, and registrars, praying them to make diligent inquiry about preachers and pluralities and other matters, "wishinge you not to fayle in the premisses, as you haue often done heretofore, for that there dependeth some matter of consequence hervpon." In pursuance of this charge, Randes and Bullingham, the commissary and registrar, by letters dated 14 June, commanded the apparitors to summon all preachers, parsons, vicars, and curates to make their personal appearance before them, and to bring with them their several admissions, letters of orders, testimonials of subscription, institutions, licences to preach, and other instruments.4 The deaneries of Grantham and Loveden were to meet at St. Michael's church, Lincoln, on Wednesday, 13 July, between the hours of eight and ten in the forenoon.5

These arrangements were probably cancelled for, in the meantime, the archbishop had written to the bishop, on 30 June, "vpon some speciall occasions mee thervnto movinge," praying him to send letters to his archdeacons and commissaries, requiring them, in the archbishop's name, to send for every parson, vicar, and curate, and secretly and particularly to receive of them answers in writing to articles about the numbers of communicants and non-communicants, and of recusants, and pluralists; also about impropriations, whether they be endowed with vicarages or served by curates, and about parsonages and vicarages and their value in the King's Books; and about patrons.<sup>6</sup> The archbishop states that he must put the bishop in remembrance that he

<sup>1</sup> Gardiner, History of England, i, 100.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 245-6.

below, p. 246.
 below, p. 247.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> below, p. 247.

<sup>6</sup> below, pp. 248-9.

"had neede to geve some touche" to his archdeacons and other commissaries that if they thought how much the things he desired to be informed in may concern their own jurisdictions, they would have more care to inform themselves of every such matter, and speedily to return a certificate of them.<sup>1</sup> The bishop wrote to the archdeacons and Randes, on 10 July, from Buckden; and, on 15 July, Randes ordered the apparitors of the archdeaconry of Lincoln to cite the clergy to make their personal appearance before him. The deanery of Wraggoe was to appear at St. Michael's church, Lincoln, on Thursday, 4 August.<sup>2</sup>

# LIBRI CLERI, A.D. 1603

- (1. Liber Cleri of the whole diocese, preserved in the Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 73 folios, with forel cover, bearing the title Liber Patronorum et Beneficiorum. Printed below, pages 253-328.
- 2. Abbreviated edition of the foregoing, preserved as above. Foolscap, paper, 35 folios.
- 3. Liber Archidiaconatus Stowe, preserved as above. Foolscap, paper, 12 folios. Printed below, pages 337-353.)

The Liber Cleri of 1603 is the answer to the archbishop's articles. A rather later hand has written on the cover the title Liber Patronorum ct Beneficiorum, with the date 1605. This date is certainly wrong, for the register of institutions and other documents sufficiently prove that the time is August, 1603. A few additions have been made by a later hand, probably about the end of the seventeenth century. There is also in the diocesan registry an abridged copy, which has been used in this edition to supply the place of a missing folio (folio 42) of the principal The book contains, at the beginning, a sermon which was no doubt preached at one of the places of session. It has not been possible here, on account of the high cost of printing, to follow the tabular form of the original. Statistics compiled from the *Liber* will be found at pages 442-63 below. The returns for the archdeaconries of Stow and Bedford include a report on the behaviour of the clergy. The name given under the heading I (Incumbent) cannot in all cases be depended on as that of the incumbent: sometimes it is that of a curate in charge. The values of the benefices, which were to be the sums given in the King's Books, that is the assessment of 1535, are somewhat carelessly entered. Where the figures do not agree, the amount in the King's Books has been printed in square brackets. The return for the archdeaconry of Stow, as given in the Liber has not been edited, because a rather fuller record from which, probably, the *Liber* was compiled, has been printed instead.3

The particulars for the return about preachers, with reference to which the bishop wrote on 28 May and 10 July,4 were seemingly obtained when the clergy appeared. A memorandum in the Brown Book's states that "a book about the preachers" in the archdeaconry of Lincoln was made, and sent to the bishop on 20 September, 1603. This document cannot now be found, but some of the information about the preachers is included in the *Liber* of 1603.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The letter is printed by Strype, Whitgift, ii, 470-1; below, p. 247.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, p. 249.

<sup>3</sup> below, pp. 337-53.

<sup>4</sup> below, pp. 2.16-7.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> below, p. 249.

The following letters refer to some of the many returns that were

required at this time:

Sal: in Christo: By the copie of the right Reuerend father in god my very good Lo: and brother the Archbushop of Cant' his G: lettres lately written vnto mee you shall understand how long and earnestly the Certificates have beene looked for and how slowly sente, and that without copies, and some not at all. By reason wherof I have beene blamed without cause, wherfore I pray you take this for a finall warninge, that if you shall not presently send vnto mee those certificates which are behinde And those which herafter eyther by the Canons or by other lawfull authoritie you are to make, I will not beare with your negligence any more, but returne the same (though sore against my will) to your further charge and danger. You shall also understand by the said enclosed copie, how strictly the booke of common praier is to bee obserued by all the ministers in my dioces And what displeasure and perill, both I and you are like to incurre if there bee not great heede taken that there bee no breach of the order therin conteined, or if there bee, the same bee not searched out and severely punished. Wherfore I require you as you tender his mates most gratious favour, the good government of the churche, or your owne and my credite and safetie, That you vse all diligence and circumspeccion for the accomplishinge of the contentes of his G: lettres, aduertising mee from time to time of your proceedinges therin. that I may bee able to answere both for you and my self, if occasion shall so require, And withall adde my authoritie and power for the repressing of such audacious and contemptuous persons as shall by your discipline bee incorrigible. And so for this time requiring you to sende mee a note vnder you [sic] hand of the receipt of these my lettres with the copie enclosed, which you altogither neglected heretofore, and that you faile not to performe your dutie in the premisses, with my heartie commendacions, I committe you to god. From Haliwell this 6. of 9. mber 1603.

Your very lovinge Freind W: Lincoln'.

Mr Commissary I have certified to his Gr: both your particuler and generall answere to his articles propounded to you at Huntingdon¹: But I do not heare of anie exception taken vnto theim. It is requisite that you geue all the ministers within your Jurisdiccion warninge of the premisses to take away excuse from them.

Lincoln' Stowe

To the right won my very loving Freind D. Clayton Archdeacon of Lincoln' and to my loving Freind Mr Furmery Archdeacon of Stowe, and to Mr Randes my Commissary in both the said Archdeaconryes, and to all and euery the Registers there hast these speedely (Brown Book, ff. 194d.-5).

Sal: in Christo: I heartely pray your Lo: with all the speede you can, to sende vnto mee the Certificate promised in your last lettres. For I receased Commandement from his highnes by lettres from him dated 29. Octob: wherin hee requireth the same. In which lettres also his matie signifieth that hee is enformed that some ministers in the celebracion of divine service and Sacramentes do vse new formes not prescribed by authoritie, which hee taketh to proceede of an humour and affection of Noveltie. And therfore requireth mee to cause the same to bee severely repressed and all men to conforme theimselues to the due observation of the booke of common praier, with signification, that herafter if there bee any omission in this kinde hee will aske accompt of yt onely at my handes. And therfore I do pray and require your L: to haue a due care herof and to suffer none within your dioces to alter anie thinge, but duely to observe the booke of common praier, as you will answere to the contrarie. For I meane not to beare eyther your burthen or anie others But to do that which my place and authoritie vnder his matie requireth, without respecte of person. And so with my heartie

<sup>1</sup> The articles related to abuses connected with the ecclesiastical courts.

Commendacions I committ you to the tuicion of almightie god. From Croydon the first of November 1603. Your L: very loving freind and Brother

Jo: Cantuar:

To the Reuerend father in god my very good L: and brother the Bushopp of Lincoln' d[elivere]d.

> This is a true copie of my very good Lo: and brother the L: Archbushop of Canterbury his G: lettres written vnto mee &c. W: Lincoln'

(Brown Book, folios 195, 195d.).

On 9 November, Randes and Bullingham enjoined the apparitors to make known the contents of these letters to the clergy, churchwardens, and others, and to certify before St. Andrew's day what they had done

in the premises. Shortly afterwards the bishop wrote to Stirroppe: To my depute Register, William Stirroppe, at Buckden, Yeaue theise.
Sal: in Christo: The 4. Lettres to my seuerall Commissaries annexed to these presentes I require & chardg you to take such [? course] as they may

bee safely & speedely deliuered, for they conteine somme mattres of importance from the kinges most excellent matie. You neede not make any great hast with the Certificates of Churches for that I have sent up all the rest, & have partely excused the want of those, which may

bee sent vp with the other Certificates of Excommunicates &c3:

If you have found my L: G: of Cant' his Lettre4 in the ende whereof hee requireth mee not to suffer any to preach in mye dioces volesse they bee lawfully licenced send it vnto mee for I have somme occasion to vse it. Vale in hast & commend vs all to your wief & Mrs Martin from whose good company wee are hartely sory to bee soe long banished. From Moynes Hall in Halow[ell] this 19. of 9br 1603.

Your Mr W: L:

The returns from both provinces were summarised by the archbishop, and presented to the king in 1003. These summaries are included in Harleian MSS 280 (folios 157ff).6 The summary for the diocese of Lincoln is to be found at folio 160:

D- 1-1				
Parishes -		-	-	1255
Whereof Improp	riac'ons	-	-	577
Preachers -	-	-	-	9207
	viz.			
Drs of D	Diviniti	-	3.3	
Brs of I		~	70	
Mrs of A		-	354	
$\mathrm{B^{r_8}}$ of $A$		~	236	
Brs of L	lawe -	-	1	
Noe gra	iduates	-	226	
			020	

1 Brown Book, f. 196.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Probably four copies of a single letter. What letter is referred to is uncertain.

<sup>3</sup> Certificates of excommunicated persons were to be sent to the archbishop from each diocese every year.

That is, the letter of 11 May, 1603 (below, p. 245).

Included in the miscellaneous papers in the diocesan registry are several letters from Mistress Stirroppe to her husband. She addresses him as, "my swet Will," and signs as "your loving and obedient wife, Francis Styrroppe" (Misc, 1603/152).

<sup>6</sup> ff. 157 ff. The totals for all the dioceses are printed by Dr Usher, Reconstruction, i. 241.
7 '665' cancelled, with the note, 'to bee added (vt infra patet) 257—in totale 920.

There are likewise in this Diocese

Communicantes 242550 quere Recusantes 295

Most of the figures in this summary have been altered, and their appearance does not inspire confidence. Further, it is impossible to reconcile them with the *Liber*. The differences will be discussed below.

Something may now be said about some of the heads of the return. The value of benefices will be considered presently.<sup>1</sup>

## Appropriations and Impropriations

In technical language, an appropriated church or rectory is one which has been given, with its income, to an ecclesiastical person or corporation, such as a bishop or a religious house. At the dissolution of the monasteries a very large number of appropriations fell to the crown, and many of these, again, were granted to laymen. appropriated churches passed into lay hands, they became, technically, impropriations. In most cases of appropriation, a vicarage had been ordained, and endowed with the specified part of the income of the benefice, the appropriator or rector (or, when it came into lay hands, the impropriator or lay rector), taking the great tithes and the vicar the small tithes. Some of the vicarages had become very poor, and there was much agitation that their income should be increased by the appropriators and impropriators The puritans, especially, were desirous that the income of benefices should be augmented from the appropriations held by the bishops and the deans and chapters. Hence the particulars given in the Liber. It must be observed, however, that, at that date, the technical distinction between the terms appropriation and impropriation was not rigidly observed, and that either term may include both classes of benefices.<sup>2</sup> Statistics compiled from the *Liber* of 1603 give the following figures:

# PARSONAGES OR RECTORIES

1. Propriate, i.e. held by the incumbent himself.

2. Appropriate or impropriate, endowed with a vicarage.

3. Appropriate or impropriate, served by a curate.

4. Donatives.

	LINC. & STOW	BEDF.	BUCK.	HUNT.	LEIC.	TOTALS
I.	314	57	95	98	113	677
2.	248	57	64	47	72	488
3.	4.5	7	27	10	I 2	101
4.	4		I			5
	611	I 2 I	187	155	197	1271

These figures agree fairly closely with those in Harleian MS. 280.3

1 below, pp. lixff.

above, p. liv.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Dr Usher (Reconstruction, i, 232) has overlooked this usage, and consequently to the 3,849 'impropriate' benefices estimated by the bishops in 1603 he has added the 3,828 'appropriate' churches counted by Tanner (MSS 178, f. 9 b.), making a total of 7.677 out of about 9,000 benefices; whereas the bishops and Tanner included both the impropriate and appropriate churches in their respective totals.

#### Patrons

Lay patronage was greatly increased when the religious houses were suppressed; for the patronage of vicarages, which generally belonged to the appropriators of the rectories, became vested, in the crown and other lay patrons. The bishops, in 1604, complained that five-sixths of all the benefices in the country were of the patronage of the laity (no doubt including the crown), and that, in consequence, the Church had not the same control as formerly over those who were to be admitted to livings. The figures for the diocese of Lincoln have been worked out from the Liber.

#### PATRONS IN THE DIOCESE, A.D. 1603

- The Crown The prince of Wales The lord chancellor
- The archbishop of Canterbury 5. The archbishop of York
- 6. The bishop of Lincoln 7. The dean and chapter of Lincoln, 14. Unspecified and the prebendaries
- 8. Other ecclesiastical persons
- Oxford colleges 10. Cambridge colleges
- 11. Eton college 12. Private patrons
- 13. Cities and boroughs

	LINC. & STOW	BEDF.	BUCK.	HUNT.	LEIC.	TOTALS
Ι.	130 (8)	26	24 (1)	24	29 (1)	233 (10)
2.	I					1
3.			5			5
4.			2			2
	I					I
5. 6.	40	2	3	3		48
7.	51	I		6	1	59
7· 8.	20	I	6	I 2	3	42
9.	9	3	11 (1)	3	2	28 (1)
10.	5 (1 <b>)</b>	8	I	I 2	4	30 (1)
II.	I	I				2
I 2.	333 (9)	77	129 (2)	92	157 (1)	788 (12)
13.		1				4
14.	3 8	1	4	3		16
	611	121	187	155	197	I 27 I

In this table, a patron who has an alternate turn of presentation has been counted as 1/2. The totals therefore are the totals of benefices. The figures in brackets give the numbers of benefices of which the patronage is divided between two patrons. Therefore, to get the number of patrons, the numbers in brackets must be halved, and one half be added to the unbracketed totals. Chapels have not been included.

These figures fully bear out the bishops' complaint; for they shew that less than one-eighth of the patronage of the diocese of Lincoln was in ecclesiastical hands. If, however, the Oxford and Cambridge colleges be counted as ecclesiastical bodies, the proportion is one-sixth, as the bishops contended.

## Preachers

The numbers of preachers in the several archdeaconries in 1585 and 1603 are printed below<sup>2</sup>; and here it is sufficient to give summaries for the whole of the diocese:

<sup>1</sup> Usher, Reconstruction, i, 95.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> p. 458.

- 1. Licensed preacher
- 2. Preacher (generally not licensed)
- 3. No preacher
- 4. Catechizer, expounder, etc.
- 5. Unspecified—presumably no preacher

LIBER	CLERI,	A.D.	1585

	S.T.P.	S.T.B.	M.D.	LL.B.	M.A.	B.A.	NON-GRAD.	TOTALS
1.	17°	29°			77	35	42	200
2.					4	3	4	) I
TOT	ALS 17 <sup>©</sup>	295			8 t	38	46	2 I I
5-			I	4	107	I 2 2	840	1074
тот	ALS 17*	200		4	188	160	886	1285
		- 7	-	7		• • •		1203
				-				

\* 16 s.T.P's and 19 s.T.B's are included in these numbers, since they are presumed to have been preachers, although it is not specifically stated that they were so. Probably, most of them were licensed.

LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1603

Ι.	S.T.P.	s.т.в. 48	LL.B.	M.A. 139	B.A. 58	NON-GRAD.	TOTALS
2.	2	6	I	153	118	100	386
TOTALS	13	54	1	292	176	176	712
3·		I		10	15	2 3 I O	55 10
5.	19	14		18	27	329	407
TOTALS	32	69	I	326	218	538	1184
		_					

It will be observed that the number of preachers given in the *Liber* of 1603, namely 712, differs widely from that supplied by the archbishop to the king, namely 920.\(^1\) The archbishop has 354 masters of arts, and makes them all preachers, whereas the *Liber* has only 326 of whom at least 16 are not preachers. Again, the archbishop has 236 bachelors of arts, and makes them all preachers, while the *Liber* has 218, of whom at least 15 are not preachers. Of non-graduates the archbishop has 226 preachers; the *Liber* only 176. The archbishop's figures have been much altered, and suggest uncertainty. Moreover, it is unlikely that, out of a total of 1184 clergymen, as many as 920 were preachers. Seemingly, it must be admitted that the archbishop's clerks, anxious, as no doubt they were, to support their master's case, somewhat overstrained the evidence. Not content with this, they added:

There are besides the Preachers before mentioned, in both the Provinces [of Canterbury and York], many honest ministres well hable to Catechize, and privately to exhorte, though they have not the guifte of vtterance, and audacitie to preache in the Pulpitt (Harl. MS. 280, f. 169d.).

## Degrees

It is instructive to compare the *libri* of 1585 and 1603 with respect to degrees. At the earlier date, out of 1285 men, 399 had degrees; at the latter, 646, out of 1184. The efforts of the bishops to improve the quality of the clergy had been successful at the cost of a reduction in

<sup>1</sup> above p. liv.

<sup>2</sup> see the tables above.

their number. A reference to the table at page liv will shew that the archbishop, in 1603, over-estimated the number of masters of arts in the diocese by twenty-eight, and the bachelors of arts by eighteen.

The figures for the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow and Leicester are available at three dates:

			1576	1585	1603
Lincoln and Stow-grad	luates	-	56	159	210
non	-	340	414	350	
			396	573	560
Leicester-graduates	_	-	22	7 I	109
non-grad.	-	-	127	157	79
			149	228	188

These statistics reveal a steady improvement in the educational qualifications of the clergy. The records of institutions shew even more plainly that the possession of a university degree was being required:

		1591	1594	1603	1604	1607	1610
S.T.D.	-	2	2	1		I	3
S.T.B.	-	6	4	6	6	13	12
LL D.	-			I		I	
M.A.	-	22	19	26	27	20	47
B.A.	-	17	II	11	10	8	I 2
				_	_		
		47	36	45	43	43	7.4
NON-GRAD.	-	38	19	13	ΙI	II	6
		_					
		85	55	58	54	54	80

The figures are the more remarkable when it is remembered that men from the earlier years were still being instituted in 1610. The records of ordination in bishop Chaderton's register tell the same tale<sup>1</sup>:

						1606	1607
M.A.	~	-	-	-	-	35	24
B.A.	-	-	-	-	-	24	18
		Oxford (		-	4	8	
Educated at various schools -						3	I
						66	51

## Communicants

The number of communicants given in the *Liber* of 1603 is 196,926.<sup>2</sup> The archbishop's number is 242.550 with 'quere' written against it.<sup>3</sup> At this time people were, of course, bound by law to communicate. Five men and six women in the archdeaconry of Bedford and fifteen men and fourteen women in the archdeaconry of Buckingham are

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Reg. xxx, ff. 284, 291, 298, 301-2, 306, 312-13, 320.

below, p. 445.
 above, p. lv.

returned as non-communicants. No mention is made of non-communicants in the other archdeacouries, but presentments in the books of *detectiones* and *comperta* shew that there were persons who did not communicate.<sup>1</sup>

#### VALUATIO BENEFICIORUM, A.D. 1603-4

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Five sheets, 15½ in. x 12 in., now bound in a volume of Libri Cleri, 1576-1604. Printed below, pages 355-362.)

The Hampton Court Conference met on January the 14th, 16th, and 18th, 1603-4; and, amongst other things, it was agreed that further information should be obtained by the bishops, and submitted to the king before the meeting of parliament in March. On 28 January, the archbishop, therefore wrote to the bishop of Lincoln, saying that there were some defects in the last certificate which he had received, that is the *Liber* of 1603. These he would have supplied to him with all convenient speed. It was the king's pleasure to know the qualities and degrees of incumbents, whether they were preachers or able to catechise, or otherwise learned or unlearned, and whether of good or evil conversation; and also the value of their livings, and how those benefices which were not competent might be augmented. Further particulars were required about impropriations. "For I assure you," says the archbishop, "that his maiestic doth looke for a speedic returne of these mattres and thinketh it to be a verie great negligence for anie Bishopp not to knowe the state and condic'on of his Cleargie within his dioces."

The bishop, on 10 February, wrote from King's college, Cambridge, to the archdeacons, commissary, and registrars, enclosing a copy of the archbishop's letter, to require them to make a new survey. valuation is to be what a benefice is worth to let communibus annis deductis deducendis, and not as it is valued in the King's Books, "for that hath bene done allreadie, and might with more ease have bene taken out of the office of the first fruites, if that were intended, nether is that valuac'on equall for that some benefices are over valued and some farre vnder." The inquiry is to be made, as the archbishop recommended, by the ministers who are of chief note, to be selected by the bishop, two or three or more out of every deanery, at places convenient to such as are to attend, "for it were to muche to drawe them all to Lincoln." Two copies of the return are to be sent to the bishop, one of which it was intended, no doubt, should be filed in the diocesan registry. "There is great speede required in this action." The bishop encloses a form of letter to the special persons of note, which he sends as a 'president.' A postscript directs that inquiry shall be made where tithe is withholden.4 In his letter to the selected clergymen of the archdeaconry of Lincoln, dated 13 February, Randes, requires them to bring their certified return to him, at Lincoln, on Tuesday, 28 February.5

Unfortunately no more of the returns have been preserved at Lincoln than those for the archdeaconry of Stow and the deanery of Walshcroft, but fragmentary as the document is, it is valuable as being the

<sup>1</sup> e.g. The Episcopal Visitation Book, A.D. 1604.

below, pp. 251-2.
 below, p. 250.

<sup>4</sup> below, pp. 249-52.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> below, p. 252.

only return to the archbishop's requisition which is known to the present writer. It contains particulars about the marriage, behaviour, and hospitality of the clergy; about degrees, plurality, residence, and preaching; and about patrons, impropriations, and the leasing of benefices. But the chief article of the enquiry related to the values of benefices, and to the methods of augmenting them. The literature of the period contains many references to the poverty of the clergy. The circumstances at the beginning of James's reign were very different from those that prevailed in pre-Reformation times. Much more was expected of the clergy; it was demanded that they should be better educated and, especially, that they should be able to preach. The allowance also of clerical marriage made it imperative that stipends should be increased. This was all the more necessary since there had been a great rise in prices during the past sixty years.<sup>1</sup> Against this there was to be set an increase in the incomes of the clergy, the chief part of which was derived from tithe; for the value of tithe was based upon the price of corn and other produce. But tithe had not increased pari passu with the price of corn, because frequently a composition, or modus decimandi, had been adopted in place of the payment in kind of tithes, and especially of small tithes; and such customary payments were, in 1603, often a mere fraction of the market value. The great tithe was derived from corn, and the laying down of arable land to grass probably resulted in some further loss to the tithe-owner. But besides these causes of impoverishment, there was a great deal of robbery. Simony was rife. Following the queen's bad example, many patrons required payments in money, or pensions, or favourable leases, or surrenders of glebe, or easy compositions, or remission of tithes and dues, as a condition of appointing men to benefices. Archbishop Parker, after his visitation of the diocese of Norwich, in 1567, wrote:

I sent my visitors into Norwich . . . whereof I heard . . . Gehazi and Judas had a wonderful haunt in the country, that quid vultis mihi dare? had so much prevailed there among the simonians, that now to sell and to buy benefices, to fleece parsonages and vicarages, that omnia erant venalia. And I was informed the best of the country, not under the degree of knights, were infected with this sore, so far that some one knight had four or five, some even seven or eight benefices clouted together, fleecing them all, defrauding the crown's subjects of their duty of prayers, somewhere setting boys and their serving men to bear the names of such livings.<sup>2</sup> About the same evil archbishop Sandys said:

The disease spreadeth, for patrons gape for gain, and hungry fellows utterly destitute of all good learning and godly zeal, vea scarcely clothed with common honesty, having money, find ready entrance to the Church.3

The lord of the manor of Throcking paved his kitchen at Sandon with gravestones taken out of Throcking church, embezzled the glebe. and kept a chaplain in his house to officiate.4

The values of benefices given in the Liber of 1603, were those set down in the King's Books. These books consist of two volumes of contemporary transcripts of the Valor Ecclesiasticus or valuation of ecclesiastical benefices made in 1535. On that assessment benefices

Probably the increase in values was not less than a hundred and fifty per cent.

Quoted by Kennedy, i, cxlvii-viii. The construction of the first sentence is defective.
 Quoted by Hunt, Religious Thought, i, 77.
 Chauncy, Hist. Ant., i, 233, quoted by Urwick, Memorials of Nonconformity in Herts, p. 764.

were, and still are, rated for the payment of first-fruits and tenths. The *Valuatio Beneficiorum*, on the other hand, gives the actual net value, the value *communibus annis deductis deducendis*, in 1603-4; and it is useful to compare the incomes of ninety benefices in the two records:

			1535		1603-4			
DEANERIES		BENEFICES		T	OTAL	INCOME	S	
			L	s.	d.	£	۹.	d.
Walshcroft*	-	20	213		8	442	4	2
Aslackhoe	-	16	136		6	262	0	-8
Corringham	-	1.4	226	6	3	556	0	()
Lawres	-	2 [	179	5	4	410	О	O
Manlake	-	19	245	14	2	391	13	4
		90	€1,000	16	11	£2,062	4	2
BENE	FICES		15	35		1603	-4	
not exc	eeding	£5		15		3		
,,	,,	£10		12		22		
**	٠,	£15		1 <u>5</u>		17		
,,		£20		6		18		
٠,	••	£25		7		2		
,,	,•	£30		5		13		
٠,	٠,	£40				6		
,,	٠,	£50				2		
٠,	**	£60				3		
11	,,	€80						
One at		£120				1		
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			(	90		90		

#### CURATES' STIPENDS IN THE LIBER OF 1603

			not	exceedir	ng	one at	
		£5	€10	£15	£20	£30	TOTAL
Lincoln and Sto	W	40	29	7	5		18
Bedford	-		3	I	1	I	0
Buckingham	-	4	16	7	I		28
Huntingdon	-	I	10	2	1		1.4
Leicester	-	I	6	5	3		15
				-	_		
Totals	-	46	64	2 2	11	1	144
		_	_	_		-	

It will be observed that, on an average, the incomes of benefices had rather more than doubled between 1535 and 1603. Curates' stipends, which are the same in the *Liber* and the *Valuatio*, were miserably inadequate.

Dr Usher writes at some length about the poverty of the clergy, but their case was not so desperate as he represents; for he takes the incomes of benefices as given in the returns of 1603 to be the real values at that date; whereas, as it has been shewn, incomes had been more than doubled; and puritan returns, which give the real values of benefices, mislead him into thinking that "a youthful student, whose ideas on doctrine and church government were hazy, and whose ambition for truth and piety was not abnormal, could not fail to be influenced in his

espousal of the Puritan ideas by the fact that the Puritan parishes paid stipends double or treble any sum that he could expect from ordinary parishes."

The "leading clergymen," who were appointed in each deanery to make the inquiry enjoined by the archbishop, offer recommendations for the augmentation of poor livings or 'vivinges.' In every case they suggest that tithes should be paid in kind, and that customs of paying less than a tenth should be discontinued; also that deductions should be made from the impropriations for the augmentation of the respective vicarages. In three cases the union of benefices is recommended; and in one instance it is urged that the use of prohibitions should be restrained.<sup>2</sup>

The return which we are considering can barely have been received at Lambeth before archbishop Whitgift died, on 29 February, 1603-4. He had laboured for the good of the Church in a period of almost unexampled difficulty; and when he was visited by the king, on the day before his death, he could do no more than repeat the words "Pro ecclesia Dei." His place, as leader, was taken by Richard Bancroft, bishop of London, who, however, did not succeed to the primacy until the following December. It was Bancroft who had laid bare the puritan classis movement and the attempt secretly to subvert the system of the Church from within; and he had been one of the leading members of the court of high commission.

In March, 1603-4, and, seemingly, before the meeting of parliament on 19 March, the bishops met, with Bancroft as president, to consider how a competent maintenance might be provided for a preaching minister in every parish. They recommended that tithes be paid in kind, and if a benefice were too poor to support an incumbent, it should be united to another. They pointed out that if the bishop had power to appoint a suitable portion out of the impropriate tithes, the evil would be to a large extent remedied. The augmentation of benefices, however, was a matter of extraordinary difficulty, for parliament stedfastly refused to look at bills which would have the effect of increasing the tithes which were due from the laity, and from making any charge upon the impropriate tithes which belonged to the lay rectors. It has been possible here to do no more than to touch upon the incomes of benefices, but the subject is one which will repay study.

A curious little fragment has been found in the Lincoln diocesan registry amongst the miscellaneous papers of the years 1005 and 1606,4 which may be quoted because it professes to give the value of several benefices:

Mr Thornton parson of Barraby and Wolstropp, worth 2. hundred and forty poundes a yeare, a blinde Curat.

Mr Griffin parson of litell Ponton and Kirkby Underwood the smallest of them C. a yere and a blynd Curat serues one of them.

Mr Williams parson of Asgarby and Aswarby, the least of them. 100 markes a yere and a blynd Curat serues one of them.

Mr Gaze vicar of Hunington and Ancaster and hath no dispensation, and a blvnd Curat serves one of them.

<sup>1</sup> Reconstruction, i, 219-222, 274-5, 299, 313, 337, 352.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 356-62. The civil courts used the writ of prohibition to prevent the courts christian from holding a plea of tithe.

<sup>3</sup> See Usher, Reconstruction, i, 338.

<sup>4</sup> Misc., 1605-6/So.

The value of these benefices in 1535, as given in the King's Books, is as follows: Barrowby £31 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ . Woolsthorpe £12 2s.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ . Little Ponton £7 10s. od., Kirkby Underwood £6 3s. 4d., Asgarby £10 14s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ , and Aswarby £12 4s. 7d. The average of the figures in the fragment is more than seven times greater, and they must be treated as an *cv farte* statement. The document has a puritan flavour, and the blindness of the curates, which may be compared with the dumbness of certain of the clergy in 1584, must be attributed to their inability to see religious questions through puritan spectacles.

#### Pluralism

Closely connected with the insufficiency of clerical incomes was the practice of pluralism; and pluralism, again, involved more or less non-residence, for it was not physically possible for an incumbent to reside in two parishes at once. The puritans constantly complained of these abuses, and bills were introduced into parliament to restrain them; but while incomes were insufficient, it was often necessary for the more learned sort of clergymen to hold more than one benefice. Even of the men who adopted puritan principles many were 'plurified' or 'double-beneficed.' The statistics at p. 459 below, however, shew that the evil was diminishing. The one hundred and forty pluralists in the diocese in 1585 had shrunk to ninety in 1603.

#### THE PRAYER BOOK AND THE CANONS

The puritans gained but little at Hampton Court. As a result of the conference certain changes, mostly of an explanatory nature, were made in the Prayer Book; but the surplice, the cross in baptism, the ring in marriage, and kneeling at the Holy Communion, the chief of the ceremonies to which the puritans objected, were retained. The alterations were approved by the king, and by letters patent, dated 9 February, 1603-4, the printing of the new Prayer Book was ordered. On 5 March, a royal proclamation required the king's subjects to conform to it. Parliament and convocation met on 19 March, and attempts were made in both assemblies to reform the new book; but without any success. Failure to use the book was, as will appear below, the occasion of many presentments at the episcopal visitation of 1604.

The chief work of convocation was the supplementing and codifying of the law of the Church of England in the Canons of 1604. This code is still the law of the English Church, although some of the canons have fallen into desuetude. A large part of them was taken from injunctions, interpretations, advertisements, and articles which had been issued during the previous fifty years, some of which had come to be, in 1604, of doubtful authority. The puritans had often defended their actions by the plea that the law of the Church was uncertain, but the promulgation of the canons made this line of defence untenable. The canons deal with several of the chief subjects to which the present texts relate. The first twelve canons exclude from the Church ipso facto those who maintained the puritan position, and refused to conform. Number

<sup>1</sup> above, p. xxxv.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> above, pp. xxvi, xxxiv.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Printed by Wilkins, Concilia, iv, 377-8.

<sup>4</sup> Dr Usher (Reconstruction, i, 359ff.) discusses the "genesis of the canons."

14 enjoins the observance of the orders, rites, and ceremonies prescribed in the Book of Common Prayer. Number 30 explains the use of the cross in baptism. Numbers 35 and 36 enjoin upon those who may be admitted to orders or to benefices or to the office of preacher, etc., subscription to the three articles (with some verbal differences designed to prevent evasion) issued by Whitgift in 15841; number 36 prescribing the form of words in which subscription is to be made: "I N.N., do willingly and ex animo subscribe to these three Articles above mentioned. and to all things that are contained in them." Number 41 limits licences for plurality, and enjoins residence. Numbers 45-55 make provision for preaching. Number 58 enjoins that every minister "shall wear a decent and comely surplice with sleeves, to be provided at the charge of the parish," and that such as are graduates shall wear upon their surplices such hoods as are agreeable to their degrees, when performing the public services. Numbers 65 and 66 are directed against papist Number 74 prescribes a "form of decent and comely recusants. apparel" at other times. Number 80 enjoins churchwardens or questmen to provide at the charge of the parish the new Book of Common Prayer within two months, and also "the Bible of the largest volume," and the books of homilies, if not already obtained. Numbers 85 and 86 have reference to the maintenance of church fabrics. The canons were passed by the convocation of Canterbury in July, 1604. On the 16th of that month a royal proclamation was issued, warning the clergy to be ready to conform by 30 November, or to dispose of themselves and their families in some other way. The bishops were directed to provide meet persons to be substitutes in the place of those who should refuse; and in the meantime, "to do their uttermost endeavours by conferences, arguments, persuasions, and by all other ways of love and gentleness to reclaim all that be in the ministry, to the obedience of our church laws."2

The puritans were thus faced by a clear-cut issue: they had to conform or suffer deprivation. In 1604, as in 1585, their aim was to substitute the Book of Discipline for the Book of Common Prayer, and presbyterianism for the three orders of the Church's ministry. At the later, as at the earlier, date the two systems were irreconcilable, and it was inevitable that, sooner or later, a choice should be made between them.

THE ARCHDEACON OF LEICESTER'S VISITATION, APRIL, A.D. 1604

A book, bearing the title *Detectiones in Visitacione Annunciationis* A.D. 1604 exhibite, is preserved in the registry of the archdeacon of Leicester. In some of the following parishes the incumbents probably did not conform at the time of the visitation, but since Cotton was the only one against whom the bishop proceeded later in the year, it may be presumed that the rest conformed without much delay.

Market Bosworth—They want a surplice (f. 11). William Pelsant, S.T.B., was vicar (below, p. 298), and still held the benefice in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 124).

Laughton Parva—The churchwardens, on 20 August, exhibited a certificate, and shewed a sufficient surplice, and were dismissed (f. 22). [Thomas Cotton, M.A., was rector (see below, List of Nonconforming Clergymen, no. 117)].

Norton by Galby—The churchwardens appeared, 31 August, and did shew a surplice which Mr D[octor] Ch[ancellor] allowed (f. 22). [Thomas Ruddington, B.A., the rector, still held the benefice in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 130)].

<sup>1</sup> above, pp. xxii-iii.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Wilkins, Concilia, iv, 406-7.

Rolleston (in the parish of Billesdon)—The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice of vs., and certify the same (f. 22).

Scraptoft—The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice of vs. (f. 22). [Henry Sterk, B.A., the vicar, died in possession in 1604 (P.D., 1604/29)]. Stoughton (in the parish of Thurnby)—The churchwardens appeared,

31 August, and the judge enjoined them to provide a surplice (f. 22d.).

Flecknev—The churchwardens appeared, 29 September, and shewed a surplice to Mr Rudvard, [the surrogate], which he allowed for sufficient (f. 22d.). Robert

Watts, the vicar, still held the benefice in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 131)].

Burton Overy—The churchwardens, on 26 October, brought in a certificate of their having a new Book of Common Prayer and the canons, and the judge decreed

that they be dismissed (f. 23).

Houghton—The churchwardens, 26 October, appeared and certified that they had a new Book of Common Prayer, the canons, and a new surplice, and the judge dismissed them (f. 23). [Christopher Pollard was rector, and held the benefice till his death in 1605 (P.D., 1605/12)].

### LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1604

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 34 folios. Printed below, pp. 397-414.)

This book, like the Liber of 1594,1 has been lately transferred from Leicester to Lincoln. It relates to the archdeaconry of Lincoln. letters a. and e. distinguish those who were absent or excused. John Garbrore, curate of Stain, was singular in being excused the payment of the visitation fees: "His stipend is but 20s. a year and therfore in meare pitty he is dismissed; there is but 2 houses."2

#### EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1604

On 8 July, the bishop's monition issued to the dean and chapter for a visitation to be held in their chapter-house on Wednesday, I August; and on II July monitions issued for a visitation of the archdeaconries to be held as follows: Lincoln, on 15-18 and 20, 21, and 23 August: Stow, on 22 and 23 August; Bedford, on 6 and 8 August; Buckingham, on 9-11 August; Huntingdon, on 4 and 7 August; Leicester, on 13 and 14 August. The bishop proposed to visit the deaneries of Grantham, Loveden, Beltisloe, Ness, and Stamford in the church of Grantham; but the venue for the deanery of Grantham was changed to the church of Sleaford; and that for Loveden, Beltisloe, and Ness to St. Michael's on the Mount, Lincoln; while the deanery of Stamford was not visited at all. The reason for these changes was that "Stamford was at that tyme sore visited with the plague." The neighbourhood of Grantham also was suffering, and the churchwardens of Stubton, who had omitted to present their minister for not wearing the surplice and not using the sign of the cross, were respited racione pestis.4 The visitation was held by the bishop's commissaries, Dr Hill, Dr Parker, Master George Eland, who was archdeacon of Bedford, and Thomas Burton.

The visitation articles are printed in the appendix to The Second Report of the Royal Commission on Ritual (1868). They are fifty-one in number, and the churchwardens of Ludborough failed to answer them,

<sup>1</sup> above, page xl.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, p. 401, and Addenda. 3 Reg. xxx, ff. 227, 227d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> V., 1604, pp. 18, 25. <sup>5</sup> pp. 446-50.

"being so many and so harde," until they were threatened with excommunication.1 Amongst other things, bishop Chaderton enquires of the churchwardens and sworn men:

Whether you have in your Church or Chappell all thing necessarie and requisite for Common praier, and administration of the holy Sacraments, specially the booke of Common praier lately set forth by the Kings Maiesties authoritie . . . the Bible of the largest volume . . . and a comely large surplesse with wide sleeues (Article 2) . . . And whether your minister at all times vpon sundaies an holidaies doe weare in time of divine service and administration of the Sacraments, the surplesse, vea or no, or do suffer any other to saie the common praier, or minister either of the sacraments in your church not wearing the same (Article 14)... And whether doth your minister in the baptizing of children, observe the orders, rites, and ceremonies appointed and prescribed in the Booke of Common praier, without any addition, omission, or other innouation (Article 23).

The detectiones of the visitation for the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow are preserved in the diocesan registry. They are the churchwardens' answers to the bishop's articles; and they are of more than ordinary importance because they follow closely the promulgation of the canons. No other visitation record at Lincoln reveals so many breaches of church order. It is unfortunate that the detectiones of the other archdeaconries do not seem to have been preserved either at Lincoln or in the archidiaconal registries. While, therefore, we have the names of clergymen in Lincoln and Stow who did not conform in August, 1604, by wearing the surplice, we cannot make similar lists for the other archdeaconries. Fortunately, however, documents remain which supply the names of all the clergymen in the diocese who, after the visitation, persisted in their nonconformity, whether for a longer or a shorter time; and these are the names which it is important to know.

#### DETECTIONS IN LINCOLN AND STOW

The detectiones reveal that, in the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow, the churchwardens of one hundred and ninety-four parishes have not yet obtained the new Prayer Book, and are admonished to provide it. In thirteen of these cases it is said. "they lack the book of Common Prayer," which presumably means the new book. At Scrivelsby they lack a bible of the largest volume. In twenty-eight cases the churchwardens present that their minister does not wear the surplice; and in thirteen instances they omit to present him for not wearing it. Six clergymen are presented for not using the sign of the cross in baptism,<sup>2</sup> and one of these omits "the words." that is the baptismal formula.<sup>3</sup> The churchwardens of Glentworth omit to present their minister for not wearing the surplice, and not using the sign of the cross, although this was a violation of their official oath to present whatever needed correction. They are therefore enjoined to appear in their parish church, each in a white sheet, with a paper on his head setting forth his perjury. Where the surplice is wanting, the churchwardens are admonished to provide one within a fortnight, tender it to their minister on a Sunday, and then certify the bishop's court at Lincoln whether he has worn it or no. Notes are often added to a detectio to the effect that the churchwardens

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> V., p. 106,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> V., pp. 1, 46, 48, 97, 106, 175, <sup>3</sup> V., p. 122, <sup>4</sup> V., p. 175.

have provided a surplice, and sometimes a note that their minister wears The names of the clergymen who are presented at this visitation for not conforming will be found in List II at the end of this Introduction; and the proceedings taken against those who refused to conform will be described below. The *detectiones* also include many presentments of curates, schoolmasters, and ushers (*hypodidasculi*) who have no licence from the bishop. Some of the clergy are, as usual suspended from the execution of their office because they have not appeared at the visitation; but none is suspended for any other cause. At West Ravendale there is no minister, "neither hathe beene anie by report thes 30 yeres past"; 1 but the parish is a very small one. The rector of Skirbeck has not been

resident for ten years, nor has he given anything to the poor.2

Many lay people are presented: about eighteen for not receiving the Holy Communion at the preceding Easter; or for various periods, up to as much as seven years. This number does not include papist recusants, who will be noticed below. Upon being admonished, most of these people did what was required of them, and were dismissed: those who were obstinate were suspended. There are many cases also of non-attendance at church. A note states that Thomas Mellowes, of Millthorpe in the parish of Aslackby, says, "he will not comme except the law compell him." The law did compel him: for he appeared at Lincoln, and afterwards, having certified that he had attended church, he was dismissed.<sup>3</sup> Some do not come to church because they are in the ale-house, or are keeping unlawful company, or are "keeping unlawful games in their houses." At Stickney, two boys, Richard and Charles Wibberd, were gathering nuts when they should have been at morning and evening prayer, and should have been catechised. Stephen Smith, of Corby, and his wife, do not come to church, and have three children not christened. Failing to appear in court at Lincoln, they are suspended from entering the church, which does not seem to have been a particularly appropriate punishment.<sup>5</sup> Some people are presented for standing excommunicate, or for receiving excommunicate persons.6 At Stewton, Isabel the wife of Edward Huddleston, a churchwarden, is presented "for vsing vnreuerent speeches against ministers children and naming theim preist calues in dispitefull maner." On 4 September, 1604, she appeared and confessed to words to that effect, and submitted herself, "and she has to aske the parson there forgivenes in ecclesia ibidem coram gardianis in time of divine service," and to certify before the next court. She did not appear, however, and was suspended. Afterwards she was absolved and dismissed on the rector's petition.<sup>7</sup>

#### NONCONFORMING MINISTERS

It is unfortunate that those in authority required of the clergy subscription to the three articles prescribed in the thirty-sixth canon, as well as conformity. The canon enjoins that those who shall hereafter be ordained or be admitted by institution or collation to any ecclesiastical living shall first subscribe to the articles. The puritans contended that subscription should not be demanded of those who were already

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> V., p. 120.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> V., p. 44.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> V., p. 8.

<sup>4</sup> V., p. 90.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> V., p. 25. <sup>6</sup> e.g. V., p. 184.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> V., p. 95.

ordained or were in possession of a benefice. The next words in the canon, which provide that none hereafter shall be suffered to preach or to catechise except he shall first subscribe, are ambiguous: it is uncertain whether they applied to those who were already licensed or not. of the puritans, who were prepared to conform and wear the surplice. could not be persuaded to subscribe. John Burgess, rector of a third part of Waddesdon, in Buckinghamshire, is a case in point.1 He maintained the lawfulness of the Prayer Book ceremonies, and had already subscribed four times to Whitgift's articles; and, further, was ready to subscribe in the same way again. But he refused to subscribe in the form enjoined in the canon, "willingly and ex animo." The bishops, as will appear presently,<sup>2</sup> soon came to realise that the opposition to subscription was stronger than they had anticipated, and in many cases they ceased from taking extreme measures against those who could not be induced to subscribe. In the diocese of Lincoln no incumbent, it would seem, was deprived for the sole reason that he could not reconcile himself to subscription.

Meanwhile the puritans again had recourse to petitions to the king and the council.<sup>8</sup> Arthur Hildersham, one of the Leicestershire ministers, was the leader of a deputation to the council, and was sent to prison 4 The puritans also proceeded to compile surveys of their own in different parts of the county, as they had done in 1584-5.5 Dr A Peel has printed one of these returns from a manuscript in the Morrice Collection, The Lamentable Estate of the Ministry in Staffordshire 6 Like the earlier surveys, it seems open to the charge of exaggeration on account of the freedom with which the epithets, drunkard, swearer, mere worldling, or ignorant are used. One vicar is "very famous for his skill in gameing and specially in bowling"; while a curate is "a practitioner in Physick, but seldome in Divinity."

List number II at the end of the Introduction contains the names of the clergymen in the diocese of Lincoln whom the available evidence shews to have been unconformable. All the men who were presented at the bishop's visitation in August, 1604, in the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow, for not wearing the surplice, or whose churches possessed no surplice have been included. A few names have been added from the "Miscellanea" in the diocesan registry, and from other sources which are specified in the references. For the other archdeaconries no complete list of names can be made, because the detections of the visitation have not survived. A few names, however, are furnished by the detections of the archdeacon of Leicester's visitation in the previous April.8 A large number of these men either certainly or presumably conformed within a few weeks of the visitation. The positive evidence is furnished by certificates of conformity and by notes in the book of detections; the presumptive evidence consists in the absence of their names from the very complete record of proceedings which the bishop, in October and later, took against those who did not conform, and from the brief which was drawn up in 1606.9 There is also, the fact that it

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Frere, p. 315.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. lxxii-iii.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> above, p. xxvii.

<sup>4</sup> Frere, p. 317.

<sup>5</sup> above, pp. xxxiii ff.

<sup>6</sup> Eng. Hist. Rev. (1911), xxvi, 340-52.

<sup>7</sup> ibid., pp. 344-5.

<sup>8</sup> above, pp. lxiv-v.

<sup>9</sup> below, pp. 363-71, 469-70.

can be shewn that, in most cases, they continued to hold their preferments. Thus, while the names of those who quickly conformed are incomplete for the archdeaconries of Bedford, Buckingham, Huntingdon, and Leicester, the more important list of those who did not conform may be taken as complete for the whole diocese. The primary authority for the latter class is the court book which records the proceedings in the episcopal court, before the bishop himself, proceeding are officio mero, either in the churches of St. Benedict and All Saints, Huntingdon, or at his manor of Buckden, four miles away. Ninety-three men were cited to appear in the church of St. Benedict, on 3 October, 1604, to answer to articles charging them with not wearing the surplice, and also, in some cases, with not using the sign of the cross in baptism. Twenty-eight of them came from the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow, twenty-eight from Leicester, twenty-eight from Buckingham, four from Bedford, and

five from Huntingdon.

The bishop charged those who appeared to subscribe and conform, and some of them did so at once, or at one of the courts held within the next few weeks; some, like Edmund Newton, vicar of Sleaford, were willing to conform, but would not subscribe to the articles; others craved time for deliberation, and this was granted them. Some of the excuses or provisoes put forward are lacking in substance; but, as the bishop of Lincoln, writing to Cecil, 12 April, 1605, said, the puritans "wold not stand so obstinatlie in those tearmes . . . were they not unwillinge to be brought into any disgrace with their people." Their position was a difficult one, and they deserved sympathy. John Fisher (no. 19)<sup>2</sup> would have worn the surplice "had it not bene a meane one." Christopher Dynys (no. 18) had said, "I will not refuse to weare a surplusse, so that it be a comely or decent one, for it is expedient that wee do obey our princes law, yet will I not wear this yow haue bycause there is no comlines in yt." Robert Campbell (no. 115) said, "he weareth the surplisse and neuer refuseth yt but there was not a sufficient surplesse." Against Richard Sherwood (no. 134) it was articled that "twoe surplisses have bene tendered to him, which he reteyneth at his howse, saying he tooke them thither to see what condiccion they were of." Of William Cade (no. 77) the churchwardens certified that "heretofore he hath made some doubt of wearinge the surplice bie reason of the discontinuance thereof amongst vs thes fine and twenty yeares." Of a different temper was Thomas Wooll, vicar of Boston, (no. 60) of whom it was reported "that the surplis hath bene tendred to him and he in scorne maketh it his cushion to sitt on." He conformed, however, on his first appearance before the bishop. John Browne (no. 113), a Leicestershire incumbent wrote to the chancellor, saying that they had observed the form prescribed by law, except kneeling at the communion, the use of the cross in baptism, and wearing the surplice, "which we take liberty in . . . for . . . that the people had conceaued some dislike of them." Like the Hebrew king, he had obeyed in everything except the chief of the things in which obedience was required. Of Alexander Cooke (no. 14), vicar of Louth, it was reported "that he will rather loose his livinge then weare the surplice." The bishop's method of dealing with Cooke and with John More (no. 126)

Quoted by Usher (Reconstruction, i, 404n) from Hatfield MSS 110, f. 74.
 The numbers correspond with those in List If at the end of the Introduction.

was unusual. He enjoined them to specify in writing their objections against Mr Eland, the bishop's chaplain, who was reported "to haue preched a verie dangerous and hereticall sermon at Lincoln and said that there wer 4. sortes of men in the church but one of the church and thereby excluded all such as stick at their ceremonies." On a later day Cooke put in his objections, and Eland' answered them.

The day after the first court, Stirropp, the registrar, wrote as

follows:

Good Mr Prigeon my verie hartic commendacions to vour self and Mres Prigeon premised: My L: hath willed me to write vnto you that yesterday there was divers of the ministers that were called before his L; did complaine that manie of their neighbours, who were as backward as themselfes in anie conformitie now required, as namelie Mr Barnes Mr Dale Mr Wilson of Westburghe Mr Kellet Mr Hichcocke and divers others were omitted and onelie some fewe elected owte of a multitude and some of theis denied that euer they omitted the surplisse or other ceremonie And therefore my L: would have you to write him owte a coppie of all the deteccions in this visitacion and of the proceedinges therein and likewise to inquire not onelie of those beforenamed but also of all others whatsoeuer. as well by the churchwardens and sidesmen, as by anie other convenient meanes whatsoever, and to certifie his Lp whether they have omitted to weare the surplesse or observe the booke of common prayer, and wthall my L: did wishe me to signifie that vt ys not his Lps, but his maties expresse commaundement and therefore you muste be verie carefull in the performance thereof: And so in haste I committe vou to god. From Buckden this. 4. of October 1604.

Your verie lovinge Freind Will'M STYRROPPE.

To my verie lovinge Freind Mr Prigeon at his howse in Lincoln' d[elive]r theis (V., pp. 199, 199d.).

Of the men who are named in the letter, Hitchcock, rector of Quarrington, is the only one about whose conformity any complaint had been made at the visitation. The churchwardens, however, certified soon after the visitation that he wore the surplice which they had provided and tendered to him.<sup>3</sup> Since the rest of the men were not cited to appear before the bishop, it may be presumed that they also had conformed, if, indeed, they had previously failed to do so.

On I December, the bishop suspended four curates from the

execution of their office:

no. 33. Linold, Edmund, of Aylesby, co. Lincoln. He was instituted to the vicarage of Healing, 20 January, 1609-10.

79. Deane, William, of Hillesden, co. Buckingham.
82. Gee, George, of Stony Stratford, co. Buckingham.

,, 94. Scott, Thomas, Eastmansted Latimer, co. Buckingham. ,, 112. Brinsley, John, of Ashby de la Zouch, co. Leicester. He continued to be headmaster of the school there.

On 12 December, three more curates were suspended:

no. 62. Brightman, Thomas, of Haynes, co. Bedford. He probably soon conformed, for he seems to have held the curacy till his death.

1 C., ff. 67d., 74.

<sup>3</sup> V., p. 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Eland was archdeacon of Bedford (above, p. lxv).

no. 67. Hoggett, Anthony, of Norhill, co. Bedford.

" 104. Fisher, Timothy, of Tring, co. Hertford. He not only refused to subscribe and conform, but refused to give to the bishop an account of his sermons, saying that his time would not serve.

One more curate was probably suspended, about September, 1605:

no. 108. Walkwood, Nathaniel, of Bovingdon, co. Hertford.

In November, 1604, twenty-eight Huntingdonshire laymen presented a petition in favour of the ministers who stood in danger of deprivation.1 On I December, thirty ministers of the diocese of Lincoln, under the leadership of John Burgess, presented to the king their reasons for not conforming; and early in 1605, they published An Abridgment of that Booke which the Ministers of Lincoln Diocess delivered to his Maiestie upon the first of December last, 1605 [sic]. Being the first part of an Apologye for themselves and their Brethren that refuse the subscription, and conformitie which is required. Printed 1605. The Abridgment contains eighty-eight closely printed pages of small quarto size: what then must have been the size of the Booke. The ministers urge that the ceremonies are sinful, and also dangerous as leading to superstition. "Many of the people in all parts of the land are known to be of this mind, that the sacraments are not duly ministered without them." "The surplice is known to be esteemed by many in all parts of the land so holy a thing, as they will not receive the sacrament from any but such as wear it." The common people, they say, make a superstitious use of the sign of the cross, and hold that their children are not rightly baptized without it. There is special danger, they argue, in restoring the use of the ceremonies in places where they have been long discontinued.2 None of them, they say, ever refused to subscribe to the first of the three articles, but to the other two they cannot. The first article in the thirty-sixth canon was an acknowledgment of the royal supremacy; the second and third involved acceptance of the Prayer Book and Thirty-nine articles. The Abridgment contains a table, under counties, of the numbers of preachers who, "before the beginning of this last parliament," that is before March. 1603-4, witnessed under their own handwriting their desire to petition for the removing of the ceremonies. The total for the whole country is seven hundred and forty-six, and this number is cited in contemporary puritan literature for various purposes. The figures for the diocese of Lincoln are: Lincolnshire 33, Leicestershire, 57, Huntingdonshire -, Bedfordshire 16, and Buckinghamshire 33, making 139 in all.3

On 10 December, the day on which Bancroft's election to the see of Canterbury was confirmed, the council wrote to the two archbishops, pointing out that the time prescribed in the proclamation of 16 July had now expired; and stating that, though it was more agreeable to the king to cure disorders by elemency than by severity, yet where advice prevailed not, authority should compel. The council then urged that the bishops should take special care to inform themselves of the learning, sufficiency, and conformity of those whom they might admit to the benefices of any who should be deprived for nonconformity, a matter "whereof more especial care would now be had, seeing divers

3 Abridgment, p. 52.

<sup>1</sup> Harl. MSS 677, i. 44, quoted by Usher, Reconstruction, i, 407, note 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Perry, A History of the English Church, second period, p. 370.

turbulent persons have mixed their complaints with this affirmation, that the names of good and understanding ministers shall now be supplied with idle drones and dumb images "

The archbishop sent this letter to his suffragans on 22 December, and, on the same day, in a second letter he gave them directions with respect to the course to be taken with "the disobedient and obstinate ministers" Those who are not already "placed in the church" are not to be admitted to any office without subscription. The clergymen who are already placed fall into different classes. Those who observe the orders and ceremonies in the communion book, and are willing to conform, but are unwilling again to subscribe, are to be respited for a short time in the hope that they may subscribe. Incumbents who refuse to conform and subscribe are to be deprived; and curates and stipendiary preachers who will not conform and subscribe are to be suspended ab officio, which is in effect deprivation.<sup>2</sup>

Dr Usher, who searched the unpublished state papers and the Hatfield manuscripts, writes

Toward the middle of January, while hunting in the diocese of Lincoln, James fell in with the Bishop, who explained that he had not vet taken any measures against the Puritans because he had received no explicit directions from Bancroft and knew that none of the other bishops had done as much as he had.3 He said that it had been agreed in Convocation, six months past, that all the Puritans should be thrice admonished to reform by the episcopal authority and so much he had done but there had stopped. James was provoked, and sent word to Cranbourn with some petulance, that the bishop had done nothing and intended to do nothing. "I neuer chainged the smallest iote of my conclusion to deprive them," he added in his own hand, and "if we make not mountaines of moldehills . . . ve neide not to haue troublit so farre your owin mindis." The Archbishop was to be directed to issue orders at once that all the obstinate should be deprived. . . . In compliance with the royal mandates, the Council, on January 22, informed Bancroft that the bishops "haue stood as men at a gaze and haue done nothinge." Bancroft and Vaughan, the Bishop of London, met Cranbourn on January 24, by appointment, and, after a long consultation over the situation, decided that the strictest conformity should be ordered but should be executed only where the Puritan gave no hope of yielding (Reconstruction, i, 413-14).

On 16 January, 1604-5, after four admonitions to conform, the bishop deprived John Burgess (no. 75),8 rector of the third part of Waddesdon, and Alexander Cooke (no. 14), vicar of Louth. Burgess, who has already been mentioned, was the most eminent of the men who suffered deprivation in the diocese of Lincoln. He would, it seems, have conformed if he had been able to convince his followers that it was right to do so. Cooke was of a more militant temper. He had preached against the ceremonies of the Prayer Book, and for some time refused to give the bishop a copy of his sermon. He would rather lose his living, he said, than wear the surplice.

<sup>1</sup> Cardwell, Documentary Annals, ii, pp. 88-93.

<sup>2</sup> ibid., ii, 93-6.

<sup>3</sup> Usner is relying on a letter of Sir Thomas Lake to Cranborne, dated 16 January, 1604-5 (Haifield MSS 103, f. 116), but the bishop's encounter with James must have occurred before he received Bancroft's letters referred to above.

<sup>4</sup> Usher refers to a letter of the bishop's to . . . Mountague, 12 December, 1604 (Hatfield MSS 108, f. 22.)

<sup>5</sup> James to Cranborne, Hatfield MSS 134, f. 52. 6 Hatfield MSS 108, f. 43.

<sup>7</sup> Cranborne to Lake, State Papers Domestic, James I, xii, no. 28.

<sup>8</sup> The numbers refer to List II at the end of the Introduction.

On 30 January, George Pike (no. 39), vicar of Donington in Holland, expressly refused to conform, and was deprived of his benefice after four admonitions. Two months later he conformed and subscribed;

and, on 15 May, 1605, was reinstituted to the same benefice.

At the same time, Anthony Nutter (no. 128), rector of Fenny Drayton, co. Leicester, suffered deprivation because he refused to conform, saying "that whatsoever ys the invention of man ys not to be allowed in the service of god." He appealed from the sentence. He was one of those who were in trouble with Cartwright in 1591-2.

On 10 April, 1605, Richard Sherwood (no. 134), rector of Thurlaston, co. Leicester, was similarly deprived after five admonitions, and

appealed to the court of Arches.

On 24 April, Arthur Hildersham (no. 122), vicar of Ashby de la Zouch, co. Leicester, for many years one of the leading puritans, after several times refusing to conform, was deprived. He too appealed to the court of Arches, but apparently did not prosecute his appeal. In the previous December, he had refused to confer with the bishop and Dr Mountacute, saying that he [and others] would not come "to be borne downe with countenance and with scoffs."

On 18 September, Laurence Bott (no. 110), rector of Cadeby, co.

Leicester, was deprived because he refused to conform.

On 6 November, Oliver Perkins (no. 105), vicar of Offley, co. Hertford, after various refusals to conform, was excommunicated on account of his growing contumacy, having been suspended since the previous June. He lost his benefice, however, not because of his nonconformity, but because he failed to pay his yearly tenths to the exchequer. The bishop stated that he might have been absolved if he

would have submitted and sworn to obey the law.1

Thomas Heape (no. 84), vicar of Little Marlow, co. Buckingham, having refused to subscribe and conform, was suspended from the execution of his office, 19 June, 1605. On 6 November following he was excommunicated, and finally, on 4 December, deprived "for his contumacie being factiously disposed and having made manie publicke invectives against the state of the churche and the booke of common praier, and not suffering anie minister to say divine service, preache, or administer the sacramentes, in his churche, but those that were of his faction." Subscription was never required at his hand.

A memorandum in the bishop's court book, 24 April, 1605, states that 15s. 8d. each for Mr Sherewood, Nutter, and Mr Hidersham [sic] is to be sent to Mr Carpenter's, "a hosear at the grene man in Cornewell [perhaps=Cornhill]." Possibly this money was intended for their expenses while waiting for the hearing of their appeal, or while they

were obeying a citation to appear before the archbishop.

The remaining clergymen who had not conformed, but were quiet and peaceable, were treated in a different way. At court after court they were allowed further time for deliberation until, by the autumn of 1605, all those who, a year before, were cited to appear before the bishop seem to have conformed with the exception of eight incumbents. One of these men, Simon Bradstreet (no. 9), who had never worn the surplice since his institution to the vicarage of Horbling in 1596, was, on 23 October, on account of his labours for the Church of God, and of his peaceable and honest behaviour, dismissed by the bishop in hope of his conforming, until he should be cited again. At the same time John

<sup>1</sup> below, p. 369.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> below, pp. 368-70.

Jackson (no. 28), vicar of Bourne, Hugh Tuke (no. 55), rector of Silk Willoughby, both in Lincolnshire, Thomas Cotton (no. 117), rector of Laughton in Leicestershire, and John More (no. 126), rector of Knaptoft in the same county, were dealt with in the same way. Bradstreet, Jackson, and Tuke were still 'unconformable' in 1611. On 15 January, 1605-6, Henry Wilkinson (no. 98), rector of the first and second parts of Waddesdon, in Buckinghamshire, was, in hope of his conforming, granted to the end of the session of parliament "for better consideration." On 11 July, 1606, David Allen (no. 2), rector of Ludborough and Robert Atkinson (no. 6), vicar of Glentworth, both in Lincolnshire, alleged that they had not conformed and could not satisfy themselves therein, but they would endeavour to conform. They were still 'unconformable' in 1611. All the Lincolnshire men held their livings until their deaths, except Atkinson who resigned in 1626. The other three were still in possession of their respective benefices in 1614.

Sometimes those who were cited did not appear, or refused to answer, and were suspended or excommunicated for their contumacy; but, upon their subsequently appearing and swearing to obey the law and the orders of the Church, they were released or absolved. This oath did not commit them to conformity, but especially to obedience to the bishop's citation to appear in his court. A committee of the House of Commons, in 1606, charged the bishop with excommunicating Andrew Kinge (no. 86), curate of Chesham, in Buckinghamshire, for not appearing, though he knew that Kinge was then imprisoned in London. The bishop answered that he did not know about Kinge's imprisonment, and that, as soon as he was informed of it, he absolved him.<sup>2</sup> Kinge was one

of the militant puritans.

Those who conformed and subscribed soon after the Visitation held in August, 1604

		Linc. & Stow	Bedf.	Buck.	Hunt.	Leic.	Totals
	Conformed and	10	7	I	2		20
2.	Conformed and						
	presumably	 23				5	28
		-					
		33	7	I	2	5	48

Those cited to appear before the Bishop proceeding ex officio mero, from October, 1604, to 1606

	1004, 10 1000					
	Linc. & Stow	Bedf.	Buck.	Hunt.	Leic.	Totals
3. Conformed and subscribed	10	I	9		4	24
4. Conformed	10	I	I I	I	7	30
5. Conformed presumably -			I		7	8
6. Incumbents deprived -	2		2		4	8
7. Curates suspended -	1	2	3	2	I	9
8. Never conformed, but						
allowed to retain their						
benefices	5		1		2	8
Richard Chambers (no. 102),						
died 1606				1		1
Oliver Perkins (no. 105), de-						
prived for failing to pay						
tenths				I		I
Andrew King (no. 86), possibly						
suspended			I			I
			_			
	28	4	28	5	25	90
						-

<sup>1</sup> e.g. nos. 6, 71, 91, 102.

<sup>2</sup> below, pp. 370, 470,

Several conclusions emerge from the evidence relating to the diocese of Lincoln: (1) the number of those who were ejected from their benefices or offices was less than two per cent. of the whole clergy; (2) only those nonconformists who were factious and troublesome were deprived; (3) no one, after December, 1604, was ejected merely for refusing to subscribe to the articles specified in the thirty-sixth canon of 1604; (4) a few who were ejected were restored; (5) inexhaustible patience was shewn in the bishop's dealings with those who could not reconcile their conscience to the use of the surplice and of the sign of the cross in baptism; and (6) some clergymen who never conformed, but were godly and peaceable men, were allowed to retain their benefices; and, though they were necessarily presented from time to time as 'unconformable,' no further action was taken against them.

The number of ejections in the whole country has been very variously estimated. Burgess, writing to the king, said that "six or seauen hundred of the ablest ministers in the land are like to be put out1." His fears were certainly not realised. Seven hundred and fortysix as the number of the deprived ministers is mentioned by Urwick in Nonconformity in Cheshire (p. viii).<sup>2</sup> The number generally given in puritan accounts is from two hundred and seventy to three hundred. Dr S. R. Gardiner comes to the conclusion that about three hundred of the clergy were ejected.<sup>3</sup> This number is certainly too high. It was reported to the House of Commons, in 1606, that Bancroft replied to the charge of depriving three hundred, by alleging that only sixty, who were factious, had been deprived. Archbishop Spotiswood of Glasgow stated that he was told by Bancroft that when the rolls of those who were deposed were brought in, which was some years after, they were found to be forty-nine<sup>5</sup> in all England. Dr Usher searched the registers of institutions in the several dioceses, which shewed that forty-eight men were deprived. Eight of these were in the diocese of Lincoln, and this number is supported by the evidence of the bishop's court book. The evidence is more consistent with Bancroft's statement than with a number like two hundred and fifty or three hundred; and it is improbable that the archbishop should grossly understate the number of those who were deprived, seeing that it would have been easy for the puritans to produce evidence to prove him to be in the wrong. The Lincoln evidence at least amply confirms his statement that only those who were factious suffered deprivation.

On the other hand these documents shew that Bancroft's statements took no account of the unbeneficed clergy. The term 'deprivation' is inapplicable to them. A curate exercised his office by licence from the bishop, and this licence was granted during the bishop's pleasure. therefore, the bishop suspended him from exercising his office, it was equivalent to withdrawing his licence either temporarily or finally.

<sup>1</sup> Usher, Reconstruction, ii, 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Quoted by Usher, Reconstruction, ii, 4n, who points out that this is the number given in An Abridgment of the Book of the Lincolnshire Puritans of 1605, p. 52, of the preachers who before March, 1603-4, witnessed under their own handwriting their desire to petition for the removing of the ceremonies.

History of England, ii, 4-5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Usher, op. cit., ii. 4.
<sup>5</sup> History of the Church of Scotland, p. 479. quoted by Usher. loc. cit., ii, 3-4. Heylyn, Presbyterians, p. 376.

### A BRIEF OF GRIEVANCES, APRIL, 1606

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry, Misc. 1605-6/82. Foolscap, paper, 1 folio.)

The document printed at pages 469 and 470 was not discovered until

the text of this edition had been printed.

On 15 March, 1605-6, certain grievances were delivered in by Mr Fuller in the House of Commons, the first of which was "touching the restoring of deprived ministers," and a conference with the bishops was suggested. Sir Francis Hastings said that an ordinary way was to proceed by petition to the king for these things. Mr Wentworth spoke of the poverty of the ministers: "Many of them have ten children." Sir Nathaniel Bacon said that two hundred and sixty ministers were deprived: it was desired that they might preach again; and that there might no more any such course be taken by the bishops. On 5 April, 1606, the Commons asked for a conference with the Lords, who assented, but enquired for particulars; whereupon the Commons delivered the heads thus:

1. Touching the deprivation, suspension, and silencing of ministers.

2. Touching the multiplicity of ecclesiastical commissions.

3. Touching the form of citations.

4. Touching excommunications.

On 10 April, they appointed a committee of fifty-three persons for a conference with the Lords. Meanwhile, on 7 April, the Lords referred the four points to a committee, consisting of the archbishop, the bishops of London and Ely, and certain lay peers, with the lord chief justice and lord chief baron in attendance. On 8 April, the Lords appointed a committee of forty-four of their number, including the archbishop of Canterbury and fourteen bishops, with lawyers to attend them, in order that they might meet the committee of the Commons on Monday, 14 April, in the Painted Chamber near the Parliament. On 15 April, the archbishop related to the Lords what had passed at the conference the day before, and a further meeting with the committee of the Commons was arranged for the following Thursday in the Painted Chamber. The bishops were asked, in the meantime, to consider what answers should be On 17 April, in the forenoon, the archbishop made to the four articles. related to the house that the bishops recommended that the articles be handled by certain bishops:

1. The silencing of ministers, by the archbishop.

Concerning the multiplicity of commissions, by the bishops of Winchester and Exeter.

3. Touching citations, by the bishops of Bath and Wells, Carlisle, and Ely.

4. Concerning excommunication, by the bishops of St. Davids and Hereford,

with liberty reserved to the archbishop to speak upon any of the points. Also it was resolved that no decision should be taken at the conference about joining in a petition without reference to the upper house in full session.

On Saturday, 26 April, the archbishop gave notice that he would bring in a bill concerning excommunicated persons on the next Monday or Tuesday. On 1 and 5 May, there were further meetings of the

conference; and on the latter day a bill was brought into the upper house to establish the proceedings in ecclesiastical courts and to abolish sanctuary. On 8 May, the Lords resolved to meet the Commons again two days later. On 13 May, the proceedings at the conference were reported to the Commons, who, on 14 May, attended on the king with petitions relating to ministers and various ecclesiastical grievances. It is matter for regret that the reports to the two houses about the proceedings at the conferences are so fragmentary as to be almost unintelligible.

# MATERIAL FOR AN ANSWER TO THE BRIEF A.D. 1606

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry, Misc. 1605-6/83-6. Foolscap, paper, 8 folios. Printed below, pp. 363-371.)

This document was drawn up for the bishop of Lincoln for the purpose of furnishing evidence to answer the Brief of Grievances. It may be conjectured that its author was Dr Belley, the vicar general, or Francis Bullingham, the registrar. The particulars about deprivation and suspension are drawn almost entirely from the bishop's Court Book, 1602-1609, the evidence of which has been discussed above. The complaints about commissions, citations, and ecclesiastical courts touch upon large subjects which must be reserved for treatment upon another occasion.

### LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1607

(Lincoln Diocesan Registry. Foolscap, paper, 30 folios. Printed below, pp. 415-431.)

This *Liber* which has lately been transferred from the registry of the archdeacon of Leicester to the diocesan registry at Lincoln, relates to bishop Chaderton's last triennial visitation of the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow.

### The Episcopal Visitation, 1607

The bishop began the visitation in St. Paul's church, Bedford, on Friday, 17 July, 1607, and continued it at Dunstaple on 21 July. The archdeaconry of Buckingham was visited on 22-24 July, Huntingdon on 18 and 20 July, Leicester on 27 and 28 July, and Lincoln and Stow on 30 and 31 July and 3, 4, 6, and 14 August. The visitation articles are not known to exist. The comperta for the whole diocese, and the detectiones for part of Lincoln and Stow and Leicester are preserved in the diocesan registry. There are some cases of clerical nonconformity: David Allen (no. 2), Robert Atkinson (no. 6), Simon Bradstreet (no. 9), John Jackson (no. 28), Nicholas Larke (no. 31), Hugh Tuke (no. 55), Thomas Egerton (no. 81), Henry Wilkinson (no. 98), Thomas Cotton

4 These numbers refer to List II at the end of the Introduction.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Journals of the Houses of Lords and Commons. The present writer is indebted to Mr Sidney A. Peyton, Librarian of the University of Reading, who made copious extracts from these Journals, and to Mr Charles Clay, Librarian of the House of Lords, for searching the Papers of that House.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Ep. Vis. 1607.

<sup>3</sup> The distinction between the *comperta* or findings and the *detectiones* or presentments is explained above (p. xiv); but often it is impossible to see any difference of form between the two classes of entries.

(no. 117), and John More (no. 126) do not weare the surplice. Israel Tailour, vicar of Thornton Curtis, is presented because he refuses to wear the surplice at marriages and christenings, and often on the sabbath day, etc., and because he has not a cloak according to the canon. appears and says that their surplice is not sufficient, but later certifies that he wears it. Thomas Cave, minister of Ilston (*Weston*), co. Leicester, has never worn the surplice since he came there, though they have a good and sufficient one: he is admonished. Anthony Gray, clerk, of Arnesby, omits to wear the surplice in time of common prayer. At Radwell, they have a surplice, but what the minister has done with it they know not.4 At Stoke Poges, the master of the hospital, Randal Wade, has lately not received the communion with the vicar, but denies the charge, "and they doubte hee is neither conformable neither hathe hee subscribed"; whereupon the bishop refers the case to his official.<sup>5</sup> Benjamin Alexander, curate of Torksey, is presented for not reading the canons for twelve months, and omitting to read the litany on Wednesdays and Fridays, and also he has very seldom worn the surplice on the sabbath day since Candlemas last.6

James Greenwood, vicar of Scawby, who is presented for omitting services, and for sometimes not wearing the surplice, appeared before the bishop in his court at Buckden, 11 September, 1607, when the bishop enjoined him to reform, and certify before the feast of All Saints. A further charge against him, in connection with a sermon which he

preached at Torksey, was heard at the same time:

The office of my lord (dominus) against James Greenwood, clerk, vicar of Scalbye, presented (detectum) by the churchwardens of Torksev for callinge the parishoners there sinfull Sodomites for persecutinge the righteous Lot weh they had amongst them, weh wordes were vttered in his sermon there at such time as they presented Mr Alexander the curate ther to the L: B: of Lincoln,' and vpon that occasion as the hearers vnderstood yt: ... objecto articulo etc. fassus est that he did in his said sermon vse these wordes or the like in effecte viz. that this sodomiticall course of vexinge the godlie wth their vncleane conversacion ys practised by some in this towne: But not once thinkinge of those that presented Mr Alexander. Unde dominus iniunxit ei that he shall vpon some Sonday or holyday before the feaste of All Saintes nexte preache another sermon in the churche of Torksey aforesaid And there publicklie declare the wordes web he vttered in his said former sermon and acknowledge that he did not intend thereby anie waves to touche or grieve them that presented the said Mr Alexander nor thoughte of them And that yf he have anie waies offended them in delivering the said wordes he vs hartilie sorie for the same and hereof he shall certifie vnder the handes of the churchwardens there befor the said feast of All Saintes nexte (C., f. 118d.).

Some clergymen have offended against the seventy-fourth canon which prescribes decency of apparel, and expresses a hope "that in time newfangleness of apparel in some factious persons will die of itself." Ministers are to wear, inter alia square caps and, in their journeys, cloaks with sleeves, commonly called Priests' Cloaks, without guards, welts, long buttons, or cuts. They are not to wear any coif or wrought night-cap, but only plain night-caps of black silk, satin, or velvet. In their houses their apparel may not be cut or pinkt; and they are not

<sup>1</sup> f. 167.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> f. 74d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> f. 24.

<sup>4</sup> i. 20d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> f. 9d.

<sup>6</sup> f. 56d. 7 C., f. 118d.

to wear any light coloured stockings. These provisions are the ground of several presentments; and the fact that the bishop could take cognizance of these matters is an indication that the situation about the surplice was easier.

Covenham St. Bartholomew-Mr Burke, their minister, useth to travel

without his canonical cloak (ff. 43, 144).

Gainsborough—"The minister is in all thinges conformable, savinge they neuer saw him weare a cornerd cap or ride in a cloke with sleeues" (f. 52).

Swineshead—Mr Hudson, their minister, hath not a canonical cloak (f 108). Wickenby—Mr [George] Buddle, their minister, doth not wear his tippet and hood (f. 46).

Some entries relate to the laity:

### ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN AND STOW

Boston—Agnes wife of Thomas Williamson and Elizabeth wife of William Soresby, for being churched 31 July, 1607, without their veils. Their respective husbands confessed to the default, and the judge dismissed them; and warned the vicar not to church any women except in accordance with the Prayer Book (ff. 38d., 105).

Faldingworth-Edward Dawlinge, "the parishe clerke churched a woman after

her deliuerance of childe about a vere agoe" (f. 56).

Kirkby on Bain-The wife of Michael Wenchley for refusing to be churched

in the parish church, and for not frequenting it (f. 121).

Somercotes St. Peter—John Earesbie for not baptizing his child in the parish church (ff. 44, 153d.).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BEDFORD

Tempsford—"Clement Hales and his wief for not comminge to the churche and for havinge a child borne and not baptized in the churche there" (f. 6).

Woburn—" Henry Bell clarke for churchinge William Walbones wiel in William Astry his howse hee not beeinge the curat nor havinge leaue of him" (f. 7).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BUCKINGHAM

Iver—Nicholas Nell alias Neale "for standinge excommunicate theise 16, yeares and his child was baptized in my L: of Londons dioces the last of November alsoe

hee dothe keepe his wief from churchinge some 13. weekes (f. 9d.).

Lee—William Russell and Joyce his wife "for absentinge themselues altogether from their parishe churche for a yeare last past and (as the Churchwardens thinke) from all other churches for soe longe and the said Russell is commonly accounted and taken amonge his neighboures for a Brownist" (f. 13d.).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON

Hemel Hempstead—" Mr [blank] Scott their scholem teachinge in his owne house sayth that hee hathe a licence but hee is a minister and put to silence and lives as a laye man" (f. 22).

### ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER

Thornton and Bagworth—James Ware alias Farmer "for carryenge his child to bee christened in a boate to Stanton without the signe of the Crosse by Roberte Hargrane curate there" (f. 27)

Hargraue curate there" (f. 27).

Fenny Drayton—George Heard and George Pegge, the churchwardens, and eleven others "haue not receaved the communion at Easter last and the reason is

because they refuse to take the same kneeling" (f. 27).

Halloughton—"William Waldnam for practising surgery and phisicke without license for anie thinge they [the churchwardens] knowe." He did not appear

and my lord suspended him (ff. 30, 71d.).

Wymondham (Womandham)—"Richard Houghton scholmaister for commandinge his schollers to hang 2. nates hides in the churche to the annoyance therof, the said hides beinge newlie taken out of water." "The same for teachinge in the churche without leave and the churche is much hurte by it." He obtained a licence to teach there (f. 65).

Thurlaston—Thomas Wallen "for not receaving the communion these 2 yeares last past in their parishe but hath taken it at other parishes, the reason is because hee will not receaue it kneelinge." Wallen's wife Elizabeth; John Pyrkins and bis wife Helen and her mother; Agnes Wallen and Martha Bate, her daughter, and William Bradford and Nicholas, her servants; and Mr George Turvile and John Houkes, his servant, are presented for the like (f. 24).

Agnes Wallen "for goinge out of the parishe to bee deliuered of child because it should not bee baptized with the signe of the Crosse and not bee churched after

the booke of common prayer" (ibid.).

Market Harborough—"Robert Burbage for callinge Tho: Gowen minister of Greate Bowdon, Lowsie Roge, Cogging companion and scurvie Rascall and did challeng him to the feilde, and did lay waite for him, for vsinge the rites and ceremonies of the churche, as by proof it may appeare, And further hee saide hee would incense the parishioners of Great Bowdon againste their minister, which hee did indeede, and they expostulated of him therof, And also did call his minister puppie." He was suspended (ff. 30, 72).

There are also many cases of the lack of quarterly sermons, of curates and schoolmasters serving without a licence, of churches and chancels in disrepair, and of papist recusants<sup>1</sup>; also numerous presentments for not coming to church, and not receiving the Holy Communion, without any reasons being given.

### THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, A.D. 1607-8

The visitation was held in February, 1607-8, and April, 1608. The detections are preserved in the diocesan registry. David Allen (no. 2)², John Jackson (no. 28), Hugh Tuke (no. 55), and William Wood (no. 59) are again presented for not wearing the surplice. The churchwardens of Rowston "want a sufficient surplis," as do the churchwardens of Conisholme and Sutton St. Edmunds.<sup>3</sup> There are presentments about clerical apparel:

Somerby [by Grantham]—" Mr William Wood, parson for wearinge a wrought nightcap, . . . for omittinge to read the epistle and ghospell but when hee ministeres the sacrament neither dothe hee read the x. commandementes but when there is a communion"; also for not catechising. He appeared at Lincoln, 8 January, 1608-9, and alleged that he was not bound to answer because the premises were presented by one churchwarden only, nevertheless he says that he uses a wrought nightcap, not knowing it to be unlawful, which, if it be, he promises

reformation, and denies that the rest of the premises is true (f. 8).

Doddington [Pigot]—Richard Pollard, rector there, "for that he doth not weare a preistes cloake as by the Canon he is injoyed but weareth a russet cloake with a russet cape laced about with russet silke lace and other apparell not seemely for his calling as a doublet with a standing coller faced with crimson taffity." He was

cited, and twice failing to appear, was excommunicated (f. 46).

Ludford Magna—George Blanchard, vicar, for not wearing his canonical apparel. He refused to take the oath to answer truly, wherefore my lord (dominus) pronounced him contumacious, and suspended him. A few weeks later, he appeared and made oath, and was absolved and restored; and, because it was shewn to my lord that he had a new clerical and canonical cloak, he was dismissed (ff. 61d., 64).

Thornton Curtis—Mr Israel Tailer, vicar there, for not having a cloak, called 'preistcloake.' He appeared at Lincoln, and denied the objected article, saying that it was false; and having satisfied my lord that he now had 'penulam

clericalem,' was dismissed (89d.).

<sup>3</sup> ff. 30d., 120d., 203d.

<sup>1</sup> below, pp. ixxxii ff.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> These numbers refer to List II at the end of the Introduction.

The following cases of lay people have been noticed:

[Do]nington [in Holland]—" Edward Clifton for not commeing to churche and for having conventicles in his howse of men of other Cuntries." He did not appear and was excommunicated (f. 192d.).

Saleby-Ro: Wheelewright, late churchwarden, for not presenting a woman

whose child was never baptized (f. 141d.).

Thornton Curtis—Mary wife of John Marston "for not comeing to give thanckes after her delivery of her child." She did not appear, and was excommunicated (f. 90).

### LAY NONCONFORMITY

In addition to the quotations which have been made from the visitation books, a few entries with reference to lay nonconformity have been found in other sources in the diocesan registry:

Great Barkhamsted—" Elizabeth Hearne presented (detecta) for disturbing the Menester in baptising of a child in saieing that the childe should not be signed with the signe of the crosse." She was cited but did not appear and was excommunicated (Excommunications, 1602/1).

Grace and peace. St. I have received from your court an order to absolve one Mrs Aris of Chessham upon hir private acknowledgment of hir fa[ult] before me, our chuchewardens and six more with hir oathe to obey the lawes of the Chirche heareafter. The oathe she dothe sticke at; but dothe promise to lyve quietly in word and dede to hir power; and to obey the lawes so farr as she can. And she saith, she is sory that she did offend in withdrawing the child from the crosse in baptisme heare, or speaking any undewtifull wordes in that court; and will behave hirselfe more dewtefully heareafter. To this effect already she bath spoken to me, and is willing to declare the [sam]e before chirchewardens and others sixe howbeit because this answereth not the strictnes of your forme sett downe, I have thought good to signify unto yow what I finde; and to desire yow lett this be accepted; and the charges forgiven because of there poverty. And that ye wilbe pleased upon this acknowledgment to give power to Mr Saunders or me at Chessham or Amersam to publisshe hir absolution, which order under your hand I pray yow lett me receive for sufficient warrant, it weare pity the woman should stand out any longer, being nowe almost one yeare, for my part, I rest satisfied with this, if it please yow to accept it. Thus with my harty salutations I commend yow to the grace of god. Agmondesham. Novemb. 30, 1605.

Your assured lovinge frend, Ro: Chaloner,

St my mt would desire you to write an answer to Doctour Chaloner and to des[ire] him to trouble my mt any more with ... particular causes: for he is not able to answer him againe by writing Thus I Comitt you to god

Yours to Comaund Tho Marshall

Addressed: To the right worshipfull my very good frend  $M^r$  Doctour Belley give these (Misc., 1605-6/47).

Worpfull Sir. may it please you to vnderstand that my wife hath bene with Mr Doctour Challoner and hath so acknowledged her desire to be sorrowfull that any should be offended by her withdrawing the child from the crosse and that, from any vndutifull speech occasion should be taken by the court to proceed to such a censure against her and also for the time to come hath promised through the grace of god to walke so peaceably in her place, not meddling willingly where shee hath nothing to doe and in other mens matters not concerning her, that it hath pleased Mr Doctor whom the [? first] matter here, did more especially concerne then others to accept of her submission, and to rest satisfied Wherefore I beseech you be so good as to signific vnto Mr Doctor Challener (as I thinke his worp hath

requested) that it also through your favour shall satisfie you; so shall we be much holden vnto vour worp for vour kindnes and may it please god to enable vs [to] prove thankefull.

I desire your worp afford vs somewhat with speede from your owne hand vnto Mr Doctour Challoner that he may safely proceede to publish it which yet he deferreth expecting your worps pleasure. Chesham this December [1605].

> Yours worps so to vse Tho Aris

Addressed: To the worshipfull Mr Doctour Bellev give these at Huntington (Misc., 1605-6/73).

#### PAPIST RECUSANTS

The visitation books of detectiones and comperta begin in 1594 to include entries about papist recusants. A list of these entries is supplied It cannot claim to be complete because some, though probably not many, of the presentments for non-attendance at church and failure to receive the Holy Communion, without reasons being given, may refer to papists. Some of the books, too, are difficult to decipher, and further research is desirable. A few names of recusants have been obtained from the certificates of persons who stood excommunicate for more than forty days. These certificates were furnished to the bishop by his officers in order that they might be sent to the archbishop year Here, again, it is sometimes difficult to distinguish the papists from other nonconformists for, as the bishop complained to Randes in his letter of 28 December, 1601,1 the cause for which excommunication had been pronounced was often omitted. Randes' certificate<sup>2</sup> stands on a different footing, for it is a formal return of the names of papist recusants in the archdeaconry of Lincoln.

The recusants who were presented at the visitations were cited to appear on a subsequent day in the court of the visitor, whether bishop or archdeacon. Since they generally failed to obey the citation, they were excommunicated for their contumacy in failing to appear. They were then handed over to the secular power, and the writ de excommunicato capiendo was sued out against them. The lists in the diocesan registry include all persons who stood excommunicated for whatever cause. The number of names that they record is formidable. The document at Lambeth, referred to above, which contains the names of those who stood excommunicated in 1598, has about a thousand names for the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow alone. Some persons are entered twice or even thrice, but, after allowance has been made for this, the total is very large.

EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1594

See page xli above for five papist recusants.

EXCOMMUNICATE RECUSANTS, A.D. 1599

The names of papist recusants contained in a certificate of persons excommunicated for contumacy in not appearing before Thomas Randes, the bishop's commissary in the archdeaconry of Lincoln, dated 20 October, 1599.

<sup>1</sup> below.

<sup>2</sup> below, p. lxxxiv.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> p. xlii.

Orby—Christopher Eastwicke. Sixhill—Mrs Barbara Henneage.

Yarborough—Charles Yarbroughe, gentleman, George Yarbroughe, Alice Yarbroughe.

Bigby-Mrs Elizabeth Tirwhit, John Ashe, Charles [blank] and his wife,

widow Browne (Excommunications, 1599/1).

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At Bigby (f. 109d.), Claxby by Normanby (f. 115d.), Nettleton (f. 101), and

Thornton Curtis (f. 100d.) the churchwardens omitted to present recusants.

Nocton—John and Christopher Townley, Thomas Stones, Thomas Smyth, Matthew Dawson, Edward Henthorne, Richard Crabtree, Robert a cooper by trade, Gabriel a serving man, Annys Marche and Jone maidservantes, Margarie and Elizabeth Haddock, for being recusants and not coming to church—all excommunicated (f. 7).

Sixhill-Mistress Barbara Henneage-excommunicated (f. 118).

South Somercotes-The churchwardens there for not presenting recusants,

viz., the wife of Mr John Earsby there (f. 85).

Wrawby—the wife of John Townesend, yeoman—excommunicated (f. 109d).

Yarbrough—Charles Yarbroughe, gentleman, George Yarbroughe, and Anne Yarbroughe, his son and daughter, for recusants. On 21 March, 1600-1, having been cited they did not appear, and my lord (dominus) excommunicated them. On 31 March, 1601, at Louthe, appeared the said Charles, and craved the benefit of absolution. Whereupon, when he had been sworn, my lord absolved him. And to the objected article he alleged that "he dothe frequent the churche at Bullingbrooke where he nowe dwellethe and therof broughte a certificate vnder the handes of the parson of Bullingbrooke Geor. Fairfax gent. Nich. Hodgson and Robert Pottes churchwardens there and dothe entend to vse diligence herafter in vsing and frequenting the churche as becomethe a good christian not onlie the churche of Bullingbrooke but also the churche of Yarbroughe and also to receyve the hollie co'ion at Easter next ensewinge, and herof he is enioyned to exhibit a certificate super veritate premissorum vnder the handes of the parson and churchwardens there before the feaste of Easter next." He was dismissed (ff. 85d., 86).

The following letters from the Brown Book relate to papists:

Salutem in Christo yt will appeare vnto yow by an enclosed copie of the mooste reuerend father in god my verie good Lo: and brother the Archb: of Cant.' his G: lettres that yt ys intended there shalbe a presente proceedinge made againeste the excommunicate recusantes within my dioces. These therfore shalbe to require and charge yow that withall speede possyble yow doe certifie me in aucthentique forme vnder the seale of your office all the names surrnames addicions' and places of abode of all suche popishe recusantes as haue bene soe excommunicated and soe published and denounced in the parishes [sic] churches sithence the establishinge of the late ecclesiasticall constitucions by her mooste excellent Matie and that have and doe stande excommunicated aboue forty daies, that I may performe that dutie in suche sorte and in suche tyme as I are communded. Faile yow not herof as yow will answere the contrary at your perill. And soe willinge yow to returne a note vnder your hande by this bearer of the receipte of these my lettres with the copie enclosed with my harty com: I commytt yow to god. From Buckden in great haiste this xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of December 1600.

Your very Loving Freind W: Lincoln.'

Yow muste remember verlie together with your certificate of excommunicate persons to send also a copie to be sent my Lo; his Gr; of Cant.' for that the originalls are to remayne here for my warrante and discharge.

To Mr Randes my Commissarie in tharchdeaconryes of Lincoln and Stowe and to Mr Francys Bullingham and Mr Harrys my Registers there haste these speedylie

Recept.' 29. Decembr. 1600 per TR: (Brown Book, f. 159d.).

<sup>1</sup> i.e. the occupations to which they addict themselves.

### INTRODUCTION

A copy of my: Lo: Archb. letter

After my harty Comendacions vnto your Lop: These are to signifie vnto vow: that vppon my conference had with the righte honorable the Lo: keeper touchinge the excessive number of Recusantes which davley growe for that, that they are not dulie proceeded againste. It is thought [sic] and convenyent and soe his Lop: desireth that yow make auctenque forme vnder your Episcopall seall one certificate or significauit directed to her Matte containinge all the names surnames addictions and places of habitacions or common abode of all suche popishe recusantes as haue beene soe excommunicated and soe published and denounced in the parrishe Churches sythence the establishing of the late ecclesiasticall constitucions by her moste excelent Matte and that have and doe stande excommunicated aboue forty daies, praying her Mates wryte de excommunicato capiendo as in this behalf is requisit and in the lyke is accustomed and to send the same vnto me againest the beginning of the nexte terme to be deliuered vnto the Lo: keeper whoe will give further order for the sending out of writtes de excommunicatis capiendis againste those recusantes for their apprehension without anie further charge to vow or anie your officers: And soe pravenge your Lop; to be carefull and to vse speede herin I leave you to the tuicion of the Allmightie Lambethe this nynteenth day of December 1600

Your Loving brother in Christ Jo: CANTUAR:

Yow have neglected to send me certificate of excommunicate persons anno domini 1600 (ibid., f. 160).

### A copie of a certificate of popishe recusantes

Reuerendo in christo patri ac domino domino Willelmo prouidencia divina Lincoln' Episcopo Thomas Randes artium magister vester infra Archidiaconatum Lincoln' Commissarius omnimodam reuerenciam debitam et condignam cum honore paternitate vestre reverende tenore presentium notum facimus quod omnes et singuli quorum nomina et cognomina inferius subscribuntur nostro detecti fuerunt officio pro eo et ex eo quod divinis precibus infra hoc regnum Anglie publica auctoritate stabilitis interesse pertinaciter recusaverint vude nos rite et legitime procedentes dictos subscriptos omnes et singulos citari fecimus ad comparendum coram nobis ad certos diem et locum effluxos, quos nos, sic citatos, preconizatos diu et sufficienter expectatos et nullo modo comparentes pronunciavimus contumaces et in penam contumaciarum suarum huiusmodi eos et eorum quemlibet excommunicauimus in scriptis, Ac pro sic excommunicatis tam publice in facie seperabilium ecclesiarum suarum respectiue parochialium quam in ecclesia vestra cathedrali Lincoln' tempore divinorum iuxta constituciones in vltima synodo et convocacione per Reuerendissimum in christo patrem Cantuariensem Archiepiscopum aliosque Episcopos ac reliquum clerum Cantuariensis provincie in hac parte editas et prouisas denunciari fecimus. Quod que ii omnes et singuli per quadraginta dies et amplius post huiusmodi excommunicacionem et denunciacionem perseveraverunt et eorum quilibet respectiue perseverat, animis obduratis et pertinacibus iurisdiccionem ecclesiasticam, et morum eorum in premissis reformacionem nequiter contempnendo. Vestre igitur paternitati reuerende supplicamus quatenus ad personarum subscriptarum sic (vt prefertur) excommunicatarum et denunciatarum obstinaciam reprimendam Regie Majestati pro ipsorum corporum captione et incarceracione iuxta Regni sui Anglie consuetudinem hactenus in similibus vsitate, scribere dignemini cum favore. In cuius rei testimonium sigillum officii nostri presentibus apponi fecimus Datum vltimo die mensis Decembris Anno domini millesimo sexcentesimo.

#### NOMINA RECUSANTIUM

Magistram Eliz: Tirwhitt de Bigby, Johannem Ashe et Carolum Nevell et vxorem eiusdem de Bigby.

Effam vxorem Martini Cravener de Brigg parochie de Wrawby 'inholder.

Viduam Broune de Bigby, Jennettam Broune de Bigby, Magistram Barbariam vxorem Thome Hennege de Thixill generosi.

Cr'offerum Burr de Horncastle.

Margaretam vxorem Jo: Gregg de Dunesbie.

Magistram Broughton de Lednam.

Carolum Yarbroughe de Yarbroughe, armigerum, Georgium filium dicti Caroli, et Annam filiam dicti Caroli de Yarbroughe.

Edwardum Portington de Burnham parochie de Thornton iuxta Humber generosum.

Vxorem veteris Milner de Scawby (ibid., ff. 160d., 161).

#### CERTIFICATE OF THE COMMISSARY OF LEICESTER

Certificate of John Chippingdale, commissary of the archdeaconry of Leicester, dated 5 January, 1600-1, addressed to the bishop of Lincoln, of the names, addicions and places of habitation of all such recusants as were specified in the letters sent by the bishop, dated 23 December, 1600,1 as also the several days when they were decreed and denounced excommunicate:

Ashby Folville-Mistress Elizabeth Smithe, wife of Francis Smithe, esquire, was decreed excommunicate 10 December, 1588, and was denounced for an excommunicate 26 January, 1588-9.

Brentingby—Mistress Anne Smith, wife of George Smithe, esquire, was

decreed excommunicate 22 November, 1588, and denounced 8 December, 1588.

Humberstone—Mistress Margaret Bowes, wife of Richard Bowes, esquire, was decreed excommunicate 10 December, 1588, and denounced 6 January, 1588-9.

Kegworth—John Palmer of Kegworth, esquire, was decreed excommunicate 27 April, 1592, and denounced 14 May, 1592.

Orton on the Hill-Mistress Elizabeth Bradshawe, wife of Richard Bradshawe, gentleman, was decreed excommunicate 4 November, 1599, and denounced 9 February, 1599-1600.

Garthorpe—Robert Wymberley of Garthorpe, veoman, was decreed excommunicate 8 May, 1599, and denounced 28 May, 1599 (Excommunications, 1600/2).

### THE ARCHDEACON OF LINCOLN'S VISITATION, AD. 1600-1

Dunsby [by Bourne]-Margaret wife of John Gregg, husbandman, presented for standing excommunicate, for a manifest recusant (f. 127d.).

Sixhill-Mistress Barbara Henneg presented for a papist excommunicate

(f. 25).

#### EXCOMMUNICATE RECUSANTS

The names of recusants in a schedule of persons who stand excommunicate for divers offences. [Date query 1602].

### ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN AND STOW

#### DEANERY OF MANLAKE

Twigmore in the parish of Manton-Simon Cobebecke, gentleman, and Elizabeth his wife; Humfrey Couerdale, yeoman, and Margaret his wife; Jenet Healey, widow; Alice Heaward, spinster; Anthony Kendall, labourer, and Katherine his wife; Elizabeth Parker, widow; Margaret Smyth, widow; the wife of Michael Hudson, senior; Michael Hudson, junior, and Katherine his wife-for obstinately refusing to attend the public worship.

Scawbv—Richard Danbie, gentleman, and Alice his wife; William Harpham, yeoman; Thomas Shipley, yeoman, and Isabel his wife; Nicholas Younge, labourer; William Smyth, yeoman, and Katherine his wife—for obstinately

refusing to attend public worship.

#### DEANERY OF YARBOROUGH

Bigby-Emman Carrocke and his wife: Charles Browne and his wife; and Effam wife of Martin Gravener, yeoman-for obstinately refusing to attend divine worship.

<sup>1</sup> The letters were similar to those sent to Randes (above, p. lxxxiii).

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ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER
DEANERY OF SPARKENHOE

Orton on the Hill—Richard Bradshawe, gentleman, a recusant, pauper. Earl Shilton—the wife of John Martin, gentleman, a recusant of good ability<sup>1</sup> (Excommunications, 1602/1).

Thomas Randes was, it appears, often remiss in furnishing the names of recusants, and the bishop writes threatening him, in his own name and that of the archbishop, with unpleasant consequences:

Salutem in Christo: I have oftentymes wrytten ynto yow to sett downe in your certificate of excommunicates not onlie their names and surnames but their condicion and quallitie with the place where they dwell otherwise there can noe preces (which is nowe graunted to be gratis) be awarded for the againste them: Besides yow muste note in your certificate the speciall cause and grounde of your proceedinge againste them: For yt is to noe purpose to say propter eorum in non comparendo contumaciam, vnles yow doe specifie the precedent tearmes, as refusing to come to the churche or to be charged with incest, adulteries, or suche like grevious crymes. For there is noe reason to procure the wryte de excommunicato cæpiendo for euerie lighte and frivolus cause neither will vt be graunted in suche cases nor againste base and beggerlie folkes, which are not able when they are layde in pryson to aunswere the charges: Onlie thusemuche I would haue yow to make a note vppon suche base and begerlie persones as are moste dissolute and stubborne and doe moste harme by their outragious and lewde misdeameanours that some of them may be made example for others: Thuse muche is required by my L: his Gr: at my handes, whoe was greatly offended not onlie that the certificates were not sent vpp in due tyme accordinge to the Canons (which I have often wished might be before the feast of St Andrew verlie) but also for omyttinge the circumstances aforesaid which of necessvty are to be observed. There ys also great faulte founde, that those whoe haue been certified excommunicates hertofore are not still certified yerlie from tyme to tyme in manner and forme aforesaid vales they be evther dead or absolued by their conformytye yf they be recusantes, or by satisfieng the censures of the churche denounced uppon them for other consideracions. If yow neglecte your dutie in the premisses my Lo: his Gr: dothe mynde to sende for yow vp to answere your contempte and negligence herin in the begininge of the next tearme, for the avoydinge wherof, as alsoe to deliuer me from blame I pray yow be well aduised and carefull to performe his Gr : expectacion.

Furthermore these shalbe to lett yow understand that wheras certaine particuler persones in my dioces were charged in October last by virtue of her Mates lettres wryten to my verie good Lo: the Archb: of Cant' his Gr: uppon the soddaine to sett forthe certaine lighte horses sufficient and futt for her Mates service in Ireland, which they dutifully performed accordinglie. Nowe yt haith pleased his Gr: uppon their humble peticion that their mighten be relieved by the better sorte of their fellow ministers (which was alwaies intended) to wryte his lettres unto me for a contribucion to be presentlie collected in my dioces for the said purpose, according to a note inclosed which his G: haith allowed of.<sup>2</sup>

These therefore shalbe by virtue of his Gr: lettres aforesaid (a coppie wherof I will send yow er yt be longe by some convenient messenger) to require and charge yow out of hande to collecte or cause to be collected the said contribucion accordinge to the said note enclosed and to send the same to myself at Bugden (where I purpose god willinge to bee verie shortley) that I may dispose therof and make my accompte according to his Gr: direction Fayle yow not herof as yow will answere the contrarie at your perill yf eny man doe either refuse or make anie excuse or delaie to pay their taxacions, yow must certifie their names vnto me vnder your handes that I may send for them and take them bounde to appeare

<sup>1</sup> i.e. well able to pay the fine

<sup>2</sup> above p. xlvi ; below, List I.

before his Gr: to answere their contempte in that behalf. And soe not doubting of your paines and diligence in this behalf, seing yt concernethe her Mates honor and the good of vs all—with my hartie commendations desiringe a note from yow of the receipte of these my lettres I commytte yow to God. From my house in Longdiche neare Westminster in haist this xxviijth of December 1601.

Your verie Loving Freind W: Lincoln'

Althoughe there haith nothinge bene done againste recusantes as yet, that wilbe noe excuse for yow, but yow muste still continew in doeinge your dutie. Yow muste also sende a copie of your certificate examined etc. to remaine in my custodie, that I may knowe the state of my dioces, this I also haue often required at your handes, but yow the Register make as litle accompte therof, as yow doe of other my requestes and admonicions, for the due performinge wherof, if yow neglecte your dutie as yow haue done, I muste take suche a stricte course as will not please yow:

The aforementioned lettre was received by and at thandes of Arthure Jordaine the xij<sup>th</sup> daie of Januarie 1601 aboute iiij<sup>or</sup> of the clocke in thafter noone of the same day (Brown Book, ff. 162-3).

In a postscript of a letter to Randes about subsidies and light horse for Ireland, dated 24 January, 1601-2, the bishop says

Remember to sende me a generall true and formall certificate of the excommunicates before Ashwednesday next, vnless yow have a desyre to be sent for by a messenger, and to bring them your self vnto me which course I truste yow will prevente by your diligence and good discretion (Brown Book, f. 170d.).

### EPISCOPAL COURT BOOK, A.D. 1602-9

Christopher Askewe is reported to the bishop, 12 October, 1604, and admonished to attend him on the next Lord's day in the afternoon "for that his wife did harbor one Anne Tailer a recusant, being lawfullie discharged [sic] by the constables and churchwardens" (C., f. 70).

### LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1603

The returns of papist recusants in 1603, will be found below.¹ In the archdeaconries of Lincoln and Stow there were twenty men and nineteen women. At the bishop's visitation, a year later, the number presented for recusancy was about forty men and thirty-six women, including children and servants. The numbers in 1603 were furnished by the clergy when they appeared before Randes; while the names in 1604 were supplied by the churchwardens. The presentments in 1604, moreover, with respect to nonconformity and other breaches of church order are unusually exact. The presumption, therefore, is that the later return is the more likely to be correct.

## EPISCOPAL VISITATION, A.D. 1604

ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN AND STOW

Alvingham—Matthew Googe, gentleman, and Alice his wife, and Richard Kyffin, their servant, presented for recusants. The churchwardens omit to present one for teaching recusants' children at Mr Goge's house. They were enjoined to learn his name, and to present it at the next court. Later, it was found that Roger Gretton taught there, and he was thereupon licensed by Dr Belley (p. 102).

<sup>1</sup> pp. 443, 445.

Appleby with Santon and Thornholme-Robert Aske of Sainton, and Anne Darnell and Franc' Vavesor, of Thorneholme, for recusants (p. 174).

Barton St. Mary—Elizabeth Boyes, for a recusant. On 5 September, 1604,

she did not appear, and was suspended (p. 152).

Bigby with its members-Gervase Anne, gentleman; Robert Shierson, and Michael and Margaret his servants; Rose Mattens, servant; Charles Nevell alias Walker, and Elizabeth his wife; Jenet Brown, widow; Effam wife of Martin Gravener, and Mary daughter of the said Martin, for manifest recusants. They were suspended (p. 145).

John Gibson teaches recusant children without license. He did not appear,

and was suspended (p. 156).

Bracebridge—Henry Sapcote, esquire, Helen his wife, and Richard and Susan,

their servants, for popish recusants (p. 205).

Brackenborough—Richard Thimelbie and his wife, "for popish recusantes and for that they have had twoe children borne there which never were christened at their parishe churche" (p. 91).

Burton by Lincoln—[blank] Hall and his wife, Henry and Francis Hall, their sons, and their whole household are recusants (p. 195).

Conisholme—Tho: Googe, gentleman, and Anne his wife, for popish recusants

Croft—Francis Brokebancke, gentleman, "for a recusant and his wiel for not

rec' the communion at Easter last nor eny tyme sence " (p. 74). Dunsby [by Bourne]—Margaret wife of John Greg, for a recusant. She did

not appear, and was suspended (p. 7).

Dunston-Margaret wife of Richard Crabtree and [blank] Tirritt, for recusants (p. 203).

Hagworthingham—John Parker, for a recusant (p. 65).

Immingham-Ed' Portenton, gentleman, and his wife, for recusants. They

did not appear, and were suspended (p. 147).

Irnham—Jo: Thymelbie, esquire, and his wife for recusants. On 5 October, 1604, they were enjoined to confer with Mr Deane, and to make certificate of their conformity under Mr Deane's hand before the feast of the Purification (p. 27).

Manton with Twigmore—Humphrey Carwarden, Thomas Shiplaye, Hugh Cooke, Widow Elie, and Robert Elye, for recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (p. 183).

Messingham—Robert Turwhitt, gentleman, for a recusant. He did not appear,

and was suspended (p. 174).

Nocton-Christopher and John Townley, gentlemen; Robert Cooper; Gabriel Parkinson; Thomas Pagett; Matthew Dawson and his wife; Jane Rosse; Margaret Rosse; Richard Houghton, and Isabel his servant; Margery Haddocke, wife of Richard, and Hugh and Elizabeth Haddocke, their children; Cristabel Whitehead; and Thomas Smithe—for recusants (p. 204).

Scawby-Nicholas Younge and his wife, for recusants. They did not appear,

and were suspended (p. 178).

[Sixhill]—Barbara wife of Thomas Hennage, knight, for a recusant. She did not appear, and was suspended (p. 138).

Thornton [by Horncastle]—John Dymocke, for a recusant. He did not

appear, and was suspended (p. 63).

Wrawby-Mary Townsend, Mary Pierson, and a servant of Townsend, for recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (p. 144). The churchwardens omit to present at the visitation Anthony Saltmarshe and his wife and sister for recusants (p. 144).

Yarborough—Charles Yarbroughe, gentleman, and Agnes his daughter, for

recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (p. 92).

The relaxation of the penal laws led to a considerable increase in the number of recusants:

Salutem in Christo It appeareth by divers commissions directed vnto my self and other knightes and gentlemen of good accompte for inquirye of Recusantes their landes leases and goodes &c', within my dioces, that there be a greate number

of Recusantes more then have bene presented by the ministers or certified by my Officers which perhaps may procure vs some harde conceite when our certificates are compared with the Shedules annexed to the said commissions. For my owne parte I haue vsed those meanes for the discouery of them, that are prescribed by the Archbishopp of Canterburie his lettres, and yett ame noe whitte nearer that purpose: Many of the ministers (and I blame them not) are afrayed to presente, neither are they sworne soe to doe, and I have allwayes thoughte that to be a harde course, my officers goe noe further, then they receive intelligence from the ministers neither is there any reason to the contrarie other then for my private informacion, for if certificates should be made of those they mighte fall into danger divers waies if those whome they should certifie were not founde to be of that disposicion neither can I learne any thinge by any of my freindes for theire is noe man will become an accuser of his neighbours vnles he be verie mulicious or bee chardged uppon his oathe by authoritie, Onelve this remaineth, that yow take order according to my former directions that the recusantes be conferred withall; And if either they refuse conference, or be not reformed thereby, Then to call them before yow and to injoyne them to conforme themselves and certifie within a moneth following sub pena Juris, and afterwardes to excommunicate them if they doe not, and to cause the said excommunicacion to be denounced first in theire parishe churche and after in the cathedrall churche and then to certifie viito mee vnder your hand and seale of office theire names, surnames, condicions, and places of aboade, that I may signifie some of the cheife of them to the lorde Chancellor that my L: G: of Canterburie according to his promise may procure the writte De excommunicato capiendo to be taken forthe, and to be executed accordinglie, which his G: supposeth wilbee a meanes to drawe the Inferours to obedience. Bugden 4 . Augusti 1605.

Your very Loving freinde W: Lincoln':

To Mr Randes my Commissarie in the Archdeaconry of Lincoln' and Stowe at his house in Lincoln' give these: (Brown Book, ff. 204, 204d.).

On 14 July, 1603, the bishop of London, wrote to the bishop of Lincoln, enclosing letters from the archbishop and the privy council. The privy council, under the date 12 July, ordered the yearly observance of the 5th of August by public assembly, thanksgiving, and prayer in every parish church, cessation of work, and demonstrations of joy throughout England, in commemoration of the king's preservation from "that most wicked and horrible mischief" devised in the traitorous attempt of earl Gowrie and his brother and other accomplices against his person, as it was already ordered for the kingdom of Scotland by the parliament held at Edinburgh in November, 1600. The archbishop directed that there should be a sermon and service in every church, as there used to be on 17 November, in the late queen's reign. The following letters refer to the Gunpowder Plot and also to the Gowrie Conspiracy:

After my hartie commendacions to your Lop: I have received lettres from my Lo: grace of Cantterburie dated the 29th of this moneth of November whereby I am required that accordinge vnto the dutie of my place I doe forthwith imparte the same vnto your Lop: the tenor whereof followeth

Salutem in Christo. It is not vnknowne vnto your Lop: what a traiterous plott for the murtheringe of his matie: was laide by the Earle of Gowry and his brethren to haue beene put in execucion vppon a tewsday the 5t of August whilest his matie was in Scotland and howe miraculouslie his highnes being trained craftelie to the said Earle his house throughlie provided for such a mischif vpon the said tewseday it

<sup>1</sup> Brown Book, ff. 188-90.

pleased allmightie god of his infinitt mercie not onelie to deliuer his sacred personn from this danger but as an argument of godes wrathe against all traitours to caste bothe the Earle and his bretherne that day into the same gulphe of distruction which they had barbarouslie prepared against their soueraigne: Allso I am well assured that your Lop: hath harde of the neuer before hearde of villanie amongest the most savage miscreantes that euer the earth bare contrived by certaine gentlemen recusantes and popishe preistes to have beene putt in execucion vpon the tewsday beinge the fifte day of this instante moneth of November by gunpowder which they had laide secretlie vnder the vpper house of Parliament to have blowne vpp at one blast the kinge the queene the prince the Lordes and the cheif gentlemen of England knightes and bargesses of the lower house of Parliament all appointed to waite that day vppon his ma'tie in the said vper house and consequentlie by that one vnspeakeable acte to have overthrowne the trewe worshipp of god in this kingdome and to have made the whole lande a pray to forraigners and strangers: and how the holie goste did soe illuminate his matics harte and vnderstanding in the expoundinge of certaine darke speeches in a lettre written to a nobleman as that by his direction the gunpowder prepared as is aforesaid was discourred uppon the said Tewseday betwixt the houres of one and two of the clocke in the morneinge at what time allso a cheife traitor one Faulx that should have sett the gunpowder on fier was taken vppon whose examination some of the principall traytors beinge discouered god hath deliuered many of them together with theire complices and abetters into his maties handes In remembrance of all which infinite mercies of the allmightic extended soe plentifullie both towardes his church the kinges matie and this whole Iland of great Brittan it is his mates pleasure and commandement that as vppon the fift of August euery yeare (which is still to be continued) soe vppon the fifte of November there shallbe yearelie thankesgiving to our heavenlie father the mightie god of our salvacion for theis most wonderfull deliverance and mercies aforesaid: And not that onelve but in like manner as his matie hath hethertoe and soe still is resolued to sanctifie the remembrance of such the lordes most extraordinarie benefittes and mercies euery Tewsday with prayers and thankesgivinge in the publique congregacion: soe it is his highnes will and imutable direction that all those sermons which hetherto vsuallie haue beene accustomed to be preached in any cathedrall collegiat or parochiall churches throughout this realme either vppon the wednesdaies Frydayes or other daves in the weeke shall from hence forward be preached vpon the tewsdaies; and that the preachers in such their sermons shall from time to time still moue the people to praise and magnifie the name of god for all his said most infinitt mercies blessinges graces and benefittes beseechinge him through Jesus Christe to continue the same not onelie towardes his matie for his saftie but for the preservacion of the gospell amongest vs and good estate of this Iland with the rest of his mates dominions: considering that the inveterated malice of the Romishe broode is not yett asswaged but that they are verie likelie still to perseuer in their mischevous wicked desparte most irreligious and traiterous enterprises: which wee both by prayer and all other good meanes are carefullie and diligentlie as we are able to prevente Accordinglie therefore to this his mates direction pleasure and commandement I doe require your Lop: forthwith to give order throughout your whole dioces for the observacion of the premisses: not doubting of your diligence therein and likewise aduertiseinge yow that it is not his ma'ties will that the transelateinge of the sermons aforesaid to the tewesdaies shoulde preiudice or hinder the ordinarie and publique service of god weekelie vppon the wednesdaies or fridaies but that the same should be diligentlie continued and observed accordinge to the orders of the church and the

lawes of the realme in that behalf provided. There are two formes of prayers and thanckesgivinge to be vsed yearelie vppon the 5t of August and the 5t of November as is aforesaid that are allredie printed and which your Lop: is to take order for that every parishe may have one of them what I write vnto your Lop: herein I desire that accordinge to the dutie of your place yow doe forthwith imparte vnto the rest of the Bp's of my province as I myself will take like order for the advertiseing in manner and forme aboue specified of the Bp's of the province of Yorke and soe with my hartie commendacions vnto your good Lop: I committe yow vnto the tuicion of allmightie god. At Lambeth the 29th of November 1605

Your Lo'ps Lovinge brother: R: Cant';

I pray your Lo'pp to haue that care of the speedie putinge the same in execucion in all pointes which may be answereable vnto his matter expectation and pleasure herein signified and the rather bicause it is our speciall dutie in regarde of our place and callinge to shewe our selues most forward in this action of thankesgivinge that by our example all the people of the land may be incited to haue a sensuall feeleing of the incomparable goodnes of all mightie god in soe miracolouse deliverance of the whole realme from such a fearefull calamitie and accordinglie to shewe theire thankefullnes and power forth theire prayers and teares to the god of theire salvacion and strength that he may still preserue his matter the Queene the royall issue and this lande from the handes of our bloodthurstie enimies. And soe I committe your Lop: to godes holie protection At my pallace at London this [blank] day of [blank] 1605

Your Lo'ps Loving brother in christ

(Brown Book, ff. 205d.-207).

Ric. London:

Two certificates of conforming by papists may be quoted:

Wheras wee the Inhabitantes of Middlecleydon in the Comtie [of] Buc,' whose names are subscribed, abowt Middsommer was twelu[e] moneth, presented Mr Thomas Gifford of the parish and said Co[mtie] esqu[ire] for his recusancie before the Assise came, which followed anone after this presentment, he came to our church; Att the same Assise Sr Thomas Baynten enquyred of me, being parson of the parrish, whether Mr Gifford came to Church yea or noe: to whom I answered, he was on Sunday last att our Church and taryed all the tyme of dyuyne seruice: he sayd he was glad, so going vpp to my Lord, sayed he would signifie the same sinc which tyme he hath continued comming att the least twyse in a moneth sauing in a case of necessitie, which befell hym, by reason of a sore fall which he had vppon the ground, wherwith he was soe sore bruised, that wee despaired of recouery, a matter publiqu and well known this accident was the cause of his discontinuanc abowt 4, moneths: sinc he came and commeth as wee haue sett down before.

In wittness wherof wee haue subscribed our names

RICHARD ASKEW Rector:

his marcke + Thomas Milner then Churchmen

his marck + Thomas Leonard alias Hickes senior

his marck + Thomas Wheeler now churchmen
Henry Foscot constable his marck +

I dove knowe mastre Askew to be A Suffesient minister and prechar and doue beleve that he hayth wrytten to be trve

(Misc., 1605-6/52).

George Throkemorton
Tho: Denton

To the Reight Reverent father in God William by the grace of God Lo. Bishop of Lincolne.

Reight Reverent Father in God may it please y[our] Lo. to fevour this bearer Mr Thimblebie of Fulsby in the parish of Kirkbie super Baine in the Countie of Lincoln who heretofore being indited and convicted of recusancye, but it hath pleased allmighty God senc his comyng within my charge to open the dore of his harte and hath endued his vnderstanding with the truth of the gospell, where vpon he now is conformable vnto his maties lawe in that case provided Thus hauving satisfied his desire with possessing your Lo. with the truth of his conversion, where vpon the Churchwarden and I have setto our hands this xxxith of October. Anno Domini 1606. Thus desiring God to prosper all your Fatherly and vertuous proceedings we humbly take our leaves.

Your Lo. most dutifully to commaund GEORGE CLARK parson there. John + HARDYE Churchwarden

(Misc., 1605-6/53).

The writer of the following letter was probably a relative of Dr William Smith, the bishop's commissary and official in the archdeaconries of Bedford and Buckingham:

Salutem in Christo. According to the order which yow delivered [unto $^1$ ] mee which I send inclosed I have ordered the partie[s... $^1$ ] Mistris Penne, Mistris Fountaine, Mr Bettham and his wife after this sorte I have absolved theim from the sentence of Excommunicacion iniovning them to conforme themselves, in repayring to the Churche betwixt this and the annunciation, and to certific vnto mee theyrof, which Mr Bettham for himselfe and his wife hathe (as maie appeare vnto vow) performed alredie, and I doubt not but Mistris Penne and Mistris Fountaine will in time performe the like. Touching Mr East (as I have latlie written vnto vow) he standeth confined for his recusancy so that he can not repayre vnto my Lo: without licence whearfore I would desier you from hence forward to take notice of it that he be no more excommunicat,' having other punishment of greater consequence inflicted vppon him which he is resolved to beare so longe as he liveth, thoughe to his viter undoing. Nevertheles I have with nuche busines procured summe parte of his feese, which I praye yow to accept by this bearer, vi'zet xiijs, iiijd, and the apparitors fee boathe for him, and the rest are all satisfied by my Brother Claver, vi'zet for Mr Bettham iiijs for Mistris Penne vs. for Mistris Fountavne vs. and for Mr East and his wife vjs. viijd. I have besides sent yow for Mistris Penne vs. xd. for Mistris Fountayne xijs. vjd. and for Mr Betham and his wife vs. ijd. the whole for Mr East, Mistris Penne Mistris Fountaine Mr Betham and his wife is xxxvjs. xd. which vow shall receave by this bearer, the receipt whearof I praie vow certifie mee that they bee no more trubled. And so for this time in haste with my commendations to your selfe and your wife I committ yow to god. Ampthill this xxvth of Octo. 1605.

Your verie lovinge Frend JHON SMYTHE.

Addressed: To my verie lovinge Frend Mr Will'm Styrvpp at Buckden yeve theese (Misc., 1605-6/18).

### EPISCOPAL CERTIFICATES OF THE CONFORMITY OF RECUSANTS

Bishop Chaderton's register contains nineteen entries of the conformity of recusants. In each case it is stated that the person, being indicted for not attending divine service in his parish church, appeared personally before the bishop, in the chapel of his manor of Buckden, and attended service, staying reverently till it was ended; and that, afterwards, on his bended knees, he submitted himself to the bishop, and promised to continue his conformity for the rest of his life, and took the oath required by the statute of the third year of king James; and that the bishop, thereupon, granted him letters testimonial of his conformity. The names of those who conformed are:

<sup>1</sup> The document has been injured.

1605, Oct. 20 Ralph Astrie, of Harlington, co. Bedford, gentlemen, (Reg. xxx, f. 268d.).

1605-6, March 2 Francis Brookbanck, of Crofte, co. Lincoln (f. 278d.).

1606, Aug. 11 Edward Forsett, late of Billesby, and now of Earbye, co. Lincoln, gentleman (f. 288d.).

1606, Sept. 28 Richard Houghton, of Nocton, co. Lincoln, yeoman (f. 292d.).

1606, Oct. 8 Thomas Gifford, of Midelaidon, co. Buckingham, esquire (f. 293d.).

1606, Nov. 3 Richard Haddocke, of Nocton, co. Lincoln, husbandman (f. 294d.).

1606, Nov. 5 Richard Crabtree, of Dunston, co. Lincoln, husbandman (f. 294d.).

1606, Nov. 6 George Thimblebye, of Fullesbye, co. Lincoln, gentleman (f. 295).

1606, Nov. 14 William Charnells, of Snareston, co. Leicester, gentleman (f. 295).

1606-7, Jan. 26 Thomas Wimberley, of Garthropp, co. Leicester, yeoman (f. 299).

1606-7, Feb. 10 Robert Wimberlye, of the same, yeoman (f. 300).

1607, April 22 John Earesbye, of Southsomercotes, co. Lincoln, gentleman (f. 304).

1607, May 10 Humphrey Cowarden, of Twigmore, co. Lincoln (f. 304d).

1607, May 13 Richard Coles, of Olney, co. Buckingham (f. 305).

1607, May 16 Nicholas Gorson, of Thurcaston, co. Leicester, gentleman (f. 305d.).

1607, June 2 Edward Portington, of Imingham, co. Lincoln, gentleman (f. 306d.).

1607, Sept. 29 Geoffrey Littleburye, of Enderbye [probably Bag Enderby], co. Lincoln, gentleman (f. 314).

1607, Oct. 25 Ralph Hood, of Tetworth in the parish of Everton. co. Huntingdon (f. 315d.).

1607, Oct. 28 Thomas Wrighte, of Brantbroughton, co. Lincoln (f. 316).

The following documents refer to the execution of two Roman priests at Lincoln, and other matters:

William Smith the younger of Edlington in the county of Lyncolne housebandman did iustyfy and commend the death and cause of the death of two traiterous preistes (lately executed at Lyncolne) about the twentyth day of June 1605, affyrming that the sayd preists dyed not for treason, but for there conscience, and wished that he myght dye as they dved.

These wordes were spoken in the presence of me John Conyers of Thimolbie

The same Will'm Smith vpon mydsommer day last past in the night did say that he wehich held Justyfveation by fayth onely was an heriticke a divell and worse then a dyvell and further he sayd that a man might fullfill the commandement before god vnblameably for god had given him free will so to doe these wordes were spoken in the presence of me alledging for the fyrst St Jeames and for the second Zacharv and Elezabeth.

THOMAS OVERTON OF Carlton Parva.

I John Jackson of Saint Peters in Eastgate in Lincoln did heare the same wordes

The said Will'm Smythe hath menteyned the carnall eatinge of the body of Chryst in the Sacrament vouching for his warrant I Cor: 11. also hee hath menteyned an ability in man to fulfill the Commaundementes youchinge as aforesaid Luke i lastly hee hath denyed predestination. Thus much I must affirme vf I hereafter bee therevnto called by course of Lawe.

рег те Јон'ем Егтон. Edw. Turner Bach. of Arte, and V. of Edlington. d' [sic]. Hornecastle. presented these Articles. Nov. 27. 1606.

EDWARD TURNER.

Endorsed: November. 27. 1606. Informacions againste Will'm Smyth the yonger of Edlington in the Countye of Lincoln' husbandman (Misc., 1605-6/51).

My duty most humbly remembred May it please your good Lordship to viderstand that about the eight day of this instant december I delyuered vinto William Smith the younger of Edlington the letter which I received from your Honor, and that withall readynes I shall attend at your Lordships appointment to to [sic] informe further against the savd Smith for his vnreuerent behaviour in the Church and for his syn of adultery with one Mary Higgles for which offenc the congregation is in noe part satisfyed, I humbly beseech your good Lordpp to consider the hurt he doth in gods church, and his malitious practise against [?me] who to dryue me the towne (for so he sayth he will doe), hath procured by himselfe and his freinds who combyne with him nyne seuerall actions against me, one for that I sayd that he was noe good subject because he maynetayneth doctrynes of popery, and refused to joyne himselfe with the congregation to give god thankes for his matys preservation from the late intended gunpowder treason, according to your Lordps dyrection in that case the other actions are for small trespasses by escape of cattell which I offred to satisfy for: and besyds these ceasseth not to say that he will have vet three or foure score other such like to weary me withall and I beseech your Lordship to vouchsafe vnto me a poore preacher your honorable favour, and ayde that I may be vnburdened of such an heavy aduersary and he may be justly punished that others may feare And thus, in all duty I most humbly take my leaue, From Edlington the 10th day of Decemb.

> Your Honors in all humble duty ED: TURNER.

(ibid., 1605-6/50).

### Episcopal Visitation, a.d. 1607 ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN AND STOW

Bottesford-Elizabeth Shawe; Sir W. Babthorpe, knight, and Dame Ursula his wife; William Babthorpe and his wife; Dorothy Rusham; Alice Rainforthe; Rowland Freeman, gentleman, and Vrsula his wife; Anthony Elecker; Richard Heley, presented for recusants (f. 50).

Little Bytham—Sara wife of Richard Haddon, for a recusant. She was

suspended (f. 89d.).

Claypole—Richard Mercer and Ann his wife (ff. 33, 85d.).

Conisholme-Mr Thomas Gouges and his wife, for popish recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (ff. 44, 153).

Dunsby [by Bourne]—Margaret wife of John Gregge, for a recusant (f. 34d.).

Fiskerton—Helen wife of Henry Pawson is a recusant (f. 56). Fotherby—Elizabeth and Mary Clifford, and Mary Thompson, for recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (ff. 44d., 155d.).

Lincoln, St. Paul's in the Bail-Mr Bounten and his wife "are accompted

popish recusants and come not to their churche" (f. 54).

Louth prebend—Dame Elizabeth Bolle and a certain Margaret her handmaid

are recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (ff. 44d., 155).

Manton-[blank] Henlowe, widow; Laurence Craven and his wife; the wife of Humphrey Cardon; the wife of Thomas Shipley; Hugh Cooke and his wife; Roger Gibson and his wife; Richard Yonge and his wife; and Thomas Yonge, their son, for popish recusants (f. 50).

Messingham-Mr John Constable and Elizabeth his wife; Ursula wife of Marmaduke Doman; Frances Hodgson-for recusants. They did not appear, and were suspended (ff. 49d., 173d.).

Saltfleetby St. Peter-The wife of Thomas Gilbie, gentleman, for an obstinate

recusant (f. 44).

Skirbeck-John Tailour, "for a manifest and knowen recusant and so commonlie reputed and taken, and for standing excommunicate this xij months and more, and hee is a seducer (as it is thought) to drawe others to his acquaintance to holde a papisticall opinion and a great favourer of that secte.' "On 20 January, 1607-8, being cited, he appeared; and to the objected article negat nisi that he is excommunicate and notwithstandinge he comethe to the churche. Vnde dominus monuit eum ad procurandum absolucionem et certificandum in proximo." On 16 March, 1607-8 being preconized, etc., [he did not appear], and was suspended (ff. 38d., 105d.).

[query Stamford]—Sara wife of Richard Haddon, for a recusant (f. 33d.).

Stixwould—Elizabeth Kilbeck, for a recusant (ff. 41, 122d.).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BEDFORD

Ampthill—Thomas Burges and his wife, for recusants (f. 7).

Bedford St. Mary—Richard Yarrowe, for a popish recusant (f. 3d.). Harlington—Elizabeth Anstry, widow, Thomas Harris and his wife, and

George Mause and his wife, for recusants (f. 6d.).

Roxton-Mr Roger Hunt; Mr Thomas Hunt and Rose his wife, and Joan Hunt his sister, and Joan Wright, his servant-for recusants. Mrs Leake wife of Thomas Leake in Chasonn [Chawston] in the parish of Roxton and Robert Waterfeild, for recusants (f. 5d.).

Westoning-Anne the wife of Henry Pickup, and Dorothy the wife of Thomas

Taylor, for recusants (f. 6d.).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BUCKINGHAM

Beaconsfield—"Thomas the younger musicion whose sirname they knowe

'' for a recusant (f. 9).

Bledlow-Edward East and Cicily his wife; the wife of Thomas Hale, gentleman; and the wife of Christopher Higges; "for recusants which will not comme to the Churche" (f. 13d.).

Clifton Raynes-John Price and Margaret his wife, for recusants (f. 16d.).

Drayton Parsloe-Thomas Hall, gentleman, "for a recusant whoe is cited for

it to the Court" (f. 10d.).

Hanslope-Robert Parratt, "for very negligent or seldomme comminge to his parishe church whereby hee givethe vehement suspicion that hee is inclined to Popishe Religion. Mary wife of Alexander Throughton, gentleman, for obstinate recusancy (f. 16).

Newport Pannell—Magdalen wife of Andrew Smithe "is a recusant and soe hath beene. 3, yeres and more" (f. 16).

William Harrison, "a recusant and hathe absented himself from theire churche euer since Allhalloutide last" (f. 16).

Olney—Isabell Could and Jeas Bones, for recusants (f. 16). Wing—John Dennett and Mary his wife; Henry Barker and Sibell his wife, and Dorothy his daughter; Isabell Cristenmas; Mrs Dorothy Digby; Dorothy Clarke alias Carter; Elizabethe Mayes; and Elizabeth Downes; for absolute recusants (f. 11d.).

### ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON

Everton-Mrs Vrsula Mordant, Mrs Anne Hale, Mr John Hale, and Alice wife of Thomas Hale, for recusants (f. 18).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER

Kegworth-John Palmer, gentleman, and Margery Bamford, his servant, for

Thurlaston-Mrs Anne Turvile wife of Mr George Turvile, for a recusant

(f. 24).

### Archidiaconal Visitation, Lincoln, a.d. 1607-8

Blankney—Dame Elizabeth Thorold, for a recusant and not communicating. She was excommunicated (f. 45).

Little Bytham-Sarah Hadon, presented for a popish recusant. She was

excommunicated (f. 11).

Dunsby [by Bourne]—Margaret wife of John Gregge, " for a popeish recusant as she hath beene theis. 12. yeares last." She was excommunicated (f. 28). Fotherby—Mrs Elizabeth Clifford, Mary her daughter, and Mary Thompson,

for popish recusants. They were excommunicated (f. 113d.).

Horkstow-Margaret wife of Christopher Dorell, gentleman, for a recusant. She was excommunicated (f. 104).

Immingham—Mrs Elizabeth Portington, and Anne and Jane her servants, for popish recusants. They were excommunicated (f. 90).

William Milson and Richard Allanby, churchwardens, "for not presentinge Edward Portington, gen[tleman] whoe did not receaue the communion the last Easter and [he] had a child borne the last yeare in the sayd parishe which was not christened in the parishe churche nor any where els for ought that is knowne, for their were many weomen of the parishe at the birthe but none at the christeninge" (f. 96d.).

Irnham—Mr John Thimbleby and his wife, for popish recusants (f. 10).

Kirkby on Bain-Elizabeth wife of Michael Wensley, for a recusant. She was excommunicated (f. 158).

Saltfleetby St. Peter—Mrs Gilby, for a popish recusant (f. 113d.).

Sixhill- Dame Barbara Henneage, for a recusant. She was excommunicated

South Somercotes-Susan wife of John Earesby, gentleman, for a recusant.

She was excommunicated (f. 118).

Stamford St. Mary—Helen Carrington, "for absentinge her self from divine service beeinge taken for a popishe recusant." She was excommunicated (f. 12).

Stixwould—Elizabeth Kelbecke, for a recusant. She was excommunicated

(f. 152).

Welton [le Marsh]—Mrs Feshed, for a recusant. She was excommunicated (f. 170).

Wragby-Anthony Saltmarsh and his wife, for popish recusants. They were excommunicated (f. 62).

Bishop Chaderton died 11 April, 1608, at Southoe, about a mile from Buckden, in Huntingdonshire, where he had been living because the episcopal residence at Buckden was in disrepair. He was buried the next day in the chancel of Southoe parish church. It fell to his lot to enforce obedience to the canons of 1604, and in this difficult task he acted with wisdom and restraint, using the methods of persuasion and conciliation. When there was any hope of eventual conformity, and sometimes even when there was none, he refrained from extreme measures. Eight incumbents were deprived and nine curates suspended out of a total of about eleven hundred and eighty clergymen in the The general policy, indeed, was not Chaderton's, but was laid down by the king, the privy council, and the bishops, Bancroft being the person who had the largest share in shaping it. Only a few dreamers, men in advance of their time, had then conceived the idea of religious liberty and toleration; and, that being so, it is remarkable that so few of the nonconformists were deprived. But few as the deprivations were, they gave rise to a loud chorus of complaint that a large number of the most godly and most learned ministers had been silenced. The time was not far distant when power was to pass from the Church to the hands of the puritans, and the methods of the Church at the beginning of James' reign, as illustrated by the documents of the diocese of Lincoln, will bear favourable comparison with those of the puritans in the reign of his son.

### LIST No. I

The Names of "The Better Sort" of Ministers, who were required to contribute for the provision of Light Horse for Ireland, A.D. 1601-2

(Brown Book, ff. 163-168. See above, p. xlvi.)

[blank], r. of Algarkirk, 20s.
[vacat]
Adams Rich, r of Binbrook St.

Adams, Rich., r. of Binbrook St. Mary, 5s.

Aiscough, Hen., r. of Blyborough,

Aiskew, John, r. of Ropsley, 5s. Allen, David, r. of Ludborough,

—, Rob, v. of Ashby Puerorum,

5s., and r. of Somersby, 5s.

—, Samuel, r. of Fulletby, 15s.

Walter, r. of Withcall, 10s.

Andrew, Wm, r. of Swallow, 5s. Archpole, Edw., preb. of North Kelsey, 10s

Ashton, Jas, v. of Moulton, 20s.

Atkinson, Tho., r. of Barnoldby, 10s.

Atterton, Tho., v. of Pinchbeck, 10s.

Bagley, Balgaie, Paul, r. of Swaby,

Baines, Rich., r. of Waltham, 10s. Baldwin, Bawdine, John, v. of Crowle, 5s.

Bancrofte, Jas, r. of South Willingham, 5s.

Barnes, John, r. of Bassingham,

Bartholmew, Rich., r. of Gayton le Wold, 5s.

Batty, Edm., r. of Barkston, 5s. Bawtree, Rob., r. of Somerby by

Grantham and v. of Heydour, 20s.

Bedford, Amos, r. of Potter Hanworth, 10s.

Bewett, Gabriel, r. of Harrington, 5s., and r. of Hatton, 10s.

Bilclif, Geo., r. of South Kelsey St. Nicholas and r. of Toft with Newton, 20s.

—, Hugh, r. of Benniworth, 10s. —, Tho., r. of Normanby le Wold, 5s.

Billingsley, Wm, r. of Gayton le Marsh, 10s

Blackborne, Anthony, r. of Bag Enderby, 10s.

Bownell, Mardocheus, r. of Linwood, 10s.

Britton, Bryttaine, Pet., r. of Ludford Parva, 10s.

—, Brytten, Stephen, r. of Benington in Holland, 30s.

Bromley, Brumley, Hen., r. of Stubton, 5s.

Browne, Broune, Hugh, r. of Washingborough, 20s.

—, Humph., r. of Flixborough, 5s.

—, Matthew, r. of Stainby, 5s. Buck, Wm, r. of Covenham St.

Bartholomew, 10s. Buckberrie, Rob., r. of Dowsby,

5s. Burton, Brian, r. of Langton by

Partney, 10s. Butler, Tho., v. of Bicker, 10s.

Buttrie, Simon, r. of West Allington and deacon of Sedgebrook, 10s,

Calverley, Caverley, Ralph, r. of Harlaxton and r. of Wyberton, 30s. Carrington, Rich., v. of Swaton, 5s.

Chadwick, John, r. of Faldingworth, 10s.

Chapman, Chris., r. of East Torrington, 5s.

Clarke, John, r. of Ingoldmells, 5s.

\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, r. of Laceby, 15s. [\_\_\_\_, Tho.,¹] Key, Francis, v. of Sutton [in Holland], 3os.

Cockborne, Geo., r. of Greetham and r. of Low Toynton, 10s.

Collingwood, Rob., r. of two parts and of the third part of Rippingale, 20s.

Colsell, Wm, r. of Market Deeping and r. of Bloxholme, 20s.

Conyers, John, r. of Thimbleby and r. of Belchford, 30s.

Cooke, Alex., v. of Burgh in the Marsh, 10s.

Cooper, John, r. of Scotton, 30s. Corey, Tho., r. of Mareham le

Fen, 10s. Cotes, Wm, r. of South Somer-

cotes, 10s. Coxon, Hamond, r. of Skegness,

Crosfeild, Martin, r. of the south part of Claypole, 10s.

Dale, Dailes, Cuthbert, r. of Branston, 15s.

—, Dayle, Robert, r. of Grimoldby, 10s.

Dawbney, John, r. of Scotter, 20s. Day, John, r. of Gedney, 10s.

Devias, John, r. of Boultham, 5s.

——, Deves, Rob., r. of Candlesby,

Downes, John, r. of Lusby and r. of Manby, 30s.

Dye, Wm, v. of Skidbrook, 10s. Elyott, Eliott, Rob., v. of Sutterton, 15s.

Farmery, Wm, r. of Springthorpe and r. of Heapham, 20s.

Fell, Tho., r. of Tydd St. Mary,

Field. Wm, r. of Stainton le Vale and Thorganby, 10s.

Fisher, John, r. of Ingoldsby, 10s. Forman, Rich., r. of West Halton,

Great Coates, 30s. Tho.], r. of

Foster, Hen., r. of Wainfleet All Saints, 5s.

----, Rich., r. of Scremby and v. of Skendleby, 40s.

Fowler, Tho., r. of Sausthorpe, 10s.

Freckingam, Clement, v. of Whaplode, 10s.

Gace, Rich., v. of Ancaster and v. of Honington, 10s.

Gamon, Geo., r. of Newton in Aveland, 5s.

Garland, John, r. of Willingham by Stow, 10s.

Garthwate, Miles, r. of Fulbeck, 15s.

Gee, Alex., r. of Thorpe on the Hill and v. of Aubourn, 10s.

Gelstropp, Francis, r. of Great Ponton, 10s.

Gibson, Rob., r. of Sedgebrook, 10s.

Glenn, Wm, r. of Evedon, 5s. Gonnas, Francis, r. of Ulceby by

Alford, 10s.

Green, John, r. of Swinhope, 5s. —, Rich., r. of Asterby, 10s.

—, Tho., r. of Wilksby and v. of Thornton by Horncastle, 10s.

Gregg, Hamlet, r. of Sotby, 5s.

Griffith, Griffetes, Jas, r. of Little Ponton and r. of Kirkby Underwood, 20s.

Hambie, Allen, r. of Navenby, 15s. Hamond, Geo., r. of Althorpe, 15s.

Hanson, Jas, r. of Stroxton, 10s.

—, John, r. of Irnham and preb.

of Nassington, 15s.

—, Rob., r. of Cuxwold and v. of Cabourn, 10s.

<sup>1</sup> Interlineated. Clarke succeeded Key in 1601.

Harryman, Gawine, r. of Brace-borough, 5s.

Hatcliffe, David, r. of Thoresway,

Hawford, Rob., r. of Haceby, 5s. Haworth, Hawarth, Michael, r. of Skinnand, 5s.

Herde, John, r. of Riseholme and v. of Bishop Norton, 10s.

Heron, Hiron, Wm, r. of Hemingby, 10s.

Hodgkin, Hochkine, Wm, r. of Colsterworth, 10s.

Holden, Houlden, Martin, r. of Driby and r. of Sutterby, 20s.

Holdesworth, Hen., r. of Brauncewell, 5s.

Hollinghedge, Rob., v. of Horn-castle, 5s.

[Hollingworth, Hollingsworthe, Jas.<sup>1</sup>], Pattinson, John, r. of Trusthorpe, 10s.

Hooke, Hen., r. of Nettleton, ros. Huddlestone, Geo, r. of Burton by Lincoln, vicar choral at Lincoln, and preb. of Lafford, 40s.

Hudleston, Tristram, r. of Mablethorpe St. Peter, 10s.

Ingoldsby, Ingolsby, Anthony, r. of Fishtoft, 15s.

Jackson, Geo., r. of the north part of East Keal, and r. of West Keal, 30s.

Jegon, John, r. of Beckingham, 20s.

Johnson, Jonson, John, r. of Yarborough, 5s.

Kent, Tho., r. of Donington on Bain, 10s. Kettlewell, Ketlewell, Francis, r.

of Beelsby, 5s.
Lange Rich r of Leadenham

Lange, Rich., r. of Leadenham, 15s.

Langley, Tho., r. of Irby upon Humber, 15s.

Larke, Nich., r. of Waddingworth,

Lathwett, Lathwate, Wm, r. of Anderby and r. of Little Carlton, 10s. Leache, Hen., r. of Biscathorpe,

Leake, Tho., r. of Aswardby, 5s. Leonarde, Tho, r. of Saltfleetby All Saints, 10s.

Lever, Laver, Ralph, r. of Ruckland, 5s.

Lilley, Edm., r. of Fillingham, 20s. Lime, Lyme, Simon, r. of Authorpe, 10s.

Lounde, Wm, r. of Blankney, 10s.

Luddington, Lodington, Hen., r. of Brattleby, 5s.

—, Stephen, v. of the north part of Grantham, 10s.

Maddison, Nich., r. of Withern, 10s.

Mapletofte, Hugh, r. of North Thoresby, 10s.

—, Wm, r. of Pickworth, 5s. Marshall, Hamlet, v. of Legsby and v. of Stainton by Langworth, 10s.

Martin, Hen., r. of Maltby le Marsh, 10s.

Mason, Wm, r. of South Kelsey St. Mary, 5s.

Massie, Rich., r. of Epworth, 30s. Mennyes, Minzeis, John, r. of Swayfield, 5s.

Metcalf, Roger, r. of Mavis Enderby, 10s.

Miles, Wm, r. of South Thoresby, 5s.

Moody, Hugh, r. of Brigsley, 5s. Moore, More, Rich., r. of Normanton, 5s.

Morris, John, r. of the north part of Leasingham, 5s.

Morton, Wm, r. of Hawerby, 5s. Mumby, Mombie. Tho., r. of

Wyham, 5s. Nelson, Hen., r of Hougham, 15s. Newland, John, v. of Haxey, 15s.

—, Tho., v. of Gedney, 15s.
Nokes, Noake, Tho., r. of the
south part of Leasingham, 5s.
Oresby, Tho., r. of Brinkhill, 5s.

Oresby, Tho., r. of Brinkhill, 5s. Parker, Wm, r. of Cumberworth, 5s.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Interlineated. He succeeded Pattinson in 1599.

Peacham, Hen., r. of the north and south parts of Leverton, 20s.

Phillipps, Rob., r. of Salmonby,

Pike, Piek, Geo., v. of Donington in Holland, 15s.

Pilkington, Tho., r. of Wold Newton, 10s.

Pointell, Wm, r. of Carlton Scroop, 5s.

Pollard, Wm, r. of Burton Coggles, 30s.

Porter, Rich., r. of Conisholme, 10s.

Pratt, John, r. of Skirbeck and r. of Belton by Grantham and preb. of Farrendon, 40s.

Preston, Rich., r. of West Bark-with, 10s.

Price, Meredith, r. of Stickney, 5s.

Prigeon, Pridgen, Francis, r. of Boothby Graffoe, 5s.

Rainbowe, Tho., v. of Blyton, 5s. Richardson, John, r. of Gunby St. Nicholas, 5s.

—, Rich., r of Saxby upon Humber, 5s.

Rushton, Matthew, v. of Hough on the Hill, 10s.

Russell, Tho., r. of South Hykeham and v. of Bassingthorpe, 15s.

Sadler, Libeus, r. of Willoughby in the Marsh, 10s.

Salmon, Edw., r of Partney, 5s.

—, John, r. of Haltham on Bain, 20s.

Saunders, Saundes, John, r. of North Witham, 5s.

Sharrock, Hen., v. of Long Bennington, 10s.

Shaw, Rob., r. of Spridlington,

Shepherd, Shepperd, Walter, r. of Panton, 10s.

Silvester, Geo., r. of Winceby, 10s.

—, John, r. of Bigby, 10s.

Simons, Symondes, Wm, r. of Halton Holegate and r. of Theddlethorpe St. Helen, 30s. Skelton, Wm, r. of East Barkwith and r. of Coningsby, 20s.

Smith, Benedict, r. of South Witham, 5s.

—, Giles, r. of Scampton, 5s.—, Rob., r. of Beesby in the Marsh, 5s

Snowden, Snawdon, Rich., r. of Stamford St. George and r. of Stamford St. John, 5s.

Southiack, Southwick, Alex., r. of Waddington, 30s.

Southouse, Sowthose, John, preb. of Asgarby [by Spilsby], 5s.

Sparke, Tho., preb. of Sutton le Marsh, 10s.

Spinks, Spinckes, Edw., r. of Walesby, 20s.

Stockham, Stocham, Tho., r. of West Rasen, 10s.

Stubbes, John, r. of Little Steeping, 10s.

Sugar, Nich., r. of Ashby by Fenby, 10s.

Tansey, Tanzey, Theodore, r. of Horsington, and r. of Hagworthingham, 20s.

Taylor, Tailor, Rich, v. of Corringham and preb. of Corringham, 20s.

——, Rob., r. of Somerby by Bigby and r. of Gautby, 10s. Thornell, Rich., r. of Calcethorpe,

5s.
Thornton, Jas, r. of Barrowby and r. of Woolsthorpe, 3os.

Thorold, Tho., r. of Caythorpe, 10s Throckmorton, Throgmorton, Raphael, r. of Bolingbroke, 5s. Tomlinson, Rich., r. of Dembleby,

Townerowe, Tho., r. of the north

part of Claypole, 10s. Trigg, Francis, r. of Welbourn,

ios.

Tuckney, Wm, v. of Kirton in Holland, 10s.

Tuke, Hugh, r. of Silk Willoughby, 10s.

Turpyn, Rich., r. of the south part of Toynton St. Peter and v. of Friskney, 30s.

Ustwayte, Edw., r. of Miningsby, 5s.

Vaughan, Francis, r. of Bilsby, 5s.

Veale, Tho., r. of Mablethorpe St. Mary, 10s.

Waddeson, Leonard, v. of Barton upon Humber, 5s.

Walker, Nich., v. of the south

part of Grantham, 10s., and r. of North Stoke, 10s.

Walpoole, Walpoll, Theodore, r. of Lea and r. of Gate Burton,

Warde, Ambrose, r. of Boothby Pagnell, 5s.

Waters, Oliver, r. of Hatcliffe and Thornton le Moor, 10s.

West, Tho., r. of Covenham St. Mary, 5s.

Mary, 5s.
Whale, Whaley, Miles, r. of Scot
Willoughby and v. of Osbournby, 5s.

Whelpdale, Chas, r. of Howell,

Whitehead, Whythead, Anthony, r. of Denton, 10s.

Whittle, Whytle, Tho, r. of Bradley, 5s.

Willerton, John, r. of Raithby by Spilsby, 5s.

Williams, Wm, r. of Aswarby and r. of Asgarby by Sleaford, 40s.

Willimott, Williomat, Wm, r. of Ruskington, 5s.

Wilson, Chris., r. of Grayingham and r. of Westborough, 30s.

Wilton, Moses, r. of Fleet, 10s.

Wolle, Wooll, Tho., v. of Boston,

Wray, Ralph, r. of Pilham, 10s. Wright, John, r. of Sudbrooke, 5s. —, Phil., r of Owmby by Spital, 10s.

## LIST No. II

### NONCONFORMING MINISTERS

This list contains the names of those of the clergy who were presented at the bishop of Lincoln's Visitation in 1604 for nonconformity, and of some others who were proceeded against for the same cause.¹ The primary authorities are the Visitation Book of *detectiones* and *comperta* (referred to as 'V') and the Episcopal Court Book of 1602-1609 (referred to as 'C'). Various letters from the miscellaneous papers in the diocesan registry have been added.

- 1. ALLELEY, ROBERT, rector of Stenigot. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister (V., p. 64). Alleley was still rector in 1607 (below, p. 420).
- 2. ALLEN, DAVID, B.A. (1582), licensed preacher, rector of Ludborough (5 March, 1593-4–1015); previously vicar of Brixworth, co. Northampton, 1583 (Alumni Oxon.) In 1604, the churchwardens present that they have no surplice; that their minister sometimes omits part of the common prayer, does not wear the surplice, uses the order of the book in the sacrament, does not always use the sign of the cross, and whether he omit or change anything they have not been able to observe (V., pp. 106-7). On 3 October, 1604, and on various subsequent days, he appeared before the bishop (C., ff. 65d, 74, 78, 86, 91, 94; below, pp. 363ff.) On 6 November, 1605, he appeared, and "vpon conference had with him [the bishop] thoughte good to graunte him a further time of reading and conference &c. till the Wensday fortnighte after the end of this session of parliament" (C., f. 100).

On 12 December he did not appear, and a Mr Atkinson alleged that the plague (*festis*) prevented him (C., f. 74). On 30 January, 1604-5, his absence was excused.

My duty humbly remembred vnto your Lorpe At my last attendanc of your Lo: I then beseched the same, that I might be excused, for myn appearinge the 12th of December yet withall promising, that at that time, I would have sum to mak answer for me; I obtained of my wroshipfull [sic] freind St William Wraye to send vnto your Lordshippe in my behalf, and to signifye, howe (beyond my knowledg when I tooke my leave of your Lo:) it had pleased the Lord to visitte my house in my absence, with a greiuouse fever wherof (as lattly befor I lost one towardly child), so had I on other in great perill, and one of my servaunts also, besids sum other afflictions that then also befell me, for which I humbly intreated your Lo: forbearance and goodnes to me. At this time it hath pleased the lord to continewe his fatherly rodds and to bring them neerer my self, for at this time (and so hath been for this week past) my pore wife lieth greiuouse afflicted with an hotte ague, the same, also nowe turning into the Jaundwise, as I haue intreated Mt Doctor Crooke who is her phisition to signifye vnto your Lo:

<sup>1</sup> above, pp. lxv ff.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

besids, she is, within three weeks of her trauell: I besech your Lop therfore in your christian charitie and fauor towards me for this tim also excuse me, I will waitte vpon you, after the Lord hath lighted my wife of this burden, when and wher your Lop shall approprie and shall euer remaine bounden and thankfull vnto your Lop for that and manye other your honorable fauors; so humblye taking my leaue; I commit your Lop to the keeping of the almightye: Ludbrough this 26th of Januarye: 1604:

Your Lordshipps much bounden DAUID ALLEN.

To the right Reuerend Father in god his very good lord the Lo: Byshoppe of Lincolne geiue this (Misc., 1604/61).

My very good Lorde. Mr Allen of Lurbrough sendinge for me to attende his wife in her sicknes acquaynted me with a journie he was to take to your Lordship which now by reason of his wifes present extremitie he resolueth to deferr trustinge your Lordship will accept of this as a reasonable excuse; with all intreatinge me for your Lordships better satisfaction to signifie vnder my hand how daungerous her present estate is. It may therefore please your Lordship to vnderstand that beinge within 3 weekes of her account for her deliuerance she was the other day taken with a very sore ague, vpon the neck whereof a jaundwise is come, eyther of which in a woeman in her condition is very fearefull, and full of Daunger, how much more then beinge together, and in a patient whose greefe and sorrow for the late visitation of her familie and now for her housbands disturbances seeme to me to haue beene the cheife causes of her sicknesse There beinge therefore no better remidie for this greife then contentment and satisfaction (and therefore it is caled Morbus Regius) he is desirous for this time to be spared by your good Lordiship redye hereafter to attend your pleasure.

Your Lordship to Commaund Helkiah Crooks.

Lurbrough, Januarie 26. 1604. Helkiah Crooks. To the Right Reverend father in god his very good lord the Lo: Bishoppe of Lincolne, give theise (*ibid.*, 1604/7).

On 6 June, 1606, he appeared, and alleged "that he hath not yet conformed himself neither can he yet satisfie himself therein, but will indevor to satisfie and conform himself therein according to the lawe, etc." (*ibid.*, C., f. 108). In 1607, Allen was presented at the bishop's visitation for not wearing the surplice, and for not saying divine service according to the Prayer Book (f. 43d.); and at the archdeacon's visitation, 1607-8, for not wearing the surplice (f. 117d.). He was still rector in 1611, when he was "unconformable, and monished to conforme himself before Easter nexte" (L.C. 1611, f. 79d.); and in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 30). He was buried at Ludborough, 5 September, 1615 (Bishop's Transcript).

The subject of this note was probably the Mr Allen, "sometime the preacher at Lowth," who, at the assizes in 1596, was reviled by Mr Justice Anderson from the bench on account of his puritan tendencies (Strong Angle in 260 Tr)

(Strype, *Annals*, iv, 369-71).

3. ALLEN, RICHARD, M.A. (1594), s.T.D. (1608), rector of Belleau. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it (V., p. 112). Allen resigned 20 April, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 253d.), when he became rector of Stowting, co. Kent (Alumni Cantab.).

4. ALLEN, SAMUEL, M.A. (1574), rector of Fulletby. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 68). He held the benefice till his death in 1610 (P.D., 1611/47).

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

- 5. ALLEN, WALTER, M.A., rector of Withcall. The churchwardens omit to present him.†\* They certify, 6 October, 1604, that they have provided a surplice, and that the minister wears it (V., p. 103).
- ATKINSON, ROBERT, B.A. (1568-9), licensed preacher, vicar of Glentworth (1600-26); previously vicar of Hawerby with Beesby (1590-95), vicar of Blyton (1595-1001), rector of Gayton le Marsh (1507). In 1604,† the churchwardens of Glentworth omit to present him for not wearing the surplice and not signing with the sign of the cross in baptism, wherefore they are enjoined to acknowledge their fault "either of them in a whyte sheete" (above, p. lxvi) (V., p. 175). On 3 October, 1604, and other days, he appeared before the bishop (C., ff. 66, 74d., 78d., 86, 91, 93, 94, 97; below, pp. 365-8). On 23 October, 1605, he failed to appear before the bishop at Buckden, and was excommunicated. He appeared on 13 December, and swore that he would obey the law and the orders of the church, and the bishop absolved him (C., f. 102). On 11 June, 1606, he appeared again, and said that he could not yet satisfy himself to conform (ibid., f. 108). At the bishop's visitation in 1607, it is found that he does not wear the surplice (f. 51d.). In the Liber Cleri of 1611, he is entered as of good behaviour "saveing he is unconformable" (f. 98d.). He resigned the vicarage of Glentworth in 1626 (P.D., 1626/26).
- 7. Balgay, Paul, M.A. (1583), a preacher but not licensed, rector of Swaby. He is presented†\* (V., p. 113). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, at Huntingdon, and subscribed, and was admonished to conform (C., f. 65d.). He held the benefice until his death in 1624 (P.D., 1624/12).
- 8. Bateman, Richard, licensed preacher, vicar of Barnetby. He is presented†\* (V., p. 150). On 30 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, at Huntingdon, and certified his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 66). He was a nonconformist in 1588-9 (above, p. xxxix).
- 9. Bradstreet (or Brodstreet), Simom, M.A. (1579), licensed preacher, vicar of Horbling (1596-1621); previously fellow of Emmanuel college, Cambridge, and rector of Hinderclay, co. Suffolk, 15 December 1595 to February 1595-6. He was one of the select preachers at the king's accession (above p. l). In 1604, the churchwardens of Horbling omit to present him† for not wearing the surplice, and they confess that "he hath not worne the surplis at eny tyme sence his coming thither"; whereupon they are admonished to provide a surplice, and tender it to him (V., p. 5). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop at Huntingdon, and on several subsequent days (C., ff. 65, 73d., 78, 86, 91, 94, 97, 102; below, pp. 363ff.). On 31 July, 1605, he is excused because of bodily infirmity (C., f. 94):

Right reverend father, as I have soe doe I still whollie committ my selfe to your Lorshipps favour, for which you shall fund me as thankfull as a poore Minister may be. May it please your good Lorshipp to dispence with myne absence for this tyme. And yf I may not seame to bould in presuming to farr uppon your LL. favour I must humblye crave somne day in October for my next apperance. My bodie by reason of a speciall infirmitie ys not well able to indure ryding especially in the heate of sommer. And though I have hadd divers

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

occasions yet have I never beene 2 myles frome myne owne howse synce my last being with your LL. at Buckden. Concerning my conformitie I beseech your LL. giue me leave and leysure to goe somwhat slowly that I may goe the more suerly. I have and doe still desire and indevour the Lord his good direction for the good of his church and the lawfull contentment of my superiours. I am verie gladd to heare that his Maiestie hath inlarged your Autoritie. I persuade my selfe of your vigilant care in doing much good by this meanes. My L., you knowe the accompt that you must make, butt a word ys ynough (yf it be not to much) to your LL. wysdom. And thus most humbly I take my leave promising to pray for your LL. according as my dutie byndeth me. Horbling Julie 29.

Your LL, to command for ever in the Lord S. Bradstreete

(Misc., 1605-6/20).

At length, on 23 October, 1605, the bishop, because of Bradstreet's labours for God's Church and its dignity, and of his peaceable and honest behaviour, dismissed him, in hope of his conformity, until he should be cited again (C., f. 102). At the bishop's visitation in 1607, he is presented because he does not wholly conform himself to the orders and ceremonies appointed in the Prayer Book and canons, and in the cross and surplice (f. 36). In the *Liber Cleri* of 1611, he is entered as of good behaviour, "saving hee is not conformable" (f. 2). He held the vicarage of Horbling till his death, and was buried there, 9 February, 1620-1.

- 10. Bromley, Henry, M.A., rector of Stubton. He is enjoined to certify whether he wears the surplice and uses the sign of the cross (V, p. 18). He was still rector in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 65d.).\*
- 11. Bulcocke, Thomas, preacher, curate of Hemswell. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister (V., p. 171). A certificate, dated 14 October, 1604, states that he has often before worn, and did on 14 October wear, the surplice; and that he "protested his willingness to conformitie in the ceremonies . . . now instituted in the church" (Misc., 1604/15).
- 12. Burton, Brian, preacher but not licensed, rector of Langton by Partney (1594–1612). In 1604, he is presented† for not wearing the surplice (V., p. 67). On 3 October, he was sick, and could not appear before the bishop (C. f. 65d.); but the churchwardens and sworn-men of Langton certified, 30 September, that he "did weare the surplesse at all tymes since the last visitation, . . and he doth observe all orders and rites of the churche" (Misc., 1604/37). He was not required to subscribe to the articles (below, p. 369). He was presented at the bishop's visitation in 1607 because he did not wholly conform himself to the orders of the Prayer Book and canons and in the cross and surplice (f. 36). He died in possession of his benefice in 1612.
- 13. CHADWICK, JOHN, M.A. (1592), S.T.D. (1608), preacher, rector of Faldingworth The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V, p. 190). On 3 October he failed to appear before the bishop, at Huntingdon, being absent in Lancashire; but before a citation issued, he subscribed and conformed (C., f. 66d.).
- 14. COOKE, ALEXANDER, B.A. (1585), B.D., preacher, vicar of Louth (1601-4); previously, fellow of University college, Oxford, 1587. He

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

was one of the select preachers on the king's accession (above, p. xlix). On 3 October, 1604, he was charged by the bishop with not wearing the surplice, it being reported

that he will rather loose his livinge than weare yt... He appeared, and being interrogated whether he will weare the surplisse or no he saith yf he haue reason for yt he will not. Whereupon my lord admonished him for the first time, to conform before 31 October, and then to appear and subscribe; and further my lord injoined him to deliuer a coppie of his sermon preached on Wensday last vnder his hand before 31 October and to forbeare preachinge against the lawes and ceremonies of the churche and booke of common praier (C., f 65d.).

On 31 October, the bishop admonished him, under canonical obedience, to deliver a copy of his sermon before 30 November, "and then the said Cooke asserted" [the entry is unfinished] (ibid.). On that day he appeared, and was again admonished to conform and subscribe. He produced a copy of his sermon. On 12 December, the bishop objected articles against him, ex officio, and charged him by his oath to answer faithfully, etc., and admonished him to undergo examination, or to withdraw and appear again to answer. He was also admonished to specify his objections against Mr Eland's sermon, and to exhibit them, etc. (above, pp. lxix, lxx). He appeared and alleged that he had no objections ready drawn in writing. Whereupon the bishop enjoined him to put them in on the morrow. On which day he put in his objections, and Mr Eland answered them in the negative. Whereupon the bishop made an assignment for Cooke to prove them at the next court (C., f. 74). On 16 January, 1604-5, he appeared in person before the bishop in the church of All Saints, Huntingdon, and said

that he hath not yet conformed himself accordinge to his admonicion, neither doth certifie. And further that he cannot conforme himself without further reasons especiallie to the crosse and surplisse, etc.

Whereupon the bishop pronounced a sentence of deprivation against him, and admonished him to undergo examination in respect to the objections against his sermon before he withdrew from the town (C., f. 76d.). Cooke was afterwards vicar of Leeds 1615-32 (Dict. Nat. Biog.). Dr Usher quotes from a letter from the bishop of Lincoln to Bancroft, 25 January, 1604-5 (Hatfield MSS 103, f. 139) to the effect that Alexander Cooke, one of the Peterborough ministers, had said, with no attempt at concealment, that he had sued out an inhibition from the chancery and "that these will bee such a Curbe put into the Jawes of your Lordship and my Lo: of Peterboroughe, for these proceedings had against him and others, as upon the same shame will ensue to you both" (Reconstruction i, 415-16). It is uncertain, however, whether this relates to the subject of this article or not.

- 15. COREY, THOMAS, B.A., licensed preacher, rector of Mareham le Fen. The churchwardens omit to present himt "for not wearing his surplice and indecency in apparrell" (V., p. 69). He was still rector in 1607 (below, p. 422). Concerning apparel, see above, pp. lxiv, lxxviii-ix.
- 16. Cotes, William, rector of South Somercotes. He is presented† for not wearing his surplice every Sunday (V., p. 99). He died in possession of the benefice, *circa* October, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 269).

- 17. Crosse, John, M.A., vicar of Sibsey. The churchwardens omit to present him.†\* It is certified, 5 October, 1604, that he wears the surplice, and observes the Book of Common Prayer (V., p. 89).
- 18. DYNYS, CHRISTOPHER, vicar of Calceby. He is presented†\* (V., p. 115). Certain inhabitants of Calceby, at his request, testified, circa September, 1604,

what he hath sundrie times spoken concerning the wearing of the surplusse: "I will not refuse to weare a surplusse, so that it be a comely or decent one, for it is expedient that wee do obey our princes law, yet will I not wear this yow haue bycause there is no comlines in yt, and yf yow do suspect my answeare, carie yow yt to the Ordinarie yf he allow yt as sufficient I will weare it."

The inhabitants of South Ormsby also certified, 26 September, that, at divers times during the last two years, he had worn the surplice (Misc., 1604/34). He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, and subscribing, and certifying his conformity, was dismissed (C., f. 65d.).

19. Fisher, John, M.A., not a preacher, rector of Ingoldsby (1590–1634). Previously fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge, 1583. In 1604 the churchwardens are enjoined† to provide a surplice, and tender it to him (V., p. 5). On 3 October, 1604, and at subsequent dates, he appeared before the bishop, and was admonished to conform and subscribe (C., ff. 65, 73d., 76d.; below, pp. 363-5, 369). On 8 April, 1605, John Young and Simon Searson, the churchwardens, certified that Fisher

did weare the surplesse vppon soondaye last both at morninge and euening praier, and sayth he would have done soe one easter daye and the holidais (as he than did read the epistle and gospell') if it had not bene a meane one and sayth he will weaure it hereafter allsoe that he did reade the letanye with other prayrs prescribed and sayth he will read and doe other thinges allsoe when the acasione shall fall out (Misc., 1605-6/39).

On 22 April, Fisher appeared before the bishop, and submitted himself and promised henceforth to use the appointed ceremonies and apparel, but craved time to consider about subscription (C., f. 88). He appeared again on 19 June (C., f. 91d.). On 31 July, the bishop, on account of a special letter of Fisher's, dismissed him (C, f. 94). Subscription was not enforced (below, p. 369).

[Forman, Thomas, M.A. (1584), licensed preacher, rector of Winteringham and Great Cotes. Dr Usher (Reconstruction, ii, 11) states that Forman's rectory [sic] of Little Cotes was sequestrated, on account of his nonconformity, on 26 April, 1605, and that he was reinstated on 24 May. This is a mistake. The vicarage of Little Cotes was sequestrated on account of vacancy on 26 April, and Forman's connection with it began on 24 May, when he was instituted (Reg. xxx, ff. 253d., 254d., 256). He was suspended at the Visitation of 1604 because he did not appear, and absolved on 31 August. There is no evidence to shew that he was one of the nonconformists in 1604.]

20. FOWLER, THOMAS, B.A., rector of Sausthorpe. The church-wardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 70). He seems to have held the benefice till 1627, and to have been known as Thomas Fowler alias Williamson (Bishops' Transcripts).

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

- 21. Gulson, Maurice, B.A., rector of Scarthoe. The church-wardens are ordered† to provide a decent surplice. One of them on 21 October, certifies "that they have nowe a decent surplis provided, and that their minister did not weare eny surplis this twelvemonth last past" (V., p. 124). He was still rector in 1611 (L.C. 1611, f. 37).
- 22. Hamond, George, M.A., rector of Althorpe. He is presented † (V., p. 187). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, and subscribed and, on 30 October, he presented a certificate of his conformity, dated 21 October, and was dismissed (C., f. 66; Misc., 1604/16).
- 23. HARRISON, WILLIAM, vicar of Marton. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister (V., p. 192). He was still vicar in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 12).
- 24 HARTING, WILLIAM, not a preacher, rector of Healing (1564–1610). He is presented†\* (V., p. 126). He was cited to appear before the bishop on 3 October, 1004, but being sick, he was respited to the next court (C., f. 66). He was discharged upon certificate of his conformity without subscription being required (below, p. 369).
- 25. HITCHCOCK, ROBERT, rector of Quarrington. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister. Later, a certificate is exhibited that the rector now wears it (V., p. 1).
- 26. Hook, Henry, B.A. (1579), s.t.d., rector of Nettleton (1597–1644). He was one of the select preachers on the king's accession (above, p. xlix). He was presented † (V., p. 149). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, and was dismissed (C., f. 66). He conformed, but was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369). He was archdeacon of the West Riding of Yorkshire, 1617-23, and precentor of the cathedral church of York, 1623-44 (Alumni Cantab.). He held Nettleton till his death in 1644.
- 27. Humfrey, Thomas, M.A. (1588), licensed preacher, rector of Grainsby<sup>1</sup> (1591-1635). He was the author of Jewel for Gentlewomen. In 1604,† the churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister (V, p. 121). On 31 October, Humfrey appeared before the bishop, and craved time. Afterwards he promised to conform, and was admonished to do so before 30 November (C., f. 66). On 18 November, William Keninghton, the churchwarden, signed a certificate with his 'brande' that the rector had worn the surplice and intended to use the cross in baptism (Misc., 1604/32). On 30 November the bishop dismissed him (C., f. 66). He was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369).
- 28. Jackson, John, licensed preacher, vicar of Bourne (1585–1613). In 1604, the churchwardens omit to present him† for not wearing the surplice, and are enjoined to acknowledge their fault accordingly in the church there (V., p. 6). On 3 October, 1604, and on subsequent days,

<sup>1</sup> At p. 310 below, the Liber Cleri of 1603 states inaccurately that he was rector of Grimsby.

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice. † at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

he appeared before the bishop (C., ff. 65, 73d.). On 30 January, 1604-5, and 10 April, 1605, he appeared, and said that "he cannot yet be resolved to conform himself, and craves time" (C., ff. 78, 86). He wrote to the bishop, 30 July, 1605, begging to be excused from appearing on account of his infirmity (Misc., 1605-6/41). The following letter supported his plea:

Most Reuerend, and my very good lo: I have earnest desire to be an humblle suter vnto your good lo: for a man: whose case is to be lamented by reason of such infirmity as god hath laid vppon him: both by sicknes of body and lamenes of lymes, in so much as the vssewe runinge now of on of his legges is full as broad, as a Quene Elizabeth pece of xxs. in gould: so that he is not hablle to go or ride: Whose distressed case both his owne neighbors and so meny els as se his greffes do much lament his distresse: beinge well knowne to haue taken greatt paines to feed his flock commytted to his charge. a populous towne and ij great hamlettes within his parishe of Borne; and for a very smalle sallarie hitherto his christian care over them not sparinge mydnyght or cock crow to dvg and delve in season, and owt of season: hath he wrought in the lordes vinyard: But out of his pention without the help of other frendes tenderinge his smalle allowance he had nevver bene hablle to have mayntaned him selfe and his pore famyly, as he hath done: yet at this ower of his lamene[ss] and impotency: he favereth not him selfe but visiteth the sycke as occasion serveth: though he canne neyther well go, nor ride: vet he will take a staffe and limpe with paine to releve ther weake consciences, and now he lamenteth much that he is not hablle to make his personall apperaunce before your lo: accordinge to his intent, and duty in dwe consideracion wherof I humbly bescech your lo'ip to respecte his tyme of apperaunce vntyll this contagious heate weather be past that his legg if yt pleasse god to gyue him amendementt be brought to some saffer course and thus shall he his poore wife and children be bound to pray to the allmyghty styll to preceive your lo: in health longe to contynewe to godes pleasure: and my selfe with the lyke intercession do most humbly for this tyme take my leave, Rippingall this 26 of July.

Your lordipes ever most humbly to be commanded Tho: Shawe.

On 18 September, 1605, Jackson was respited on account of his weakness and his loss by fire (C. f. 97). On 23 October, letters from Sir John Hatcher and Sir William Rigdon, knights, and others were exhibited on Jackson's behalf, and Thomas Mellers of Bourne, gentleman, made oath that Jackson was unable to come to the bishop's tribunal without peril to his body; whereupon the bishop dismissed him until he should be cited again (C., f. 102). At the bishop's visitation in 1607, he is presented for not wearing the surplice and for not following the Book of Common Prayer (f. 36d.); and at the archdeacon's visitation, 1607-8, for not wearing the surplice and not using the sign of the cross (f. 25d.). In the Liber Cleri of 1611, he is entered as of good behaviour, "saveing that he nowe standes suspended being presented for vnconformytie" (f. t). He held his benefice till his death, 30 January, 1612-13 (The Bourne Parish Registers, p. xii).

29. KEY, JOHN, rector of Tetford. He is presented †\* (V., p. 66). He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, and submitted himself, and afterwards he subscribed (C., f. 65d.).

(Misc., 1605-6/19).

<sup>1</sup> A note in the parish register states that "a most lamentable fyre happened vion the 23rd of August, 1605" (The Parish Registers of Bourne, ed. C. W. Foster, p. xiv).

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

- 30. Lake, Richard, rector of Scrafield. The churchwardens are enjoined to provide a surplice, and tender it (V., p. 63). Lake was still rector in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 43d.).
- 31. Larke, Nicholas, B.A., rector of Waddingworth. He is presented \* (V., p. 65). On 24 January, 1604-5, and 24 April, 1605, the churchwardens certify that he is conformable (Misc., 1604/6, 1605-6/42). He is presented at the bishop's visitation in 1607, for not wearing the surplice "euery sabaoth daie" (f. 41d.).
- 32. LILLEY, EDMUND, M.A. (1570), S.T.D., rector of Fillingham. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a decent surplice, and to certify whether he wears it (V., p. 188). On 6 October, 1604, they certify that they have provided a surplice, and that their minister wears it.
- 33. LINOLD, LYNOLD, or LIONELL, EDMUND, M.A. (1603), curate of Humberston. In 1604† he is presented because "he weareth not his surples nor signeth with the crosse in baptisme nor vseth the wordes [sc. the baptismal formula] and he serves [without a licence]" (V., p. 222). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, and refused to use the surplice (C., f. 60). On 30 November he appeared again, and on 1 December, the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office within the diocese (C., f. 74; below, pp. 363-5). He was instituted to the vicarage of Healing 20 January, 1609-10. In the Liber Cleri of 1611, he was monished to appear before the bishop at Lincoln touching conformitie (f. 35). He was still vicar in 1614 (Liber Cleri, f. 33d.).
- 34. MARCHELL, WILLIAM, vicar of West Torrington. The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice. On 7 October, 1604, they certify that they have done so, and that their minister wears it (V., p. 139).
- 35. METCALF, CHRISTOPHER, M.A. (1599), rector of Gayton le Marsh. The churchwardens omit to present† that he does not wear the surplice, and that they have no surplice (V., p. 112). He was still rector in 1607 (below, p. 417).
- 36. Newton, Edmund, M.A. (1593), vicar of Sleaford (1595–1627). He was a select preacher in 1603 at the king's accession (above, p. l). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop, charged with not wearing the surplice, when he alleged "that he hath worne and will weare the surplisse and conforme himself but will not subscribe to the articles agreed vpon in the last convocacion." On 30 November he certified his conformity, and promised for the future, and was dismissed. The bishop, however, decreed that he should be cited to subscribe. A note states that he is not licensed to preach, but yet preaches (C., f. 65).

Right Reuerend father in God and our very good Lord: our duties in most humble [...]remembred. These are to signify vnto your LP that Mr Newton viccar of Slefford hath from time to time observed and vsed the forme of prayer and other service prescribed in the booke of common prayer, worne the surplice vsed the signe of the crosse in baptisme, the ring in marriage, and all other ceremonies commanded in the church of England, so farre as we knowe. And although we neither presented him, nor gave any informacion of any defect in

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.
† at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

him: yet the said Mr Newton being with vs at Lincoln, since your Lps visitacion was vpon some vntrue informacion given to Mr Randes Officiall for the deane and chapter (vnder whose iurisdiccion we are) called iudicially before him, and examined vpon the premisses, who there and then in our presence professed his former conformitie, and promised so to continue: since which tyme he hath enery sunday worne the surplice, and never baptised any children without signing them with the signe of the crosse, and vsed all other ceremonies prescribed by the lawe, so farre as we know: which thing we certified to Mr Randes vnder our handes within the tyme appointed vnto vs by him for that purpose. Thus haueing at the lawfull and honest request of the said Mr Newton, testified the truth of the premisses in writing, which we would be readie to avouch vpon our othes, yf we were thervnto lawfully called, we cease any further to trouble your Lop: commending the same to the gracious proteccion and blessing of the Almighty. Slefford this present xxvijth of Octob: 1604

Your Lops: most humble bounden

JOHN PARKES + marke | churchwardens.

JHON STRYGHTHOLM, WILLIAM TUFFIN, WILLIAM LAMBERT

(Misc., 1604/39).

The vicarage of Sleaford was vacant in 1627 by his death (P.D., 1627/15).

37. Osmotherley, John, vicar of Hogsthorpe. The churchwardens omit to present that they wanted a decent surplice. A later note states that "he weareth it" (V., p. 115).

38. Philips, Robert, rector of Salmonby. He is presented+ for not wearing the surplice (V., p. 63); appeared before the bishop, 3 October, and submitted himself, subscribed to the articles, and was admonished to certify his conformity before 31 October. Afterwards he certified, and was dismissed (C., f. 65d.). The churchwardens certified:

Whereas some haue ether malitiously or at least iniuriously intimated to your I. Bushop as if our minister Mr Robert Philip wher not conformable or refused the surpless etc: causinge our minister valuable to travell to Huntington to the nurt of his body and purse: We as afortyme so againe we say and certify that he wears the same desiring your worship if the Lord Bushop or any frome him do again inquire concerninge his peaceable behavior, that yow wold certify his conformitye to which we the churchwardens sett down our handes thus wishinge well to your worshipp we leaue you: Salmonbie this 24th of October. Your poore frendes. WILLIAM STORYE + mark. WILLIAM THEW sydman. Peter Kydd + marke (Misc., 1604/22).

Kydd + marke (Misc., 1604/22).

May it pleas your Lordship to vnderstand that we sent a certificat at the first tyme of our ministers conformity and sine againe to Doctor Hill and sine againe to Mr Randes, and we hear Mr Stirrop the Registr doth call him again for his certificat, we therfor testifye again that he weareth the surpless and is conformable.

Churchwardens, WILLIAM STORRY, PETER KYDD (ibid., 1604/63).

39. PIKE, GEORGE, M.A. (1586), preacher but not licensed, vicar of Donington (1593-1605 and 1605-11). Previously fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge. In 1604† he is presented for not wearing the surplice and not using the sign of the cross (V., p. 48). On 3 October, 30 November, and 1 December, 1604, he appeared before the bishop (C., ff. 65, 73d.). On 30 January, 1604-5, he appeared, and answered "that he cannot yet conforme himself bicause he cannot be satisfied neither will he now conforme sed expresse renuit et recusauit," whereupon the bishop decreed

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

a definitive sentence<sup>1</sup> upon him after four admonitions (C., f. 78; below, pp. 365-6). On 29 March, 1605, Pike again appeared, and submitted himself, and subscribed to the articles expressed in the 36th canon of 1604, and promised conformity according to the Prayer Book and the royal proclamation; whereupon the bishop absolved him from the sentence of suspension, and restored him to the execution of his office wherever he might be admitted within the diocese. His conformity was certified by the churchwardens (Misc., 1604/4) Meanwhile, on 14 March, William Moone, M.A., was instituted to Donington; but two months later, on 15 May, Pike was instituted again on the king's presentation (Reg. xxx, ff. 249d., 255d.).

- 40. POMPHRETT, WILLIAM, rector of South Ormsby with Ketsby. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 70). The benefice was vacant in 1629 by his death (P.D., 1629/27).
- 41. RAINBOWE, THOMAS, M.A. (1593), vicar of Blyton. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it (V., p. 165). He appeared, 3 October, 1604, before the bishop, and subscribed (C., f. 66). The churchwardens certify that he wore the surplice on 14 October (Misc., 1604/14). The certificate was enclosed in a letter, dated 15 October, from Rainbowe himself to Thomas Randes, at Lincoln (ibid., 1604/58).
- 42. Rhodes, Richard, curate of Burwell. The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice and tender it (V., p. 101). Rhodes appears as curate of Burwell in 1607, with a note that he is merely a layman (below, p. 426). In 1611 he still appears as curate, with a note that he is not in orders, and that he is therefore inhibited (L.C. 1611, f. 75d.).
- 43. RICHARDSON, CHARLES, M.A. (1595), rector of East Barkwith (1602-20); previously vicar of Tealby, 1598-1602. In 1604† the churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice, and tender it to their minister; and a note states that "he refuseth to weare it" (V., p. 140). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop (C., f. 66). On 24 January, 1604-5, he wrote to the bishop praying to be excused from appearing, because

as I am very tender, and subject to sickness in winter, so now I have gotten both an extreame colde, and withal a tertian ague . . . And as I have ever carryed my selfe peaceably in my ministry, without any the least medling with matters of controversye: so I purpose and promise to continue still (Misc., 1604/3).

There is also a letter, on 23 January, from William Henneage of Hainton supporting his plea (*ibid.*, 1004/57).

Our very good L. May it please your good LP to vnderstand, that our Minister Mr Richardson, for the space of more then two yeares, wherin he hath lived amongst vs, hath caryed himselfe painfully and peaceably in his calling: and hath not swerved from the orders and constitutions of the Church save only in the matter of the Surplise, which he did forbeare to weare for a time, but now he hath Conformed himselfe in that also: and did weare it in our Church on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The sentence was deprivation (below, p. 366). The benefice was vacant on 1 February, 1604-5 by his deprivation (Reg. xxx, ff. 245d., 249d.).

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.
† at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

Sunday the xxiiijth of February, and every Sunday since. And this we certify to your LP: vnder our handes. East Barkeworth. March. 13, 1604.

FRAUNCES CARY | Churchwardens.

(Misc., 1604/60).

+ THOMAS KELSEY a Sidesman.

On 24 April, 1605, he certified touching his conformity. On 10 July he was dismissed, without being required to subscribe (C., ff. 74, 78d., 89, 91d., 92d.; below, pp. 363-6, 369).

- 44. Russell, Thomas, M.A. (1590), vicar of Bassingthorpe. The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice, and tender it (V., p. 27). Russell resigned Bassingthorpe in 1608 (P.D., 1608/42), but held South Hykeham until 1625. He wrote *Diacatholicon Aureum* (Alumni Cantab.).
- 45. SKELTON, GEORGE, M.A. (1602), licensed preacher, rector of Coningsby. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 69). The benefice was vacant in 1636 by his death (P.D., 1636/19).
- 46. SMITH, BENEDICT, rector of South Witham. The churchwardens are admonished† to provide a surplice, and tender it. A note states that he wears it (V., p. 26). The benefice was vacant in 1635 by his resignation (P.D., 1635/44).
- 47. SMITH, ROGER, rector of Tothill. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 113). He held the benefice till his death in 1607 (Reg. xxx, f. 319).
- 48. SOWTHACKE, ALEXANDER, M.A. (1574), S.T.B., rector of Waddington (1589–1606). He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, being charged with not wearing the surplice and being enjoined to subscribe, and desired respite. Afterwards he conformed himself, and was dismissed (C., f. 66d.).
- 49. SQUIER. JOHN, M.A. (1588), licensed preacher, rector of Saltfleetby St. Peter (1589–1642). He is presented† in 1604, because he "weareth not his surples neyther signeth with the crosse in baptisme" (V., p. 97). He was cited to appear before the bishop on 3 October, 1604, but was excused because of illness. On 10 November he certified his conformity and was dismissed (C., f. 65d.). The churchwardens' certificate of his conformity "in all points" is dated 4 November (Misc., 1604/30). He was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369).
- 50. STAINTON, LAURENCE, M.A. (1573), S.T.D., rector of Uffington. The churchwardens are admonished to provide a surplice and tender it. A note states that "Mr deane has a surplice" (V., p. 28). He was dean of Lincoln, 1601–1613.
- 51. STEPHENSON, CHRISTOPHER, curate of Legbourne. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 115). He was still curate in 1607 (below, p. 417).
- 52. SYMONDES, WILLIAM, M.A. (1581), S.T.D. (1613), rector of Halton Holegate and of Theddlethorpe St. Helen. He was one of the select preachers on the king's accession (above, p. l). The churchwardens omit to present him.†\* On 5 October, 1604, they appeared and

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

confessed that Symondes did not wear the surplice before the last visitation. "but sithence he hath worne yt" (V., p. 89; Misc., 1604/12). Symondes appeared before the bishop. 3 October, 1604, and afterwards subscribed (C., f. 65d.).

- 53. Tansey, Theodore, M.A. (1574), licensed preacher, rector of Hagworthingham and of Horsington. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 68). He was still rector of both parishes in 1614 (L.C. 1614, ff. 43, 45d.).
- 54. Throckmorton, Raphael, rector of Bolingbroke. In 1604† the churchwardens omit to present their parson for not wearing the surplice (V., p. 85). He was still rector in 1607, but was excused attendance (below, p. 416).

Righte reverende father in Christe: Raphaell Throckmorton parson of Bollingbrooke of the age of fourescore and foure yeares and more, wish you all grace and peace in our Lord god everlastinge. And as a distressed childe flieth to his father for comforte, so I a minister of gods worde (iniuriouslye persecuted with some Limme of Sathan, that seekes to rend in sunder the vnitie of the church by his malignant spirit informinge against me in your Lordships courte) doe most humblie beseech vour Lordship to tender mine age and pardon my non appearaunc' who cannot without apparent daunger of my life travell one mile much lesse be at Huntington there to appeare before your Lordship or your substitute on Wednesday next, as by a proces I am enjoyined dated the vith of this monethe, and this sixtenth dave of the said moneth shewed vnto me by one John Stirrope apparitor as appeareth, which also denounceth me to be suspended for my contempt for not appearinge at your courte. True it is my good Lorde, the same apparitour came to my house about the last of Januarye, where he found me on my bed wearied, with cominge from the church, and told me it was your Lordships pleasure, that I should appeare before you [sic] L: at Bugden the viijth of Februarie (so farre as 1 remember) but he shewed me noe authoritie (as nowe he did) vnder your seale of office, nor any writinge, and therefore I thought he had done it without warrant, or that he had not bene an officer, knowinge my selfe to be cleare, and not havinge offended his majesties lawes, nor your Lordship And the rather I doubted of his direct dealinge, because I required him to tell me the cause of the sommons, which he said was bycause I did not weare the surplis, wherevpon I protested that I did weare it everye Sabaoth days all the time of divine service, both morninge and eveninge, and therefore I referred him to the report of all my neighbours, that I omit not that duetie any dave. I desired to viderstand my accusers, and he aunswered it was donne by neighbour ministers, but there names or places he would not tell me. whereupon I suspected his aucthoritie then the more, desiringe him to signifie vnto your Lordship, my humble dutie, with my humble requeste, to spare my apparaunce, and withall to signifie that I was in every thinge obedient to his maiestics lawes, and so would be by gods grace, duringe the short remainder of time, it would please him to vouchsafe me. Then he required fee, which I refused to give, in regard I was wrongfully accused, and bicause I sawe no citation nor warrant for wante whereof it seemeth I am nowe sequestred from the congregation, yf a father will rescewe and defend his childe from violence and wronge, my hope is, and I humblye beseeche your Lordship, that you as a spirituall father will not onelye rescue mee from the hand of these false accusers, and discharge me of all fees, (consideringe my age and many children dothe spende all my litle livinge) but take notice of these disturbers of the peace of the churche, and let them pay that is required of me, that am innocent, And let them worthilie abide your Lordships censure, for committinge such a notorious crime and sinne of false witnes bearinge, vnto so reverend a father as you are. And if I maye herein finde your Lordships good favour to be restored againe and my false accusars

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

punished, that others thereby may be warned, I shalbe be bound to pray for your Lordships fedicitie bothe in this life and in the life everlastinge. And doubt not but that my good patron St Vincente Skynner, will acknowledge him selfe beholden value vour Lordship for administration of this iustice in punishinge the wicked accusars, and settinge the innocente free. And bycause I would not have your Lordship onely to credit my selfe, I have procured my good friendes the gentlemen and my neighbours with the churchwardens of this parish under their handes to testifie with me, that this is true, which I have under my hand certified unto your Lordship, which my selfe woulde (as my duetie is) have done if habilitie of bodie coulde possiblie permitt. Bollingbrook this xvijth of Februarie. 1604. Raphaell Throkmorton [and 19 others]; per me Thomas Thomson artem grammatice in Bolling: publice profitentem (Misc., 1604/5).

The benefice was vacant in 1610 by his death (P.D., 1610/1).

- 55. Tuke, Hugh, M.A. (1575), licensed preacher, rector of Silk Willoughby (1577-1626). He may be considered to be the father of the Lincolnshire puritans, for he was one of the ministers who were suspended for nonconformity in 1584 (above, p. xxv); and in the proceedings in the consistory court, 1603-5, his name always comes first. He was presented at the visitation in 1604 for not wearing the surplice, and not using the sign of the cross in baptism (V., p. 1). On 3 October, 1604, he appeared before the bishop in his court, and, craving time for deliberation, was admonished to subscribe and conform before 31 October. He appeared again from time to time, and was sometimes excused from coming to court on account of bodily weakness (C., ff. 65, 73d., 78, 86, 94, 97; below, pp. 363-8). At last, 5 October, 1605, the bishop dismissed him until he should be cited again, in the hope that he might conform (C., f. 102; below, p. 368). At the bishops' visitations in 1607 (f. 35d.), and 1611 (L.C. 1611, f. 71) and at the archdeacon's visitation in 1607-8 (f. 36), he was presented for not wearing the surplice and not signing with the cross. It is pleasant to be able to record that he held his rectory till his death. He was buried at Silk Willoughby 29 April, 1626 (Bishop's Transcript).
- 56. Turner, Edward, B.A., licensed preacher, vicar of Edlington. The churchwardens omit to present him†\* (V., p. 69). He was still vicar in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 40).
- 57. Wight, Robert, licensed preacher, rector of Hareby. The churchwardens omit to present him.†\* Later, a note states that 'he weareth yt' (V., p. 87).
- 58. WILLIAMSON, JOHN, M.A., licensed preacher, vicar of North Somercotes. The churchwardens present that he "weareth not the surplis euerie sondaie but is willing nowe to performe that dutie in wearing yt and sometymes he chatichizeth and sometymes not" (V., p. 92).
- 59. Wood, William, rector of Somerby by Grantham. The churchwardens present him†\* (V., p. 15). He is presented at the archdeacon's visitation in 1607-8\* (above, p. lxxx). The benefice was vacant by his death in 1611 (P.D., 1611/46).
- 60. WOOLL, THOMAS, a preacher but not licensed, vicar of Boston (1600-12). In 1604† he is presented "for not wearinge the surplice nor

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.

signinge with the signe of the crosse in baptisme, and," it is added, "sithence the visitacion notice hath bene given to the courte that the surplis hath bene tendred him and he in scorne thereof (as yt seemeth) maketh it his cushion to sitt on" (V., p. 46). On 3 October, 1604, he failed to appear before the bishop, who thereupon decreed that he be sought viis et modis. On 31 October he appeared, and declared his conformity, and promised touching the future. Afterwards he certified, and was dismissed (C., f. 65; Misc., 1604/31). He was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369).

Worship, William, M.A. (1599), S.T.D. (1613), vicar of Croft. He is presented<sup>†\*</sup> (V., p. 74). He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, and afterwards subscribed (C., f. 65d.). On 20 November, the churchwardens certify that he 'hath worne the surplis and signeth with the crosse in baptizme' (V., p. 74).

#### ARCHDEACONRY OF BEDFORD

Brightman, Thomas, B.A. (1580-1), B.D., licensed preacher, curate of Haynes, which at this period seems to have had no incumbent; fellow of Queens' college, Cambridge, in 1584. He was renowned as a scholar and preacher, and his life was admitted to be 'angelical.' wrote several books (Dict. Nat. Biog.). He is supposed to have subscribed to the Book of Discipline. He was cited to appear‡ on 3 October, 1604, and appeared on 8, 14, and 30 November and 1 December. On 12 December he refused to subscribe, and was suspended from the execution of his office (C., ff. 69, 76; below, pp. 363-4. 366). An interesting record of his answers to the articles objected against him has been preserved (see below). He seems to have conformed, for he continued living at Haynes, and was buried there, 24 August, 1607 (F. A. Blaydes, Geneal, Bedford., p. 134); and there is no record of anyone else being licensed to the curacy until 17 March, 1607-8 (Reg. xxx, f. 327).

## Responsa Thome Brightman curati de Hawnes 8 November, 1603

Thomas Brightman clarke vicar of Hawnes in the countie of Bedford examined saith Ad primum that he hath beene onelie at one exercise at Southill in the countie of Bedford the 28, of September by the request of John Bostocke vicar there and by his lettres speciallie written for that purpose to this examinant, which dyd begynn about neene of the clocke in the morninge, and continued tyll allmost fvve in the afternoone without intermission. The confession for morninge in the booke of Common prayer, and the neenth chapter of Daniell beinge read onelie, and a psalme songe without any other observacion of the saide Booke ether in the morninge or eveninge. And there were made then five sermons by five seuerall persons. The first by the said John Bostocke for the space of one hower, the second of an howe [sic] by one Mr Andrewe Dennis v[icar] of Paules in Bedford, the third by Thomas Dillingham curat at Deane eiusdem com', by the space of an hower, the fourthe by Mr Fraunces Dillingham parson of Wilden, continuinge an hower and somethinge more, and the fuft by this examinant by the space of twoe howers. And betweene euery sermon was one psalme. And this examinant his text was the 38. ver' of the 9. chap, of Nehemia. And this examinant saith that in his saide sermon he touched the byshopps of the Churche of England

<sup>\*</sup> for not wearing the surplice.

<sup>†</sup> at the bishop's visitation, August, 1604.
‡ before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

in shewinge the corruptions of the Churche of England, as namelie that there was a lordlie superioritie of ministers one over an other, which ought not to be by the worde of god. The second corruption that there was an vnteachinge ministerie in the Churche of England which ought not to be. The thirde that there were Ministers that colde teache and wolde not, or dyd not beinge in health and prosperitie. The fourthe that there were scandalous mynisters in the Churche of England for theire life and conversacion, and they not removed, or punished. The fyft that the true ministers colde not exercise that full authoritie which Christ had left vnto them as namelie, that they had nothinge to doe in the censuringe of theire owne parishioners, wherein he ment suspencion, excommunicacion, and other ecclesiasticall censures committed to the commissaries in theire severall jurisdictions etc. And further he saithe that he hathe noe lycence, other then his degree beinge a bachelour of divinitie, and yet hathe preached bothe in his owne churches and in other churches adioyninge and elsewhere in other counties.

This examinant further saithe that he himselfe saithe praiers vpon the Sabaothe dayes and holie dayes in his owne parishe churche but none at all vpon Wednesdayes, (other then nowe of late synce the Fast was prescribed and authorized by the Kinges most excellent matie) nor vpon Frydayes nor on Satterdayes in the afternoone, but he dothe not reade the Letanie vsuallie because it wolde be to longe. And saithe also that he dothe administer the sacramentes himselfe in his owne churche. (the communion thrice a yeare) but none of these in his surplise, nether dothe he vse the crose in baptisme, nor the ringe in mariage.

Tho: Brightman.

And further saithe that he dothe catechise the youthe and other the inhabitantes of his parishe but not in the catechisme sett downe in the booke of common prayer, but in an other lytle catechisme which he dothe take more particularlie to expresse the growndes of religion, and dothe thinke it to be the saime as is vsed in Scotland.

(Misc., 1603/105.)

- 63. Dutton, Thomas, M.A. (1595), rector of Eversholt. He and the churchwardens certified, 14 October, 1604, that they had now provided a surplice and that Dutton usually wore it (Misc., 1604/23).
- 64. Ford, William, B.A. (1578-9), S.T.B., licensed preacher, vicar of Thurleigh (1594-1615); previously fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge, 1581; and afterwards, as it seems, chaplain of the Levant Company, Constantinople (Dict. Nat. Biog.; Alumni Cantab.). A certificate, dated 24 September, 1606, under the hands of thirteen people, was addressed to the bishop, stating that Ford was very conformable, and that they could not possibly remember that he had preached against the canons, or condemned "the surplice, whood, with other ceremonyes and orders of the church as valawful to be used of him or others" (Misc., 1605-6/54).
- 65. Henlow, John, B.A. (1577-8), rector of Holwell. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and certified touching his conformity and was dismissed (C., f. 69). The churchwardens certified "that we have provided a Communion booke, and a surplus, and that our minister dothe weare it" (Misc., 1604/44).
- 66. HILL, HUMPHREY, M.A. (1587), licensed preacher, rector of Tingrith. He appeared† on 3 October, 1004, and my lord (dominus) admonished him to conform before 31 October. On 13 November, he appeared and certified touching his conformity, and subscribed, and was dismissed (C., f. 69). The churchwardens and others certified his conformity 29 October (Misc., 1604/29).

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

- 67. Hoggett, Anthony, non-graduate, unlicensed preacher, curate of Norhill. He did not wear the surplice in 1585 (above, p. xxx). He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604. He appeared on 30 November; and again on 1 December, when he refused to subscribe. He refused again on 12 December, and the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 69, 76; below, pp. 364, 366). Thomas Adams, his successor, was licensed to the curacy, 29 March, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 252).
- 68. LEE, HENRY, M.A. (1592), licensed preacher, rector of Colmworth. The churchwardens and others certified "that there is a good and suffitient surplease prouided for the towne of Coolmorth, and that the parson . . . hath and dothe weare the same the 7th of October last past" (Misc., 1604/24).
- 69 NORTON, THOMAS, M.A. (1569), rector of Blunham. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 69). The churchwardens on 15 October certified "that we have provyded a syffycyent surplace and that our menyster hath worne it these two Sabbothe dayes" (Misc., 1604/43).
- 70. ORME, JOHN, 1 non-graduate, rector of Bletsoe. The churchwarden and sidesman certified [no date], that he "doth weare the surplice orderlie and well" (Misc., 1604/50). He held the benefice till his death, and was buried there, 10 March, 1617-18.
- 71. RICHARDSON or RICHINSON, JOHN, B.A., unlicensed preacher, curate of Dunstable. He appeared† 30 November, 1604, and again on I December, when he was admonished a second time to conform; but, being lame, he was excused till 30 January, 1604-5, on which day he did not appear, and was suspended by the bishop from the execution of his office (C., ff. 76, 79). On 15 May, 1605, he appeared, and submitted himself, and promised "that from hence forth he will vse the ceremonies and apparell appointed in the execucion of his ministerie"; and craved time to consider about subscribing. Whereupon the bishop absolved him from his suspension, and enjoined him to certify his conformity (C., ff. 89d., 91d.; below, pp. 363-4, 366).
- 72. WALPOOLE, CÆSAR, M.A. (? 1580), licensed preacher, curate of Woburn. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 69). The churchwardens and sidesmen, 14 October, certified that he conformed (Misc., 1604/28).

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- 73. Bradley, Randolph, B.A., rector of Sympson. He was cited to appear,† 3 October, 1604, on which day he was sick; but he certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 68). The churchwardens' certificate of his conformity is dated 26 August, 1604 (Misc., 1604/36).
- 74. Briges, John, curate of Fulmer. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, but did not appear; thereupon the bishop excommunicated him. On 8 November he appeared and subscribed, and the bishop

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> His name is wrongly given as Robert in L.C. 1603 (below, p. 257).

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

absolved him, and he was enjoined to certify at the next court. On I December, he did not certify (C., f. 69). No further proceedings seem to have been taken against him.

75. Burgess, John, M.A. (1587), M.D., Cambridge, 1612, Oxford, 1627, unlicensed preacher, rector of the third part of the church of Waddesdon (1601-1604-5). To the account of his life in the Dictionary of National Biography, an endorsement on the presentation deed to Waddesdon, dated 27 July, 1601, adds a few details, namely, that he was then forty years of age, and married; that he was born at Peterborough; that he was M.A. of St. John's college, Cambridge, where he resided seven years, after which he was at Norwich (as rector of St. Peter's Hungate) for six years, and then at . . . , co. Suffolk, for the last six years; that he was ordained priest, and admitted as a preacher, by the bishop of Norwich (P.D., 1601/20). Burgess held a leading position among the nonconforming clergymen. While the canous were being debated in convocation, he was called upon to explain the ground he took, and to preach before the king at Greenwich on 19 June, 1604. The sermon displeased the king, and Burgess was sent to the Tower. His position about the surplice and the cross was that those ceremonies were not sinful (as many of the puritans contended), but that they were inexpedient.

He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, in St. Benedict's church, Huntingdon, to answer for not wearing the surplice, and was admonished to conform and subscribe. On 31 October, he failed to appear, and was pronounced contumacious (C., f. 68d.) On 30 November, he was absent again, but appeared the next day. On 12 December he refused as before [to conform and subscribe], and received a second admonistics (C. f. 75d.) On 16 Isomorphical Conformation (C. f. 75d.)

admonition (C., f. 75d,). On 16 January, 1604-5, he appeared

ct fatetur that he hath not yet conformed himself nor hath anie certificate according to the admonicion given vnto him. And further saith that he will not now conforme himself neither can he doe yt for such reasons and consideracions as he hath delivered in writinge vnto the kinges most excellent ma<sup>tie</sup>.

The bishop thereupon deprived him of his benefice (C., f. 77). The writing referred to above is no doubt the book which Burgess and other ministers of the diocese of Lincoln presented to James on 1 December,

1604 (above, p. lxxi).

On his deprivation, Burgess retired to Leyden. Returning to England about 1612, he held various preferments, including a canonry at Lichfield. In the preface to his last book, in 1631, he said, "I have parted with more profit by taking up Conformity and a Benefice than any man in England hath done by his Inconformity and loss of his benefice; therefore it was not a benefice that drew me on" (Dict. Nat. Biog.).

76. Bursey, John, M.A. (1581), unlicensed preacher, rector of Shalstone (1580–1630). He was cited to appear 3 October, 1604, on which day he appeared (C., f. 68). On 4 December, he alleged his conformity, but refused to subscribe (C., f. 75). On 30 January, 1604-5, he certified his conformity (C., f. 79). The churchwardens' certificate, 28 January, 1604-5, states that "our godly and painful minister doeth

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

strictly obserue the booke of common prayer, and other ceremonies of the churche... which (if at any time) he shall omitt, your L: shall vindoubtedly heare of it, though we, or others (hereafter to succeed vs in our troblesome office) should be silent for mr Bursey hath watchfull ouerseers" (Misc., 1604/9). On 10 April, 1605, he had not subscribed (C., f. 86d.). See below, p. 365 He held his benefice till his death in 1630 (P.D., 1630/68).

- 77. Cade, William, M.A. (1583), unlicensed preacher, rector of Lillingstone Dayrell. He was cited to appear† 3 October, 1604, on which day and on subsequent occasions he appeared (C., ff. 68, 75, 78d.). On 23 May, 1605, he appeared, and submitted himself and promised conformity, and subscribed; whereupon the bishop dismissed him (C., f. 86d.). The churchwardens' certificate of conformity, 2 April, 1605, states that Cade laboured painfully in his calling both by preaching and catechizing, and had always used the Prayer Book; but that "heretofore he hath made some doubt of wearinge the surplice bie reason of the discontinuance thereof amongst vs thes fine and twenty yeares, now notwithstandinge hee weareth the same and doeth observe the other ceremonies [etc.] " (Misc., 1605-6/70).
- 78. CHALENER, ROBERT, B.A. (1566), S.T.P., licensed preacher, rector of Amersham. The churchwardens and Thomas Fynche, "baylie of the towne," certified 20 November, 1604, that he "hath conformed himselfe... and... hath worne the surplice with his hood according to his degree in schooles, vsed the crosse in baptisme maried with a ringe delivered the communion to the people kneeling" (Misc., 1604/49).
- 79. DEANE, WILLIAM, curate of Hillsden. He was cited to appear† 3 October, 1604, but did not appear, and the churchwardens certified that he did not wear the surplice. On 1 December he refused to subscribe, and the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 68, 75; below, pp. 364, 366; Misc., 1604/26).
- 80. Eaton, Randolph, non-graduate, curate of Chilton. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1004. He appeared, and alleged "that there wanted a sufficient surplisse," and subscribed (C., f. 68d.). The bishop ordered the churchwardens to be cited for not having a sufficient surplice. On 10 January, 1604-5, they and Eaton certified, "that wee haue provided suche a surplice as by the L.B.: his order was inioyned, and that our minister doth orderly weare it," whereupon they were all dismissed (C., f. 68d.; Misc., 1604/52).
- 81. EGERTON, THOMAS, M.A. (1583), licensed preacher, rector of Adstock (? 1569-1622). He was 'not conformable,' 24 February, 1604-5, and he appeared before the bishop at Buckden, 9 March (Ép. Court Book, 1603-6, ff. 99, 104d.). At the bishop's visitation in 1607, he is presented because "he doth not weare the surplice in the doinge of divine service" (Ep. Vis. 1607, f. 14d.).
- 82. GEE, GEORGE, M.A. (1598), unlicensed preacher, curate of Stony Stratford St. Giles. He was cited to appear† 3 October, 1604. He appeared 3 October, 30 November, and 1 December. On the lastmentioned day the bishop suspended him from the execution of his

<sup>+</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

office (C., ff. 68, 75d.). On 29 May, 1605, the apparitor certified that Gee "doth serve the cure again notwithstanding his suspension; whereupon the bishop decreed that the churchwardens be cited to appear at Huntingdon on 12 June next (C., f. 87). See below, pp. 363, 364-6.

83. Hanson, Henry, B.A., curate of Nether Winchendon. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day he appeared and subscribed. On 16 October he certified his conformity and was dismissed (C., f. 68d.). The churchwardens' certificate is dated 10 October (Misc., 1604/42).

84. Heape, Thomas, B.A. (1580), licensed preacher, vicar of Little Marlow (1596-1605). He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604 He appeared on 30 October, when he alleged "that there are divers scandalous ministers in Buck'shire and nothing done against them, whereupon the bishop admonished him to bring in their names before 30 November (C., ff. 69, 71d.). He, however, asked that his attendance might be excused:

Good Mr Chanclir, these are to signific vnto voue, that having bene syke, I feare my personall appearanc' would have bene with some hazard of my lyffe and so I ame homble to crave to be excused. And doe by these presentes acknowledge that as yet I cannot be resolued to conformitie (as youe cale it) but do willingly by these presentes submit my selffe to the sensure of a second admonition if it so please my lord and your worshipe so to proceed with vs. And thus with my humble commendation and dutie to your worshipe I take my leave committinge yow to the protection of the Almightie this 12 of November 1604. Lytle Marlowe.

Youre humble petetioner THOM, HEAPE.

To the worshipfull mr docter Bellie our most loving Chancler, these be d[elivere]d at Huntington (Misc., 1604/2).

Heape appeared on several other occasions (below, pp. 363-70). On 12 December he refused to subscribe or conform (C., f. 75d.). On 16 January, 1604-5, his attendance was excused on account of the plague (C., f. 77). On 19 June, 1605, the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 77, 87, 89, 91d., 92d., 124d.). On 2 October, 1605, he appeared and answered

that he cannot yet conforme himself And saith further that since his suspencion his cure hath beene some holie daies vnserved contra monicionem etc. and some daies the cure hath bene served by Mr [blank] Tice schoolmr at Henley Mr Wade mr of Stoke hosp: and one Mr [blank] Evans of Cloke lane in London preched there .2. sabbaths and Mr Robertes v: of Wooborne baptised a child at Wooborne Church and Mr Watson of Greate Marlowe baptised another at Greate Marlowe both which were borne in the parish of Litle Marlowe: And saith further that there hath not bene anie communion celebrated in the said parish churche of Litle Marlowe since his said suspencion. Unde dominus monuit dietum Heape that before the feast of All Saintes nexte he do provide a sufficiente curate and presente him to the said reuerend father or other competent judge to be admitted according to law et ad certificandum proximo sessione sequenti sub manu judicis predicti Et volterius dominus denuo monuit eum ad conformandum et certificandum 6. Novembris proximo in ecclesia de Buckden inter horas .9. et .11. ante meridiem. (see also below, pp. 368-9).

The bishop also decreed that Tice, Wade, Robertes, and Watson should be cited to answer before the chancellor concerning the premises. On

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

6 November, after preconization, Heape did not appear nor certify about the provision of a curate, and the bishop declared him contumacious, and excommunicated him (C., ff. 100, 125). On 4 December, 1605, Heape appeared, and answered that he had not conformed nor did he intend to conform, and the bishop pronounced a sentence depriving him of his benefice, Heape renouncing the benefit of appeal (C., f. 106). On 5 June, 1606, Heape appeared again, and having made oath to obey the law and observe the mandates of the church, prayed the benefit of absolution from the sentence of excommunication under which he lay on account of his manifest contumacy in not appearing, etc. Whereupon the bishop absolved him (C, f. 107d.).

Heape was named by the House of Commons in April, 1606, as an instance of peaceable ministers "who are often called to their extreame trouble and chardge, though for the avoidance of both, they have desired to be soner deprived." Heape, it was alleged, was called fourteen times and at last deprived (below, p. 469). The bishop's answer

is given below (pp. 368-9).

85. Herne or Heron, Robert, non-graduate, rector of Chesham Bois. He did not wear the surplice in 1585 (above, p. xxx). He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day he was excused on account of age. On 30 October and 1 December he was pronounced contumacious because he did not appear (C., f. 69). Later in the year, he and the churchwardens certified that a surplice had been provided, and that he wore it (Misc., 1604/25).

86. Kinge, Andrew, curate, preacher and schoolmaster at Chesham [Bois] and Chesham Woburn. On 18 September, 1605, he was admonished to conform himself and to celebrate divine service, and certify touching these things. He appeared, 18 September, 1605, and alleged that Mr Bowl, fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge, "provoked him to dispute" (C., f. 97d.). On 23 October, he did not appear, and the bishop pronounced him contumacious, and excommunicated him (C., f. 102d.). On 4 December, letters of the archbishop of Canterbury were exhibited certifying that at the time he ought to have appeared, King was before the royal commissioners at London, and was by them committed to prison (ad ergastulum), and therefore could not appear, and that his imprisonment still continued; whereupon the bishop decreed that he should be absolved (C., f. 106). See below, pp. 367-8, 370, 470.

Kinge seems to have been the person who matriculated from Clare college, Cambridge, in 1565. He was one of the militant spirits of puritanism. As early as in 1573 he was in the court of the Star Chamber (Strype, *Parker*, ii, 239f.); and in 1591-2 he was in prison, and brought before the high commission and the Star Chamber with Cartwright and others (Strype, *Whitgift*, iii, 245ff.). There was, however, another Andrew King, of Magdalen hall, Oxford, B.A. 1577, M.A. 1581, but

he would be too young for the trouble in 1573.

87. LINGARD, WILLIAM, M.A. (1599), curate of Hanslope. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day he appeared and subscribed, and was admonished to conform and certify under the hands

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

of the churchwardens; "Mr Dr Smith¹ to allowe the surplisse, and the churchwardens were admonished to shew [that they had one]." A note states that Lingard is contumacious but the grounds are not stated. On 30 November, he certified, and was dismissed "so that he pay the fees which he owes" (C., f. 68). The churchwardens certificate is dated 17 November, 1604 (Misc., 1604/20).

- 88. LOVERING, THOMAS, M.A. (1581), licensed preacher, rector of Dunton (1586-1609) He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, but failed to appear on several subsequent court days (C., ff. 69, 75d, 79). On 10 April, 1605, he certified his conformity (C., f. 86d.). The churchwardens' certificate is dated 10 May, 1605 (Misc., 1605-6/43). See below, p. 365.
- 89. MAWD, JAMES, M.A., vicar of Over Winchendon. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, but his attendance was excused. He failed to appear on 1 December, and was pronounced contumacious (C., f. 68d.). An undated certificate of the churchwardens states that they had provided a surplice, and that their vicar did not refuse to wear it. Another certificate states that their vicar is still conformable (Misc., 1604/47, 53).
- 90. Prestman, John, M.A., rector of Emberton. He appeared† on 3 and 31 October, 1604. On 30 November, his son John appeared, and said that his father was so sick that he could not be there. Whereupon the bishop told the son to warn his father to be there on the morrow, and meanwhile pronounced him contumacious. On the morrow the father came, and refused to subscribe. Later, he certified touching his conformity (C., ff. 68, 75d.; Misc., 1604/10).
- 91. RATCLIFF, RICHARD, B.A. (1584-5), rector of Wexham. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day he did not appear, whereupon the bishop excommunicated him. On 8 November, the bishop commissioned the rectors of Saunderton and Chalfont St. Giles to absolve him, and certify at the next court (C., f. 69). Apparently he conformed for he was still rector in 1614 (L.C., 1614, f. 106).
- 92. REEVE, JOHN, BA., curate of Princes Risborough. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed. On 18 October, he certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 68). The churchwardens' certificate is dated 10 October, 1604 (Misc., 1604/41).
- 93. SAUNDERS, WILLIAM, M.A, licensed preacher, vicar of Chesham Magna. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day he was excused on account of old age. On 31 October, and 30 November, and 1 December, he did not appear, and was pronounced contumacious. Afterwards he certified his conformity (C., ff. 69, 76). The certificate, dated 5 December, states that he conformed, and wore the surplice on 30 November (Misc., 1604/54).
- 94. Scott, Thomas, curate of Eastmansted Latimer (below, pp. 363-4, 366). He was cited to appear on 3 October, 1604, but failed to do so. On 31 October and 30 November he appeared, and on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> William Smith was the official of the archdeaconries of Bedford and Buckingham. The surplice was to be submitted to him for approval (Cp. above, pp. lxiv-v).

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

- 1 December the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 69, 75d). Richard Ballam was admitted curate in his place, 24 February, 1604-5 (Reg. xxx, f. 248d.). In one of the entries in the court book (C, f. 75d), and below (p. 363), Scott is described as curate also of Flaunden, co. Hertford. He may be the person of his name who was presented at the bishop's visitation in 1607 (above, p. lxxix).
- 95. SMITH, JOHN, M.A., rector of Ellesborough. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 68d.). The churchwardens' certificate that he "hathe lately worne the surplise," is dated 8 September, 1604 (Misc., 1604/40).
- 96. WILDIER, NICHOLAS, M.A. (1592), licensed preacher, vicar of Stewkley. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed; and on 16 October, he certified touching his conformity and was dismissed (C., f. 69; Misc., 1604/48).
- 97. WILKINSON, GABRIEL, curate of Waddesdon. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed; and on 30 October, he certified touching his conformity and was dismissed (C., f. 68d.). The churchwardens' certificate is dated 28 October (Misc., 1604/46).
- WILKINSON, HENRY, M.A. (1590), B.D., licensed preacher, rector of the first and second parts of the church of Waddesdon (1601-47). He was born at Halifax, co. York, 9 October, 1566; fellow of Merton college, Oxford, where he resided twelve years. He afterwards resided at Wooburn, co. Buckingham, for one and a half years; and was rector of Southwick, Sussex, c. 1509-1601 (P.D., 1601/13). He was cited to appeart on 3 October, 1604, but, failing to appear, was pronounced contumacious. He appeared on 13 November, and again on 12 December, when he alleged "that he hath a curate who doth conforme himself and therefore he being freed by the canon ought not to be compelled vntill a yeare be expired etc., et peliil beneficium iuris et hoc tempore recusauit" (C., ff. 68d., 75d.). After several appearances, he was, on 15 January, 1605-6, in hope of his conformity, granted till the next Wednesday fortnight after the end of the session of parliament then pending (C., ff. 79, 86d. 94, 100, 107; below, pp. 364-8). At the bishop's visitation in 1607 he is presented "for that he dothe not weare his surplice nor doth not say all the whole divine service and doth leaue out the letany" (f. 12d.). He died in possession of his benefice.

Mr Stirrop I vnderstande by my brother Burges that vpon a let[ter] from the Earle of Southampton my Lord Bishop is content to respi[te] myne appearance which should have beene the 30th of this month [to] the 27th of March and that order was taken with yowe 10 this purpose by my Lorde at his goeinge out of the courte, which because it was done but in a passage, I thought it necessarie to putt yowe in remembrance hereof least by your not takinge notice of it, I might incurr an vndeserved censure. Thus with my very lovinge salutacions I committ yowe to the blessinge and grace of the almightie At Wadesdon this 21th of Januarie 1604.

Yr very louinge frende

HENRY WILKINSON.

To my very lovinge frende Mr Styrropp at Bugden (Misc., 1604/1).

99. WOODCOCK, RICHARD, M.A. (1583), s.T.B., rector of Great Hampden. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and was admonished to conform before 31 October. The churchwardens certified [no date]

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

that they had provided a surplice, as enjoined by Mr doctor Hill, and that "Mr Woodcoke did weare yt." The bishop therefore dismissed him (C., f. 68; Misc., 1604/38).

- 100. WORGLEY, JOHN, non-graduate, vicar of Little Missenden. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed and certified touching his conformity (C., f. 68d.). The churchwardens and sidesmen certified that they have a surplice, "and our minister doeth weare it, and never refused it," 12 September, 1604 (Misc., 1604/35).
- 101. YARROWE, THOMAS, B.A., vicar of Newport Pagnell. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed (C., f. 68). The churchwarden and sidesmen certified his conformity, 20 November; and, on 30 November, the bishop dismissed him "so that he pay the fees which he owes" (C., f. 68; Misc., 1604/21).

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- Chambers, Richard, M.A. (1566), licensed preacher, rector of Digswell, co. Hertford (1592-1606), the son of a protestant exile at Frankfort. He was a fellow of Trinity college, Cambridge 1563; and vicar of Hitchin, 1576-92 (Alumni Cantab.). In 1570, he was one of Cartwright's supporters at Cambridge (Strype, Annals, ii, part i, p. 2). In 1584, he refused to subscribe to Whitgift's articles (below, p. 53). He was cited to appear on 3 October, 1604, and appeared on several occasions. On 12 December, he refused [to subscribe]; and on 19 June, 1605, he craved time for deliberation, and refused to give any other answer, whereupon the bishop excommunicated him for not answering whether he would conform or not (C., ff. 69, 76, 77d., 89, 91d., 124d.). On 13 September, he appeared before the bishop at Bucken, and having submitted himself, and made oath to obey the law and the mandates of the Church, the bishop absolved him (C., f. 96). On 2 October, he said "that as yet he hath not nor can now conforme himself, and craved time for further deliberation. On 6 November, he appeared in Buckden church, and, upon conference had with him, the bishop gave him a further time for reading, etc. (C., f. 100). In July, 1606, the rectory was vacant through his death (Reg. xxx, f. 287d.). See below, pp 364, 366-7; Urwick, Nonconformity in Herts, pp. 634-5.
- appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and confessed that he did not wear the surplice, and at once agreed to conform, but prayed to be allowed a time for subscription. Then he said "that he hath bene but di (half) a year at Northmyms and came owte of London diocesse and hath neither testimonie from the B. or Ordinarie there accordinge to the canon nor anie licence to serve at Northmyms." Thereupon the bishop enjoined him to be present to subscribe and certify his conformity on 30 November, and meanwhile inhibited him from the exercise of his office (C., f. 69d.) On 12 December, he refused, and the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office. On 7 January, 1604-5, he promised conformity, and asked time to consider about subscription, and the bishop relaxed the suspension (C., f. 76). On 30 January, he was sick, but sent a certificate of his conformity (Misc., 1604/8, 62). See below,

t before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

p. 366. On 19 June, 1605, he seems to have offered and promised to subscribe, and was dismissed until he should be cited afresh (C., f. 91).

104. FISHER, TIMOTHY, M.A., licensed preacher, curate of Tring, co. Hertford. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604. On 30 November, he appeared, and the bishop enjoined him "to drawe into writinge the principall pointes of his sermons which he hath preached since the first of September last," and to conform, etc. On 12 December he refused to conform or subscribe, and also refused to hand over his sermons, and alleged "that his time would not serve." Whereupon the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff 69, 76). On 19 June, 1605, he appeared and answered "that he hath not any cert. of his conformitie . . . neither hath he yet conformed himself, nor doth he meane nowe to conforme himself according to his former promise," whereupon the bishop again suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 87, 91, 124d.). See below, pp. 364, 366

PERKINS or Parkins, Oliver, M.A. (1591), vicar of Offley, co. Hertford (1603-6). He was cited to appear t on 3 October, 1604. On 1 December he did not appear, and the bishop excommunicated him. On 12 December he refused [to conform or subscribe]. The next day, he having sworn [to obey the law of the Church], etc, the bishop absolved him (C., ff. 69, 76). On 10 January, 1604-5, he said "that [he doth] not use the crosse in baptisme nor weareth the surplisse in celebracion of divine service neither can he yet be perswaded to vse the crosse nor surplisse" (C., f. 77d.). After several times respiting him, the bishop, on 19 June, 1605, suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 79, 89, 91d.). On 23 October, he again refused to conform, and the bishop, because of his growing contumacy, in not appearing before him and not obeying his monitious, excommunicated him; and, further, enjoined him to provide for the cure of souls in his parish to be served by a fit minister (C., ff. 92, 97d., 102d., 125). On 5 December, Fulk Roberts was instituted to the vicarage of Offley which was vacant because Perkins had not paid his tenths (Reg. xxx, ff. 296d.-7; C., f. 113d). The bishop stated that Perkins might have been absolved without subscription if he would have sworn to obey the law of the Church (below, p. 369).

106. SLOWE, ROBERT, B.A., rector of Throcking, co. Hertford. The churchwarden certified, 21 November, 1604, "that wee haue provided a decent surplice and our minister doth weare it orderlie." Slowe himself certified about the provision of the surplice, 17 November (Misc., 1604/45, 55).

107. SMITH, ROBERT, B.A., licensed preacher, rector of Caldecote, co. Hertford. He and the churchwarden certified that "we have a very large surplesse and our minester doth weare it" (Misc., 1604/27).

108. Walkwood, Nathaniel, B.A. (1588-9), not a preacher, curate of Bovingdon, co. Hertford. On 11 April, 1605, he was admonished to conform and certify (Ep. Court Book, 1603-6, f. 114). Christopher Pearte was licensed to the curacy, 22 September, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 265). This chapelry had a puritan tradition for Thomas Wilcocks, one of the earlier leaders of the presbyterian movement, was curate here in 1584 (below, p. 53; Dict. Nat. Biog.).

<sup>1</sup> The record is not very plain.

<sup>+</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

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- 109. Arme or Orme, William, B.A., curate of Thurcaston. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed. On 30 October he presented a certificate of conformity signed by the churchwardens, dated 7 October, and was dismissed (C., f. 66d.; Misc., 1604/17).
- Cadeby (1578-1605). He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and at various subsequent dates (C., f. 67d., 75, 77, 89; below, pp. 363-5, 367). On 24 April, 1604, he appeared, and alleged "that he cannot yet be perswaded to conforme himself," whereupon the bishop respited him until 19 June (C., f. 89), on which day Bott made the same answer, and the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., f. 91). On 18 September, 1605, he appeared and refused to conform himself, whereupon the bishop passed a sentence of deprivation, Bott protesting that it was of no effect (C, ff. 97d., 104, 105d., 124d.). On 27 November, Nathaniel Wood, M.A., was instituted to the benefice (Reg. xxx, f. 271).
- 111. Bringhurste, John, non-graduate, rector of Waltham. He appeared on 3 October, 1604, to answer for not wearing the surplice, because "at the communion he weareth yt and not otherwise" (C., f. 66d.). He held the rectory till his death in 1607 (P.D., 1607/13).
- Ashby de la Zouch. He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, to answer because he refused to use the surplice and the sign of the cross; and again on 31 October, when he refused to conform himself. He refused again on 30 November, and also on 1 December, when the bishop suspended him from the execution of his office (C., ff. 67, 74d.; below, pp. 364-5) He seems to have continued as headmaster of Ashby de la Zouch public school till about 1619, when he was suspended by the bishop. He then lectured in London, where he died. He was the author of many works (Dict. Nat. Biog.; Peile, Biographical Register of Christ's College, i, 162; see no. 122 below).
- 113. Brown, John, s.t.b., rector of Loughborough. On 22 July, 1605, he wrote to Dr Belley, the chancellor, saying that the bishop's apparitor had been certified by some malicious persons "that thinges in our church were not caried according vnto lawe," and doubting that this false imputation might come to the bishop, he informs the chancellor of the truth thereof:

Ever since my coming first to Loughborough we have observed the forme prescribed by lawe in prayer and administration of sacramentes except kneeling at the communion, the vse of the crosse in Baptisme and wearing of the surplice, which we take libertye in, not for that we hold them vnlawfull, but for that they were disused by my predecessour all her maiestye raigne and the people had conceaved some dislike of them whom I would not strive with vntill I were vrged thervnto by authority. Now that it hath pleased his maiesty to require an exact observation of these thinges I have laboured privatly and publikly to perswad the people of the lawfull vse of them: and have brought them for the most part to kneele at the communion, to approve the vse of the surplece hoping I shall prevaile likewise with them to do the like concerning the vse of the crosse. This course of drawing them one by degrees I have presumed that my lord would allowe me in my chardge and thinke well of it, especially in one who hath laboured by word and writting to drawe other ministers vnto conformity. If you

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

certifye our churchwardens that my lord liketh not of this slowe progresse of mine I will presently vpon notice therfore fall to the vse therof. And therfore I earnestly desire that by your fauour we may not be trobled to appeare vpon any such informacion and haue our names called into question for the refusall of that which we approue in our judgment and are redye to confirme by our practise, so farre forth as lawe requireth (Misc., 1605-6/77).

Brown died in possession of his rectory in 1642 (P.D., 1642/10).

- 114. Burrowe, Erasmus, non-graduate, unlicensed preacher, rector of Burrow on the Hill. He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, to answer for only wearing the surplice divers times (C., f. 66d.). He was still rector in 1614 (*Liber Cleri*, f. 132).
- 115. CAMPBELL, ROBERT, M.A., curate of Owston and Newbold. He was cited to appear ton 3 October, 1604. On 22 November, he appeared and said "that he weareth the surplisse and neuer refuseth yt but there was not a sufficient surplesse and therefore he did not weare yt but nowe there is a sufficient surplisse he weareth yt." He was ordered to conform before 30 November, and he exhibited a certificate of conformity, signed by the churchwardens, dated 25 November (C. f. 67d.; Misc., 1604/19).
- 116. COOPER, EDWARD, B.D., rector of Cold Overton. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604, on which day, he was sought, but, seemingly, did not appear. He, however, certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 66d.). He was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369). At the last reference he is stated erroneously in the record to have been rector of Coleorton.
- 117. Cotton, Thomas, M.A., rector of Laughton (see above, pp. lxxviiviii). He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, and at other times, to answer for not wearing the surplice and not observing the Prayer Book. On 30 January, 1604-5, he refused to conform or subscribe, and craved time. On 19 June, 1605, the bishop gave him time to confer with Mr. Sacheverill. On 23 October, on exhibition of letters of William Turpin and Basil Brook, knights, touching Cotton's urgent business and his peaceable and quiet behaviour, the bishop, in hope of his conformity, dismissed him until he should be cited afresh, provided that in the meanwhile the ceremonies of the church should be observed by him or by another fit minister there approved by lawful authority (C. ff. 67d., 74d., 78d, 86d., 91, 94, 97, 102; below pp. 363-8). At the bishop's visitation in 1607 he is presented because "he doth not read the holy service neither morninge nor eveninge prayer noe further then the second lesson nor weareth the surplice" (f. 29d.). On 20 January, 1607-8, he certified [that he had conformed], and was dismissed (f. 70d.). He still held the benefice in 1614 (L.C., 1614, f. 129d.).
- 118. DODD, THOMAS, M.A. (1585), rector of Eastwell. He appeared on 3 October, 1604. He certified 27 October, that he now wore the surplice, and used all the other ceremonies, and therefore he was dismissed (C. f. 66d.; Misc., 1604/18).
- 119. EATON, MATTHEW, curate of Market Harborough. He appeared before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, to answer because he did not wear the surplice except at the Communion. He appeared again 31 October, and certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C., f. 67d.). No subscription was required of him (below p. 369).

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

120. FREEMAN, WILLIAM, curate of Kegworth. He appeared to 3 October, 1604, and subscribed and certified touching his conformity, and was dismissed (C. f. 66d.). The certificate of conformity was signed by the rector and churchwardens, 30 September, 1604 (Misc., 1604/13).

121. HIGGINSON, John, M.A. (1568), rector of Claybrooke. He was cited to appear† on 3 October, 1604. He did not appear, but purged his absence by letter, and promised to conform, and so was dismissed (C., f. 67). No subscription was required of him (below, p. 369).

122. HILDERSHAM, ARTHUR, M.A. (1584), vicar of Ashby de la Zouch (1593-1605) He was a fellow of Trinity hall, Cambridge, 1584; and lecturer at Ashby de la Zouch, 1587, before his ordination. His parents, who were papists, designed him for the priesthood in the Church of Rome, and his father disinherited him on account of his protestant convictions. He was one of the puritan leaders as early as 1590, and was before the high commission in 1591 with Cartwright and others (Usher, Reconstruction, 1, 64n). In 1604 he was the most active of the managers of the "millenary petition" (Dict. Nat. Biog.). He appeared before the bishop, on 3 and 31 October, and 30 November, 1604, to answer for not wearing the surplice and not signing with the cross (C., ff. 67, 74d.). On 12 December he refused [to conform or to subscribe] (C., f. 74d.). On 12 December there is a memorandum in the court book: vpon a monicion from his matie for some of the ministers to conferr with my L. [sc. the bishop] and Mr d[octor] Mountacute deane of the kinges chappell Mr Hildersham said they would not come to be borne downe with countenance and with scoffs (ibid.).

On the same day, Stirropp, the registrar, made a note in the court book: Dominus tradidit mihi librum canonum editorum in vltima Convocatione et perlecta .54. caput dominus monuit ministros sequentes tunc presentes to take notice thereof at their perills (C., f. 73d.).

For the names of the ministers referred to see below, p. 364. The fifty-fourth canon provides that if any licensed preacher, after being admonished by the bishop, do not conform himself within the space of a month, his licence shall be void.

On 16 January, 1604-5, he appeared; and again on 24 April, 1605, when he said that "he doth not nor can conforme himself for manie causes." The bishop therefore pronounced a sentence depriving him of his benefice, Hildersham being present, dissenting, and protesting that it was of no effect, and appealing to the archbishop of Canterbury in his court of arches; (C., ff. 76d., 87, 89a, 89; above pp. lxviii, lxxiii). On 19 June, 1605, he failed to appear for the purpose of prosecuting his appeal (C., f 91). See below pp. 363-6. He seems never to have conformed, and was more than once in trouble after this date. For an account of his life see the *Dictionary of National Biography*; Peile, *Biographical Register of Christ's College*, i, 139. The latter notice states that Hildersham remained vicar of Ashby de la Zouch until his death in 1632; but the vicarage was held by several other men from 1605-32. Hildersham seems, however, to have been appointed to a lectureship there about 1609, a position in which he would escape the obligation to use some at least of the obnoxious ceremonies. The following answers to articles refer to him and his curate (see above, no. 112):

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

- [? Answers<sup>1</sup>] deliuered by Richard Spencer of Ashby de lazouch in the [county of ] Leicester chandler . . . . the said Richard Spencer cominge to Mr Brinsley late Curate of [Ash1] by aforesaid to desire him to publish and demaund in the church certaine money of his the said Spencers which was taken owt of his house aboute Michaelmas last when his howse was on fire and after burned downe to the ground with all his goodes to the valewe of xli the said Mr Brinsley answered nay, nay, the crosse hath lighte on the, and a wors judgement hangeth ouer thy head, thow wilte have thy children baptised with the crosse and the said Spencer answered that vf he had anie more children he would have them baptised with the signe of the crosse according to his maties lawes and Mr Brinsley asked, yf not godes lawes, and Spencer said that his maties lawes was godes lawes. Afterwardes Mr Hildersham in his sermon said that there was three dwelling houses burned and .2. of them were Chrestians and the third meaning the said Spencer, he could not tell what to make of him. Also Mr Hildershams wife came to a widowe woman where the fire began and told her Jone be of good comforte iiijli will build vpp thy howse againe, and as for Spencer the crosse hath lighte on him, let him beware the surplesse or other wordes to the like effecte (Misc., 1605-6/10). signum RICHARDE + SPENCER.
- 123. HOLDVER, THOMAS, curate of Mountsorrell. He was cited to appear before the bishop to answer concerning his not wearing the surplice, because he 'weareth yt not euerie day' (C., f. 66d.). No further proceedings seem to have been taken against him, and he still held the curacy in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 138d.).
- 124. JESSON, THOMAS, non-graduate, vicar of St. Nicholas', and curate of St. Mary's, Leicester. He was cited to appear before the bishop on 3 October, 1604, to answer because he did not wear the surplice every 'sabaoth day,' but he probably did not appear (C., f. 67). He still held his offices in 1614 (L.C., f. 122d.).
- 125. KINGE, DANIEL, B.A. (1596), vicar of Belton. He was cited to appear before the bishop on 3 October, 1604, to answer for that he did not wear the surplice, and also did not catechize. He appeared and subscribed, and was enjoined to certify touching his conformity (C., f. 67). The certificate of the churchwardens and two others, dated 9 December, states that he had worn the surplice and used the sign of the cross and the ring, etc. (Misc., 1604/51).
- 126. More, John, M.A. (1576), licensed preacher, rector of Knaptoft. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and craved respite. The bishop admonished him to conform, and to subscribe and certify touching his conformity (C., f. 67d.). He appeared on subsequent occasions (C., ff. 75, 86d., 91, 94, 97d.; below, pp. 364-8). On 30 January, 1604-5, he appeared, and alleged

that he hath considered of those reasons which moved him to stand against conformitie and he ys still more and more confirmed in his opinions and therefore hath not yet conformed himself neither can be now conforme himself (C., f. 78d.).

On 19 June, 1605, he alleged that he was conferring with Mr Sacheverill (C., f. 91); and on 23 October, the bishop dismissed him (C., f. 102) on the same terms as he did Thomas Cotton (above, no. 117). At the bishop's visitation in 1607 he is presented for not wearing the surplice (f. 23d.). He held his benefice till his death in 1619.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The document is damaged.

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

- 127. NAILER, RICHARD, non-graduate, vicar of Hungarton. He appeared† on 3 October, 1604, and subscribed; and was enjoined to certify touching his conformity under the hands of the churchwardens. Apparently, he failed to do this, for, on 1 December, he is entered as contumacious (C., f. 66d.). He was still holding the benefice in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 114d.).
- 128. NUTTER, ANTHONY, scolaris, unlicensed preacher, rector of Fenny Drayton (1582-1605). In 1591-2, he was in prison, and before the high commission and the court of the Star Chamber, with Thomas Cartwright, Anthony Nutter, and others, on the charge of trying to establish the Book of Discipline (Strype, Whitgift, iii, 245ff). He appeared on 3 October and 30 November, 1604 (C., ff. 67d., 75). On 30 January, 1604-5, he appeared and answered "that he hath not yet conformed himself neither will now conforme himself, and saith that whatsoever ys the invention of man ys not to be allowed in the service of god"; whereupon the bishop passed the sentence of deprivation, Nutter dissenting and appealing to the court of Arches from it as null and invalid (C., f. 78d.). See above p. lxxiii. Edward Lynne, s.t.b., was instituted to the benefice, 9 August, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 260). See below, pp. 363, 365-6. Usher (Reconstruction, ii, 11) says that Nutter was 'reinducted' in September, 1606; but this is a mistake, since it was Robert Mason who was instituted on the 17th of that month in succession to Lynne (Reg. xxx, f. 291).
- 129. Pelsant, William, S.T.B., vicar of Market Bosworth, perhaps did not wear the surplice. If so, presumably he conformed (above, p. lxiv).
- 130. POLLARD, CHRISTOPHER, rector of Houghton, perhaps did not wear the surplice. If so, presumably he conformed (above, p. lxv).
- 131. Rosse, Gabriel, M.A. (1600), vicar of Packington (1603-10). He appeared on 3 October, 1604, and the bishop admonished him to appear later in the day and to subscribe. Seemingly he did not appear, since he was pronounced contumacious (C., f. 67). On 30 November he again failed to appear (C., f. 74d.). Afterwards he conformed, and was not required to subscribe (below, p. 369).
- 132. RUDDINGTON, THOMAS, B.A., rector of Norton by Galby, perhaps did not wear the surplice. If so, presumably he conformed (above, p lxiv).
- 133. SAVAGE, JOHN, M.A., curate of Ratcliffe Culey. He was cited to appear before the bishop on 3 October, 1604, because "he weareth not the surplice every day" (C., f. 67d.). No further proceedings against him are recorded.
- 134. Sherwood, Richard, M.A., licensed preacher, rector of Thurlaston (1587-1605). He was cited to appear before the bishop, 3 October, 1604, to answer for that he "neither signeth with the crosse, and omitteth diuers thinges in the booke of common praier, twoe surplisses haue bene tendered him, which he reteyneth at his howse, sayeing he tooke them thither to see what condicion they were of." He appeared on that day and 30 November, and on 16 January, 1604-5

<sup>†</sup> before the bishop, sitting in his court, to answer for not wearing the surplice.

(C., ff. 67, 74d., 77). On 10 April, 1605, he appeared, and said that he could not be resolved to be conformed, and prayed right and justice; whereupon the bishop pronounced the sentence of deprivation, in the presence of Sherwood, who dissented and protested against it as void and unjust and contrary to the statutes and ecclesiastical laws of the kingdom, and appealed to the archbishop in his court of arches. The bishop assigned the 29 May for him to follow up his appellation and to certify. On 28 May he appeared and shewed the certificate (C., ff. 87, 87a). See above, p lxxiii, and below, pp. 363 6. The following is the draft of a letter from the bishop:

Sal: in Christo: Mr Sherewood parson of Thurleston being deprived of his benefice hath made request vnto me that vntill such time as there may be an incumbent established, the cure may be sufficientlie provided for, by some of the neighbour ministers, and withall hath commended vou vnto me in this behalf which request of his being agreable to the directions I have received from the Archb: of Cant.' his  $\hat{G}$ : I doe therefore pray and require you, and by their my lettres doe aucthorize you and euerie of you, that vntill further order may be taken herein, von doe take some extraordynarie paynes (without preindise to your owne charge) to preache the worde, read divine service, and administer the sacramentes, and the rites, and ceremonyes of the Churche of England there accordinge to the booke of Common [Prayer], that the people may not altogether be deprived of those . . . . that belonge vnto them, and you shall not fayl . . . . . the like kyndnes of other your neightenoures . . . . mynisters when you shall haue any just occasion to . . . see and provide that the cure of sowles of the parishioners of Thurleston aforesaid be well and sufficientlie discharged. And theis my lettres shalbe vour sufficiente warrant in that behalf. And so with my hartie commendacions I committe you to god. Buckden this xxiiijth of Aprill 1605.

Your Lovinge Freind

To my lovinge Freindes M<sup>r</sup> Browne parson of Loughborowe M<sup>r</sup> Wood curate there M<sup>r</sup> White parson of Broughton and M<sup>r</sup> Sampson preacher at Leicester and everie of them haste theis speedilie (Misc., 1605-6/40).

- 135. STERK, HENRY, BA, vicar of Scraptoft, perhaps did not wear the surplice. He died there in 1604 (above, p. lxv).
- 136. Watts, Robert, vicar of Fleckney, perhaps did not wear the surplice. If so, presumably he conformed (above, p. lxv). The benefice was vacant by his death in 1609 (P.D., 1609/49). The Robert Watts, who is mentioned above (p lxv) as holding the rectory in 1614, was perhaps his son.
- 137. WESTIBIE, WILLIAM, M.A. (1604), curate of Blackfordby (Blowerbie). He was cited, 3 October, 1604, to answer for not wearing the surplice, and not observing the Book of Common Prayer, but he did not appear (C., f. 67). No further proceedings against him are recorded.
- 138. WOOD, PETER, non-graduate, vicar of Castle Donnington. He appeared on 3 October, 1604; and on 30 October he presented a certificate of his conformity, dated 7 October, and was dismissed (C., f. 67; Misc., 1604/56).

<sup>1</sup> The document has been injured.

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1	Aby		
2	Addlethorpe	Scopholme, Christopher	
3	Algarkirk	Patric, Robert	Patryk, Robert
3 + 50	Althorpe	Gonnas, Francis	•
5	Alvingham		
Ó	Asgarby [near Spilsby]	[Curate nunamed]	
7	Ashby, West, & Goulceby		
8	Barlings		Wryghte, John
9	Barnoldby le Beck	H, George	Hydd, Robert
IO	Bassingham		Hatton, William
H	Baumber	Maxwell, Thomas	
1.2	Beckingham	Ward, Thomas	Ward, Thomas
13	Belton in the Isle of Axholme	Clesbye, Thomas	[Clesbye <sup>1</sup> ], Thomas
14	Benington, [Long]	Idell, William	Ydell, William
15	Biscathorpe		
16	Boston		Bowsar, Leonard
17	Bourne		
18	Bratoft		
19	Broughton, Brant		
20	Broughton near Brigg		
2 I	Burgh on Bain	Wryghte, Christopher	
22	Burton by Lincoln	Fetherston, Robert	

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

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RECORD OFFICE, LONDON].

case the amount is 6s. 8d., and the clerk is described as 'curate' in brackets. An entry has occasionally been struck out, and the has refused to pay the subsidy. Sometimes the name of the is mentioned in the roll.]

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22 Fetherston, Robert

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
I 2	Clicyles, Andrew	Rowtli, Roger Purley, John	
3	Patricke, Robert	Patricke, Robert	Williams, William
4 5 6	Harte, John	Brian, Robert	Mumbie, Thomas
7		Shelley, Humphrey	
8 9	Wright, John		
10	Hatton, William	Woffingden, James	Beswicke, John
11 12 13	Ward, Thomas Cleysby, Thomas	Gadbie, Thomas  Cleyston [sic], Thomas	Cleasbie, Thomas
14	Idle, William		
15 16	Bocher, Leonard	Bewsher, Leonard (stipendiary) Pike, Henry	Howson, Francis Worship, James (stipendiary)
17 18	Fowler, John	(stipendiary) Fowler, John Gunnes, Francis	Gunnes, Francis
19 20	Purley, John	Tailour, William	Tailour, Roland
21			

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	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1571. Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
23	Burton [on Stather?]	Tomsone, John	
24	Burwell		
25	Caythorpe	Chamberlane, Henry	Chamberlane, Henry
20	Carlton		
27	Carlton in the archdeaconry of Stow		
28	Clee	Lacy, Richard	
20	Cöckerington	Ingelby, Richard	
	St. Leonard		
30	Coningsby	Welby, Percival	Welby, Percival
31	Cowbit		Edgowse, Thomas
32	Cranwell		
33	Crowland		Brian, Thomas
34	Croxby	Vessye, Robert	
-35	Edenham	Ayschughe, John	Ayskew, John
36	Elkington, North	Lambe, Thomas	
37	Epworth	Ryder, Lawrence	
38	Fillingham	12	1.
39	Fishtoft (Toft)	Bownsar, John	Bonser, John
40	Folkingham		NT: 1 (121
41	Fosdyke		Nicolson, Thomas
42	Fulbeck		[blauk <sup>2</sup> ], Hugh
43	Gedney		Fyshborne, Jervase
44	Gedney Fen	Jargafeld, John	Walker, Thomas
45	Glentworth		
	Goulceby, See		
.6	Ashby, West.	Duttomyourthu	Posts and sounds
46	Grainsby	Butterwourthe,	Butterwourthe, Edward
. 177	Crainthanna	Edward Fyding <sub>(</sub> , John	
47	Grainthorpe Grantham	Parker William	Fydens, John
48	Greetwell	Clarke, Roger	Clark, Richard <sup>1</sup>
49 50	Gretford	[blank <sup>3</sup> ], James	Chark, Reenace
51	Grimoldby	[mank], James	
52	Hackthorn		
53	Hagworthingham	Hygdon, Simon	
5 <del>1</del>	Hallington	Creighton, James	Creighton, James
34	(Allyngton)	oreignion, junies	creighton, james
55	Harlaxton		Wryghte, Robert
55 56	Hatton		
57	Haxey	Wilson, Richard	
58	Hemingby	Hodgson, William	Hodgson, John
59	Holton cum		· · •
	Beckering		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Ste. <sup>2</sup> 'Devias' in the parish register. <sup>3</sup> James Walles was curate 1573-5 (Bishops' Transcripts).

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577, Roll 40/833.	<b>A D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
23 24 25 26 27	Jukes, William	Beswick, John Nox, Thomas	Vanne, ∫ohn
28 29	Inglebee, Richard		
30		Welby, Percival	Welby, Percival
31 32 33	Johnson, Thomas Chapman, [blank]		Robinson, Thomas
34 35 36	Ayscughe, John Doughtie, Eustace		Howet, John
37 38 39	Bownser, John	Martendale, Thomas	Jackson, John
40 41 42 43 44 45	Fyshborne, Jervase Walker, Thomas	Burge, Robert Revell, James Gossape, Richard Walker, Thomas Beverley, William	Jackson, John Knight, Richard Rowthe, Peter Hodgekynson, William Beverley, William
46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54	Butterwourthe, Edward Fydens, John Clarke, Roger Webster, Edward Creighton, James	Butterwourthe, Edward  Barker, John  Dreighton, James	Lumley, John  Reske, Thomas  Creighton, James
55 56 57 58 59	Wright, Robert Lyettys, Robert Turner, Robert <sup>2</sup>	Allen, Robert	Blackburne, Edmund

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$   $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{H}_{\bullet}}$   $^{2}$  \*Curate of Howton,' Probably Holton  $\mathit{cum}$  Beckering is intended.

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60	Hough on the Hill		Leke, Christopher
61 62 63 64 65 66	Ho Ingoldmells Ingoldsby Irby in the Marsh Keal, East Keddington	Stevens, Richard	Dale, Thomas Page, Christopher Stevens, Richard
67 68 69	Kelsey, North [Kettlethorpe?] (Kettlewell) Kirkby Green		
70	Kyme	Tymberlane, Thomas	[Curate unnamed]
71	Laceby	Hyd, Robert	Dall Labor
72 73	Leake Leasingham	Bell, John	Bell, John
73	Lincoln,		
, ,	St. Benedict's		
75	"St. Botolph's		
70	"St. Peter at		
77	Gowts' ,, St. Swithin's		
77 78	Linwood	Freman, Robert	Freman, Robert
79 80	Ludford Magna	,	
80	Lusby		
81 82	Lutton	Fyshborne, Jervase	Benington, Isak
0.2	Maltby in the Marsh		
83	Minting		
84	Navenby	Tailor, Henry	Tailor, Richard <sup>1</sup>
85	Newton, Wold <i>or</i> Old	Sylvester, John	Bryan, Robert
86	Ormsby, Nun	D : ( E :	
87 88	Pinchbeck Saxby	Banister, Francis	
89	Scamblesby		
90	Scotton		Newton, Thomas
91	Sempringham		,
92	Spalding		Jobes, John
93	Stainfield	Lollye, John	
94	Stamford, St.  John's		
95	Stickney		
96	Stixwould Stow in Lindsey		
97 98	Stow in Lindsey Sutterton	Browne, John	Mason, William
90	Sutton	Semer, William	Mason, William
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	A.D. 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
61	Lecke, Christopher -	Taylor, Richard	
62 63 64 65	Stevens, Richard Lowfie, John		Cliff, John
66 67 68	Rede, Thomas	Elshame, Clement	Vauiser, John
69 70	Cooke, Alexander	Duffylde, Thomas	Duffylde, Thomas
71 72 73 74		Bełl, John	Bell, John Minithorpe, Roger Silvester, John
75 76		Mossie, William	Marshall, William Bowthe, George
77 78	Bell, Thomas	Sergeante, Robert	Serjeant, Robert Hanson, Robert
79 80		Worthrops, Hugh	Birche, James
81 82	Benington, Isak	Benington, Isak Litster, William	Douther, John <sup>1</sup> Litster, William
83 84 85	Taylour, Henry	Lettyn, Robert Taylour, Henry	Letton, Robert
86	Barker, Richard	Kelke, John	Kelke, John
87 88 89 90		Swyfte, Edmund	Wiggen, William
91 92	Rowland, John	Rodiate, Roger Joppes, John	Rodiate, Roger Jopes, John Brian, Robert
93 94		Mossie, John	Buan, Robert
95	The house Mark	Reyly, Christopher	Riler, Christopher
96 97 98 99	Thakwray, Martin Jobes, John	Barlow, Humfrey	

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Curate of Sutton.' Lutton (i.e.) Sutton St. Aicholas is intended, as is snewn by Liber Cleri, 1580 (L.R.S., vol. ii, page 221), and Liber Cleri, 1585 (fo. 8).

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100	Sutton, Long Sutton St. James Sullon St. Vicholas, See Lullon	Allyne, Thomas	-Archer, Robert
102	Tattershall		Parker, Christopher
103	Theddlethorpe	Cramer, Henry	
104 105 100 107	[St. Helen] Tho Thoresby,[North] Thoresway Thorpe on the	[Curate unnamed] Holdernes, Alan Lomley, John	Holderners, Alan
108	Hill Toft. See Fishtoft Torksey		D 1 1 177
100	Waddington		Berdsey,¹ William
110	Wainfleet [All Saints?]	Cooke, Silvester	
Ι Ι Ι	Wainfleet St. Mary	Hamerton, James	
112	Washingborough	Taylor, Richard	N. 1 D 1
113	Welbourn Welton (in the Marsh)	Neale, Richard	Naler,¹ Richard Sharpe, John
115	Westborough	Caller on Dalacet	( ) - 1
110	Weston Wickenby	Collyer, Robert	Colyer, Robert
118	Wigtoft		
119	Wintringham	Decon, Christopher	Decon, Christopher
120 121	Witham, North Witherne	Clyfe, John	Clyf, John Ward, Henry
122	Wyberton		Smythe, David
123	[Hlegible]		Howson, Francis

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[Several entries illegible]
Hallington
[Ormsby, Nun?]
Bennington .
West lawgh[ton]
[Houghton?]
ham

Creighton, James Kelk, John Har . . oll, Richard . . . . . Edward Gibson, John Newton, Roger

1 Sic.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This roll is in a very had state and the greater part of it is illegible. It has therefore been thought best to print the lists of curates as they appear in the roll instead of tabulating them,

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
100	Alen, Thomas	Alen, Thomas	
102	Lomeley, John	Edgeworthe, Edward (preacher)	
104 105 100 107	Hyde, Robert	Mumbie, Thomas	Vessie, Robert
110	Berdesley,¹ William		Bradley, Thomas
111 112 113 114	Haram, Robert		Shephard, Leonard
115 110 117 118 119 120 121 122	Clyff, John Moreley, Thomas	Styll, Edward Collier, Robert Woodlyef, Gilbert	Coher, Robert Browne, Robert Decon, Christopher Warden, Fulke
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#### A.D. 1575.

Roll 40/834 (continued).

Scamelsbie	Swefte, Edmund
Sempringham	Rodiat [Roger?]
Alvingham	Brian [Robert?]
Bamburgh	[Gadby ?], Thomas
St. Botulph [Lincoln?]	
	F, Richard

<sup>1</sup> Sic.

#### A.D. 1575.

Roll 40/834 (continued).

[eight entries illegible] Adelthorp Maltbie Witherne		· · · · ., Cristofer Purley, [John ?] Litster, Thomas Hunterhow, [Roger¹]		
	Parish,	<b>A.D.</b> 1586. Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D.</b> 1587. Roll 40/839.	
1	Algarkirk	Cartwright, Miles	Cartwright, Miles	
2	Ashby, West	Collingwood, Thomas		
3 4	Baumber Beckingham	Eastwood, Nicholas	Eastwood, Nicholas	
2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Braceby Broughton, Brant Clee	Knolles, James	Knocker, James Robinson, Thomas	
9 10 11 12	Coningsby Edenham Epworth Fillingham Fulbeck	Laune, Thomas Juniper, Henry	Tomson, Henry Lynn, Thomas Jeniver, Henry Lawley, John Abram, Thomas	
13 14 15	Gedney Gedney Fen End Grainthorpe	Hodgkinson, William² Lumley, John	Lumley, John	
16	Harpeswell Hemswell	Kitchinman, Christopher	Kitchenman, Christopher	
18 19 20 21 22	Hougham Irnham Kyme Leake Leasingham, North	Tomson, [blauk] <sup>3</sup> Bell, John [Curate unnamed]	Bull, [blauk] <sup>4</sup> Duffeld, Thomas	
23 24 25	Lincolu, St. Benedict's ,, St. Botulph's ,, St. Peter at Gowts'		Silvester, John Marshall, William	
26	" St. Swithin's	Sargeant, Robert	Sergeant, Robert	
27 28 29 30	Navenby Saleby Scotton Sempringham	[blank] [blank] Rudiatt, George	Barlowe, John	
and	1 'Roger' in the Bishops' Transcripts. 2 'Curate of Gedney.' Probably Gedney Fen End is intended (Cp. L.C., 1585, fo. 8, and Bishops' Transcripts). 3 Henry in L.C., 1585, fo. 5t. 4 'John' in the Bishops' Transcripts.			

#### A.D. 1575. Roll 40/834 (continued).

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Belton [in the Isle of Axholme]  Stow?			Cleyston, Thomas	
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	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Rolf 40/842.	<b>A.D. 15</b> 89 Roll 40/84		
Ī	Cartwright, William	Cartwright, Mil	es [Curate unnamed]	
3		Geeve, William	1	
2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Geve, William Kurles, James Robinson, Thomas Percyvall, Richard	Knox,¹ James Robinson, Thor	[Curate unnamed]	!
9 10 11 12 13	Lunn, Thomas Jeniver, Henry	Lunn, Thomas Jeniver, Henry		
14 15 10 17	Lumley, John	Lumley, John Kitchenn,² Chri	[Curate unnamed] stopher	
81	Farforde, *Thomas			
20 21 22	Dufeld, Thomas	Duffeild, Thom	as [Curale unnamed]	
23				
24 25	Marshall, William Tailer, William	Marshall, Willia Tailour, Williau		
26 27 28	Sargeant, Robert	Sargeaunt, Rob Leaver, Ralph	ert [Curate nunamed]	:
29 30	Barlowe, John	Barlowe, John	[Curate unnamed]	

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Knolles,' 'Knocker,' 'Kurles,' and 'Knox' are probably variants of one name. 'Kurles' is probably a copyist's misreading of 'Knoles.' L.C. 1585, fo. 4, has 'Knockes.' 2 'Kitchinman' in L.C. 1585, fo. 21.
3 Given as 'Farworth,' 'Farnworthe, 'Farnsworth,' in the Bishops' Transcripts.

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	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1586. Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D.</b> 1587. Roll 40/839.
31 32	Skirbeck Surfleet	$[blank^1]$ , William	Tukeney, William
33	Sutton [in the Marsh]		East, John
34 35	Torksey Westborough	[Curate nunamed]	Bradley, Thomas Sharpe, Andrew
	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1591. Roll 41/846.	<b>A.D.</b> 1594. Roll 41/849.
1	Edenham Fillingham	Tomson, Henry	Tomson, Henry
3	Grainthorpe Grantham	Lumley, John	
2 3 4 5 6	Kyme Lincoln,	Duffild, Thomas <sup>2</sup>	
7 8	St. Botulph's "St. Swithin's	Marshall, William	
9	Scotton . Welbourn		Martine, Nicholas
	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1602. Roll 41/857.	A.D. 1603, Mar. Roll 41/800.
I 2	Kyme Syston	Duffine, Thomas Morris, Richard	Duffiu, Thomas Morris, Richard
			COUNTY
	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1571.</b> Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
1 2 3	Aspley [Guise] Biddenham Cardington Clifton	Coxe, Thomas [Curate unnamed]	
2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Clophill Cople Crantield	William, John Hamerton, Thomas	[Curale unnamed]
8 9 10 11 12	Dean Dunstable Eversholt Gravenhurst Harlington	Lorance, Richard Tydye, James Grene, Gabriel Smythe, Edward	Tydey, James <sup>*</sup> Grene, Gabriel Smith, Edward Giles, Walter

Tuckni' in L.C. 1585, fo. 8d. Curate of South Kyme.'

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	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D.</b> 1589. Roll 40/844.	<b>A.D.</b> 1590. Roll 40/840
31 32 33	Tuckney, William Gibsonn, Thomas East, John		
34	Bradley, Thomas	Sharpe, Andrew	[Curate unnamed]
	<b>A.D.</b> 1598. Roll 41/852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9- Roll 41/850.	<b>A.D.</b> 1599. Roll 41/854.
1 2	[Curate <sup>1</sup> ] refused	[Curate unuamed]	
2 3 4 5 6	Maltebye, John Duffin, Thomas		Maltbye, John Duffin, Thomas
7 8 9	Halley, John Barlowe, John		Hadley, John Barlowe, John
		<b>A.D.</b> 1603, <b>Oct.</b> Roll 41/859.	
I 2		[Curate unnamed]	
0F	BEDFORD.		
	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
I 2	Cox, Thomas	Lane, Thomas Cox, Thomas	Aplebie, Francis
2 3 4 5 6		Clarke, John	
7 8	Ford, Roger	Rogers, Robert <sup>2</sup>	Rogers, Roger
9 10 11 12	Grene, Gabryel Smythe, Edward	Smithe, Edmund <sup>2</sup>	Smith, Edward
	<sup>1</sup> Struck through, <sup>2</sup> Sic.		

## CLERICAL SUBSIDY ROLLS

	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1571. Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
13	Knotting Marston	[Curate unnamed]	[Curate unnamed] Spence, Paul
15 16 17 18	[Morteyne] Mauldon Northill Hockliffe (Ocliff) Odell Pertenhall	Lecher,¹ John Hyll, Philip Sheperd, Cuthbert	Fluyd, Christopher [Curale uunamed]
20 21	Polloxhill Ridgmont	Polmer, Nicholas	[Curate nunamed]
22 23	Shillington Steventon (Stephyston)	Botcher, William Kynge, John	[Curale uunamed]
24 25 26	(Stepington) Sutton Turvey (Turvil) Wymington	Barlow, Oliver [Curate unnamed]	[Curale unnamed]
		<b>A.D.</b> 1575. Roll 40/834. <sup>2</sup> [ <i>Illegible</i> .]	
	Parish.	<b>A</b> · <b>D</b> . 1586 Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D.</b> 1587. Roll 40/839.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7	Colmworth Dean Dunstable Knotting Northill Tempsford Warden, [Old]	Piott, Ralph Hicket, [blank] Diche, George	Hocket, [blank]
	Parish.	<b>A</b> - <b>D</b> : 1591. Roll 41/846.	<b>A</b> .D. 1594. Roll <sub>41</sub> /849.
1 2 3 4	Colmworth Dean Northill Tempsford	Hicket, Anthony Baldwin, [ <i>blank</i> ]	[Curale unnamed] [Curale unnamed] Hecket, William
	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1602. Roll 41/857.	<b>A.D. 1603, M</b> ar. Roll 41/866.
I	Dean	Linsay, William	Lindsey, William
	1 Sic.		

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<sup>1</sup> Sic.
2 See page 8, note 2.

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581- Roll 40/835.
13 14	Price, John Paule, William		
15 16 17 18	Leche, John	Leache, John	
10 20 21 22 23	[blank], Ralph		
24 25 26			
	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D.</b> 1589- Roll 40/844.	<b>A.D.</b> 1590- Roll 40/840.
1 2 3	Lingarde, John		[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
3 4 5 6 7	Hockett, William	Hackett, John Bowyer, John	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
	<b>A.D.</b> 1598. Roll 41/852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9. Roll 41/856	<b>A.D.</b> 1599. Roll <sub>41</sub> /854.
1 2 3 4	Lindsell,¹ William		[Curate unnamed]
		<b>A.D.</b> 1603, Oct. Roll 41/859.	
I		[Curate unnamed]	
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	Parish,	<b>A.D. 1571.</b> Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
1 2	Amersham Ashendon	Fyld, William	Coo, [blauk] Felde, William
3 4 5 6	Aston Clinton Aylesbury Bletchley	Nyxon, Robert [blank], James	Hichcocke, John Welche, James
7 8	Bradenham Calverton Chalfont St. Giles		Lawton, Ranulph
9	Chearsley (Chardsley)	[Curate unnamed]	
11	Cheddington Chetwode Chilton	Creswell, Ralph	
12 13 14	Choulesbury Crawley, North	Westwyke, William Hychyns, Richard	James, John
15 16 17	Cuddington Dorton Dunton	Knyghte, William [Curate unuamed]	Syre, William Knighte, William Medcalf, James
18 19 20	Farnham Royal Halton Haversham	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] Harvey, Richard	Robertes, John
21 22	Hillesden Horsendon		Kemp,¹ Thomas
23 24 25	Horwood, Great Ilmer Lillingstone	Atkynson, Thomas Josepte, John	Joseph, John
26 27	Dayrell Linford, Great Linslade	Read, John Wyndsor, Thomas	Read, John
28 29	Loughton Ludgarshall	Mason, Thomas Jones, Geoffrey	Harvie, Richard
30 31 32 33 34	Marsh Missenden, Great Moulsoe Olney Pitstone (Pitch-	Medcalfe, Christopher Richardson, George Aborne, Henry	Reeve, Edward
35	thorne) Preston Bissett	[Curate unnamed]	D.W. 1.1
36 37 38	Quainton Raduage Ravenstone	Polley, John Jones, William	Polly, John Kinge, John
39	Risborough, Princes	Jonson, Hugh	_
40 41 42	Saunderton Shenley Slapton	Hareson, Thomas	[Curate mmamed] Haryson, Thomas

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	<b>A.D. 1573.</b> Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D. 1577.</b> Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
1 2 3	Cole, William	Price, Richard	Penkethman, William Harbart, Thomas
2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Welche, James Laughton, Randle	Lownes, Thomas	Clarke, Nicholas Boner, John
10 11	Clarke, John	Rowlande, Thomas Jones, Richard	Elyworth, Rouland James, John
12 13 14	Westwyk, John	Westwyke, John	
15 16 17 18 19 20	Knight, William Gwyn, John More, Thomas	Pearce, Martin Price, Meredith	Carney, Thomas
21 22 23 24 25	Kent, Thomas	Falcon, Henry Kente, Thomas	Hoskyn, William Price, Nicholas
26 27	Rede, John	Robinson, William Cherington, William	Sutton, Thomas
28 29 30 31 32 33 34	Hale, Edward Fysher, Henry	Turner, Thomas Jones, William Jones, Evans	Richardson, William  Jones, Evan
35 36 37 38 39	Turner, John Syre, William	[ <sup>1</sup> ], Hugh	Nicholas, Henry
40 41 42	Harison, Thomas	•	Green, Gabriel
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	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1571. Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D. 1572</b> . Roll 40/828.
43 44 45	Stoke Hammond Stratford, Stony Thornton	Shay, Charles Sheperd, William	Robinson, William Hinde, Richard
46 47 48 49	Twyford Tyringham Waddesdon Wavendon	Spyser, John	Wilson, Thomas Spicer, John
50 51	Weston Turville Winchendon, Nether	Falcon, Henry	Fawcon, Henry Rose, Richard
52	Woughton on the Green	Hawley, Roger	
[Choulesbury] [Farnham Royal?] [Pitstone?] Haversham Linchlaid		A.D. 1575.  Roll 40/834.  West[wyk], Jo Pear[ce], Marti Jones, Evans Price, Meredit Sherington, W	in h
	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1586. Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D.</b> 1587. Roll 40/839.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Ashendon Brill Hanslope Horwood, Great Leckehamsted Linslade Marston, North Pitstone (Pichthorne) Risborough,	Jones, Cadwallader Twiford, [blank] Whitaker, Hugh Morgan, [blank] Langston, Philip Jones, Evan	Whitaker, Hugh  [Curate unnamed]  White, Nicholas  [Curate unnamed]
10 11 12	Princes Stoke Hammond Stratford, Stony Twyford	Dier, George Hind, Richard Whithed, Edward	Dier, George [Curate unnamed]
13 14	Tyringham Weston Turville	Shawe, Charles Howe, Cadwallador	[Curate unnamed]

<sup>1</sup> See page 8, note 2.

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
43 44	Hynd, Richard		Hinde, Richard
11 15 16 17 18 19 50 51	Wilson, Thomas Jones, Geoffrey	Harris, Thomas Jones, Geffrey	Shawe, Charles Jones, Geoffrey Willock, John Wattes, Luke
52			Cowell, Thomas

## A.D. 1575.

Roll 40/834 (continued).

	1 1 0 1	,
[Linford, Great?]	Robinson	ı, William
Chedington	Hulcot,	Rowland
[Waddesdon]	[Jones?]	
	,	Robert
[About six entries are illevible	el	

<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D.</b> 1589. Roll 40/844.	<b>A.D.</b> 1590. Roll 40/840.
		[Curate unnamed]
Whitaker, Hugh Griffin, Mark ap Hugh, Nicholas Jones, John	Whitaker, Hugh Robertes, Robert Griffith, Mark ap Hughe, Nicholas	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
Good, Robert	Goode, Robert	[Curate unnamed]
Whitehed, Edward	Whitehedd, Edmund <sup>1</sup>	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
	Roll 40/842.  Whitaker, Hugh Griffin, Mark ap Hugh, Nicholas Jones, John Good, Robert  Whitehed,	Roll 40/842. Roll 40/844.  Whitaker, Hugh Robertes, Robert Griffin, Mark ap Hugh, Nicholas Jones, John Good, Robert Goode, Robert  Whitehed, Whitehedd, Edmund

<sup>1</sup> Stc.

Paris)		D. 1591. ll 41/846.	<b>A.D.</b> 1594- Roll 41/849.
1 Ashendor 2 Chetwod 3 Chetwod	e e and	nnnamed] Ingb	y, Richard
Barton 4 Horton 5 Horwood 6 Lathbury 7 Linslade 8 Marston, 9 Risboron Prince 10 Twyford	d, Great Whitacr Griphith North Dye, W agh, Smythe,	e, Hugh , Mark illiam	er, John
Paris		D. 1602. A	. <b>D</b> . <b>1603, Mar.</b> Roll 41/866.
<ul><li>Addingtor</li><li>Risboroug</li></ul>			ld, Mr. ve, John
			COUNTY
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Paris		<b>D. 1571.</b> oll 40/827.	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
Paris 1 Aspende	h. Ro	11 40/827.	A.D. 1572.
1 Aspende 2 Aston 3 Ayot [St	h. Ro Gybson. Gyle, Jo	oll 40/827. William Gibs	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828.
<ul> <li>Aspende</li> <li>Aston</li> <li>Ayot [St</li> <li>Lav</li> <li>Bayford</li> <li>Berkhan</li> </ul>	h. Romann Gybson. Gyle, Jones. wrence] sted Pendell	oll 40/827. William Gibs hn Gell	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828. son, William
Aspende  Aspende  Aston  Ayot [St Lav  Bayford  Berkhan St.  Clothall  Flamster	h. Romann Gybson. Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gymson Gymson Hunt, E	oll 40/827.  William Gibs  hn Gell  oury, [Pe]ter Gyft  ls [Cut  ; William Sim:	<b>A.D.</b> 1572. Roll 40/828. son, William
Aspende  Aspende  Aston  Ayot [St Lav  Bayford  Berkhan St.  , St  Clothall  Flamster  Harpende	h. Romann Gybson.  Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gyle, Jonann Gymson Gymson Hunt, Eden	William Gibs  hn Gell  oury, [Pe]ter Gyff ls [Cut , William Sime Cdward Hur	A.D. 1572. Roll 40/828. son, William , John ford, John rate nunamed] son, William
Aspende  Aspende  Aston  Ayot [St Lav  Bayford  Berkhan St.  Market  Harpend  Herting	h. Rom Gybson.  Gyle, Jon.  wrence]  insted Pendell Mary t. Peter Rypton. Symson Hunt, Eden fordbury Rypton.  North Stage, J	William Gibs  hn Gell  oury, [Pe]ter Gyff  ls [Cut , William Sime cdward Hur  William Ript  ohn Stag	A.D. 1572. Roll 40/828. son, William , John ford, John rate nunamed] son, William at, Edward

	<b>A.D.</b> 1598. Roll 41/852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9. Roll 41/856	<b>A.D.</b> 1599. Roll <sub>41</sub> /854.
1 2 3	Beverley, Henry	[Curale unnamed]	
4 5 6 7 8 9	Evans, Walter Greffeth, Morgan		[Curate unnamed]
10	Whitehead, Edward	[Curate unnamed]	[Curate unnamed]
		A.D. 1603, Oct. Roll 41/859.	
1 2		[Curate unnamed]	
0F	HERTFORD.		
	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D. 1577.</b> Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
1	Lethlye, George		
3	Evans, Richard	Porter, Thomas	Allen, Nicholas
<del>+</del> 5			Porter, Thomas
6			
7 8 9	Price, Richard	Price, Richard	Adams, Firmian Briges, William
10 11 12	Boston, George More, Tristram	Williams, Richard Pechin, Henry	Laurence, Phillip
13	Townsone,		
15	Thomas		
16	Rogers, Simon		Hall, George

	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1571.</b> Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D. 1572.</b> Roll 40/828.			
20 Tri	tteridge ing alden, King's	Sanders, Rogers, Roger	Sawnders, William Rogers, Roger			
23 We	allington estmill heathampstead	Ayscall, Umfrid Frost, James	Askoll, Humphrey Croft, James			
<b>A.D.</b> 1575. Roll 40/834.1						
stedd [Mimms, North?]		ham, Michael Peckham, Henry				
	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1586. Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D.</b> 1587. Roll 40/839.			
2 Fla 3 Ha 4 My 5 Pir 6 Th	yford unstead crpenden runns, North ton erfeild tteridge	Hewet, William Adams, Firman Stubbinge, Mark	Hughes, William Adams, Firmian  [Curate unnamed]  Hackett, Conaway [Curate unnamed]			
8 Tri 9 Wa	ing uldon, King's	Richardsonn, Thomas	Richardson, Thomas			
10 Wl	heathampstead	Cockin, Stephen				
	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1591.</b> Roll 41/846.	<b>A.D.</b> 1594. Roll 41/849.			
I Asto		Rudd, Clement	Hewes, William			
3 Flan 4 Pirto 5 Tott 6 Trin	nstead on eridge og	Adams, Firmian Manfeld, [ <i>blank</i> ] Biglande, [ <i>blank</i> ]	Fisher, Thomas			
7 Wal	den, King's	Richardson, Thomas				
	eathampstead	Birtley, [blank]				
<sup>2</sup> See	e page 8, note 2.					

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
19 20 21	Martin, John Richardson, Richard <sup>1</sup>	Northe, Ralph Norfolk, Thomas Richardson, Thomas	Norfolke, Thomas Richardson, Thomas
22 23 24	Crofte, James Lewes, George	Croft, James Cockeringe, Stephen	Crofte, James Cockyn, Stephen

A.D. 1575. Roll 40/834 (continued).

Tring [About eight entries are illegible] [Nor]folk, Thomas

	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D.</b> 1589. Roll 40/844.	<b>A.D.</b> 1590. Roll 40/840.
1 2 3	Hughes, William Adams, Firmian	Hughes, William Adams, Firmian	[Curale unnamed] [Curale unnamed]
3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Hughes, Henry Whiteworth, Robert Richardson, Thomas	Whitworth, Robert	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
10	Birtly, Alured	Birtley, Alured	[Curate unnamed]
	A·D· 1598· Roll <sub>41</sub> /852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9. Roll 41/856.	<b>A.D.</b> 1599. Roll <sub>41</sub> /854.
1 2 3	[Hewes, William <sup>2</sup> ] refused	[Curate unnamed]	
3 4 5 6	Staunton, William		[Curate unnamed]
7 8	Richardson, Thomas		[Curale unnamed]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sic. <sup>2</sup> Struck through.

	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1602. Roll 41/857.	<b>A.D. 1603, Mar</b> -Roll 41/866.
I 2	Bayford Tring	Hughes, William [Curate unnamed]	Hues, William [Curate unnamed]
			COUNTY OF
	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1571.</b> Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D. 1572.</b> Roll 40/828.
I	Alwalton	Bartholomeu, Anthony	Barthilmew, Anthony
2	Bluntisham	Rowley, Robert	Rowley, Robert
3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Brington Broughton Bury Catworth, Great Colne Connington Ellington	Stowkes, Richard Watson, Barnard	Fulthrop, John Watson, Barnard
1ó	Eynesbury	Clapam, Robert	Clap[am], Robert
11 12 13	Godmanchester Hemingford Abbotts Holywell cum Needingworth	Ford, Anthony <sup>2</sup>	Yeldon, Nicholas
14 15	Keyston Kimbolton	Apryce, John Leake, Francis	Taylour, John Fulthorpe,¹ Francis
16 17 18 19 20	Ramsey St. Neots Somersham Stibbington Stow Longa Prebend (Stowbrige) Stukeley, Little	[Curate unnamed] Lylerhand, John Person, Robert Hodgson, Roger [Curate unnamed]	Litherland, John Peerson, Robert  [Curate unnamed]
22	Upwood	Lassell, Thomas	Lassell, Thomas

A.D. 1575. Roll 40/834.8 Hunt, Samuel Hill, . . . .

Kymbalton Stowe Longa [About seven entries illegible]

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 Curate of 'Hemingford,' but Hemingford Abbots is probably intended.
 See page 8, note 2.

# A·D· 1603, Oct-Roll 41/859. [Nil.]

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	<b>A.D. 1573.</b> Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D. 1577.</b> Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D. 1581.</b> Roll 40/835.
I	Bartelmewe, Anthony	Bartelmew, Anthony	
3	Rowlye, Robert	Hill, Laurence	Smith, Thomas
3 + 5 6	Poulter, William	Danie Ialia	Braye, Robert Bacone, John
7	Pope, John	Pope, John	Mariot, Simon
9	Robathame, Thomas		
I I I 2	Mariat, Henry	Marret, Henry	Wright, Laurence
13	Mason, George	Mason, George	Levens, Owen
14 15	Smithe, Walter Sculthrope, <sup>1</sup> Francis	Hunt, Samuel	Hunte, Samuel
16	Fulthrope, John	Falthrop, John	Coxe, Robert
17 18	Pearson, Robert	Benet, John	Robotham, Thomas
19 20	[Curate unnamed]	[Curate unnamed]	
2 I 2 2	Lassell, Thomas		Swindell, Edward

<sup>1</sup> Sic.

Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1586. Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D. 1587.</b> Roll 40/839.
1 Bluntisham 2 Bury 3 Bythorn	Braie, [blank]	Robotham, John Braie, Robert
3 Bythorn 4 Connington 5 Coppingford 6 Hemingford Abbots	Garfeild, William	Garfeild, [blank]
7 Holywell 8 Kimbalton 9 Pidley 10 Somersham	Cooke, George Dawsonn, Thomas Powlton, [blank]	Cooke, George Dawson, Thomas Pulter, William
11 Upwood	Makernes, Edmund	Makernes, Edmund
Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1591. Roll 41/846.	<b>A.D. 1594.</b> Roll <sub>41</sub> /849.
<ul> <li>I Bluntisham</li> <li>2 Bury</li> <li>3 Colne</li> <li>4 Coppingford</li> <li>5 Hemingford</li> <li>Abbots</li> </ul>	Robotham, [blank] Bray, Robert Curteys, Thomas	Rowbotham, John Rowbothom, Thomas
6 Kimbalton 7 Offord Darcy 8 Pidley	Dawson, Thomas Pulter, William	Burgis, Robert Poulter, William
9 Ramsey 10 Ripton Abbots 11 Somersham	Edwardes, Henry Lingard, Robert Pottorton, William	Lingarde, Robert Potterton, William
12 Upwood	Wakernes,1 Edmund	Evans, $[blank]$
Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1602. Roll <sub>4</sub> 1/857.	<b>A.D. 1603, Mar</b> Roll 41/866.
1 Bury 2 Offord Darcy 3 Pidley 4 Somersham	Bray, William Baines, Thomas Powlter, William Potterton, William	Bray, William Banes, Thomas Polter, William Potterton, William

	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D. 1589.</b> Roll 40/844.	, <b>A.D.</b> 1590. Roll 40/840.
1 2 3 4 5 6	Robotham, John Bray, Robert	Robotham, John	Bray, Robert Weste, Laurence
	Garfeld, William Curteys, Thomas	Garfeld, William Curtes, Thomas	Curtes, Thomas Price, Humphrey
7 8 9	Dawson, Thomas Pulter, William	Dawsonn, Thomas Poulter, William	Dawson, Thomas Pultor, William Potterton, William
ΙΙ	Wakernes,¹ Edmund	Wakernes, <sup>1</sup> Edmund	Wakernes,¹ Edmund
	<b>A.D.</b> 1598. Roll 41/852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9. Roll 41/856.	<b>A.D. 1599.</b> Roll <sub>4</sub> 1/854.
1 2 3 4 5	Bray, Robert	[Curate unnamed]	[Curale unnamed]
4 5 6	[Cooke, George <sup>2</sup> ]		
7 8 9	[Poller, William²] refused	[Curale unnamed]	
10	[Pollerlon, John <sup>2</sup> ] refused	[Curale unnamed]	
12		A.D. 1000	
		<b>A.D.</b> 1603, <b>0</b> ct. Roll 41/859.	
1 2 3			
+		[Curale unnamed]	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Sic. <sup>2</sup> Struck through.

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	Parish.	<b>A</b> ·D. 1571. Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D. 1572.</b> Roll 40/828.
1 2	Ashfordby Aston Flamville	Sherley, John	Sherley, John Bunynge, Thomas
3 4 5	Barrow on Soar Barwell Bosworth,	[Curate unnamed] Wyse, William	Wyse, William
6 7	[Market ?] Bottesford Bowden, Great	Berrye, Thomas	Gybson, Robert
8 9	Bringhurst Broughton Astley		Baxster, John
11	Burton Lazars Claybrooke		Rose, Wilfrid
12 13 14	Donington Frolesworth Gilmorton	Bradgyrdell, Thomas	Bracegyrdell, Thomas Calford, Edward
15	Harborough, Market Hinckley		
17 18 10	lbstock Kegworth Kibworth Beau-	Smalley, Thomas Clarke, William	Holme, Thomas
20 21	champ Kilworth,[South?] Kirkby Mallory		
22 23 24	Kyrbye Langton, Thorpe Langton, Tur	Bullocke, George	Bulloke, William
25	Leicester, St. Martin's	Byshope, John	
26	Loughborough (Lowisborowe)		Thew, George
27 28 29	Melton[Mowbray] Muston Nailstone	Halley, William	Halley, William Doblday, Robert Hunt, Thomas
30 31 32 33	Narborough Norton, East Prestwold Ratcliffe [Culey?]		Chester, Thomas Blownte, Robert Rycherdson, John
34 35 36	Rotherby Saddington Sapcote	Coltman, William <sup>1</sup>	
37 38	Sheepy Sibston Thorpe Langlon. See Langlon, Thorpe	Nuton, Roger	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 'Curate of Caddington.' Cp. 40/829.

### LEICESTER.

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	A.D. 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A.D.</b> 1581. Roll 40/835.
1 2 3 + 5		Mintinge, Richard Kinge, Thomas	
6 7 8 9 10 11 12	Averey, Nicholas <sup>1</sup> Holmes, Thomas	Stanhopp, William Prestgrave, Edmund	Dampord, Thomas Clarke, John Messinger, John Hawley, William
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22	Androwe, Robert  Herne, Paul Seyrsonne, Thomas  Smalley, John Stonyard, Thomas	Lawysby, Thomas Wadwoode, Thomas	Dixon, Henry Johnson, John Asringe, Thomas Cawsey, William Serjeant, Peritius
23 24 25 26	Kynge, Richard	Turney, William	Brandon, Thomas
27 28 29 30 31	Halley, William Dobleday, Robert Hunte, Thomas Smalley, Thomas	Halley, William	
32 33 34 35 36	Blunte, Robert  Plumer, Richard Coltman, William Thomas, Alexander	Kockinge, Thomas	
37 38	Mathewe, William	Bagshaw, Edward Mathew, William	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Curate of "Broughton." Broughton Astley is probably intended.

	Parish.	<b>A.D.</b> 1571. Roll 40/827.	<b>A.D. 1572</b> . Roll 40/828.
39 40 41 42 43	Tur Langton. See Langton, Tur Twycrosse Walton on the Wolds Whatton, [Long] Wymeswold [blank]	Blunt, Robert Gybson, William Bate, Robert	Whytt, William
		<b>A.D.</b> 1575. Roll 40/834. <sup>1</sup> [ <i>Illegible</i> .]	
	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1586.</b> Roll 40/838.	<b>A.D. 1587.</b> Roll 40/839.
1 2	Belgrave Bowden, Great	Ruddington, Thomas	Riddington, Thomas
3 4 5 6 7	Braunstone Burton Lazars Galby Glenfeild Harborough, Market	Bate, Richard Halley, William Geste, Thomas Fallowes, Ralph Walker, Nicholas	Bate, Richard Gest, Thomas Walker, Nicholas
8 9 10	Ibstock Kegworth Kibworth Beau-	Rowley, William Sargeant, Peter	Rowley, William Sergeant, Peter
11 12 13	champ Langton, Thorpe Prestwold Sibston Thorpe Langton. See Langton, Thorpe	Ward, William [Curale nunamed]	Brandon, [blank] Warde, William
	Parish.	<b>A.D. 1591,</b> Roll 41/846.	<b>A.D. 1594.</b> Roll 41/849.
I 2	Bowden, Great Harborough, Market		Kinde, William Eaton, Mathew
3 4	Kegworth Kibworth Beau- champ	Brimsley, John Sergeant, Peter	Sergeant, Peter
5 6 7 8	Kilworth, South Loughborough Narborough Sileby	Brokes, James Beridge, Peter	Walker, Robert Dawson, Thomas Brokes, James

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See page 8, note 2.

	<b>A.D.</b> 1573. Roll 40/829.	<b>A.D.</b> 1577. Roll 40/833.	<b>A</b> · <b>D</b> . 1581. Roll 40/835.
39 40 41	Whyte, William		Fukes, Henry
42 43			
	<b>A.D.</b> 1588. Roll 40/842.	<b>A.D.</b> 1589. Roll 40/844.	<b>A,D, 1590.</b> Roll 40/840.
I 2	Rudington,		[Curate nunamed]
3	Thomas Bate, Richard	Batte, Richard	[Curate unnamed]
1 5 6 7	Gest, John	Gesse, Thomas	
8 9 10	Rowley, William Sargeaunt, Peter	Rowley, William Sargeaunt, Peter	[Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]
11 12 13	Warde, William	Narde,¹ William	[Curate unnamed]
	<b>A.D.</b> 1598. Roll 41/852.	<b>A.D.</b> 1598-9. Roll 41/856.	<b>A.D.</b> 1599. Roll 41/854.
I 2	Eaton, Mathew		[Curate unnamed]
3 4			
5			[Curate unnamed]
7	Chamberleine, Thomas		[Curate unnamcd]

Parish.

A.D. 1602. Roll 41/857. A.D. 1603, Mar. Roll 41/866.

I Kirkby Mallory [Curate unnamed] [Curate unnamed]

A.D. 1603, Oct. Roll 41/859. [Nil.]

# [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1576.]

[Lambeth Palace Library, Carla Miscellanea, tom. xii, num. 4.]

Folio 1.

## ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER.

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Folio 2.

#### LEICESTRE.

Jefferie Johnson bacchelor of divinitie prcher at Leicestr', 35 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Nicholas Bisshop of Lincoln licenced to prche by the Universitie of Cambridge. [Preacher<sup>1</sup>]

Edward Turner vicar of St Martines in Leicest<sup>r</sup> (6l. 13s. 4d.), resident, 30 yeres of age, presented by my L: Keeper, maried ordered by William Bisshop of Chester indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge [A teacher wthin his owne Cure<sup>1</sup>]

#### ACKLEY DEANERY.

Antonye Gilbie p<sup>r</sup>cher at Ashbyedelezouche (14l. 10s. 5d.), licenced by Matthew late Arch. of Cant., Edmund Petrebrough, Nicolas Lincoln, Thomas Lichfild, William Chester 66 an: etatis M<sup>r</sup> of Art of Cambridg in Christ<sub>l</sub> colledge maried [Preacher<sup>1</sup>]

George Herrod vic' of Lockington (6l. 7s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .) resident, presented by Ladie Agnes browne patronis 40 yeres of age, maried ordered by Thomas Bisshop of Lich: of a good zeale but not learned in the latine tonge, of honest coversac'on.

John Wydowes vic' of Ashbydalazouche (valued before) resident, presented by the Ealre [sic] of Hunt' patron 50 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Thomas Bisshop of Lichf., preacher licenced by the said Bisshop of Lichf', not graduate, brought up in Cambridg in St Jones collegge [Preacher<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 2d.

Peter Wood vicar of Castledonington (81. 2s. 1d.), resident 36 yeres of age p'nted by the Earle of Hunt', maried, ordered by Thomas Bisshop of Lichf' a p'cher in his owne cure understanding the latine tonge and competentlie learned in the scriptures.

Henry Presbury, vicar of Packington (51. 15s. 10d.), clerk resident 40 yeres of age presented by the Earle of Hunt', maried, ordered by the late Bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge & in the scriptures.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.

William Rustat, vicar of Barrow (151. 2s. 8½d.), resides, 60 years of age, presented by the lord keeper, married, ordained by the late bishop of Lincoln, well skilled in Latin, moderately versed in the holy scriptures, a teacher in his benefice.<sup>2</sup>

John Bares, vicar of Belton (81. 18s. 4d.), resides, 50 years of age, presented by the earl of Huntingdon, the patron, married, ordained by T. bishop of Lichfield, ignorant of Latin, moderately versed in sacred learning, a teacher in his benefice.<sup>2</sup>

Thomas Barrodall, rector of Hatherne (121.), resides, admitted B.A. at Peterhouse, Cambridge, 28 years of age, not married, ordained by the bishop of Gloucester, moderately versed in sacred learning, presented by John Stokes, gentleman, a teacher in his benefice.<sup>2</sup>

Henry Lynney (*Lynneu*), vicar of Whitwick (9l. 16s. 3d.), ordained by the bishop of Peterborugh, presented by the lord keeper, 26 years of age, married, resides, seems in his own eyes (sibi ipsi) to be wise but in ours (nobis) to be without judgement, a diligent teacher in his benefice so far as in him lies.<sup>2</sup>

Folio 3.

Thomas Boilsonn, rector of Longwhatton (131. 6s. 8d.), ordained by by the bishop of Lincoln, presented by the lord keeper, resides, 29 years of age, not married, moderately skilled in Latin, and to the same extent (ita) versed in sacred learning.<sup>2</sup>

Peter Olrenshaw, vicar of Shepshead (8l. 10s. 10d.), presented by Faustin Fielding, gentleman, ordained by the late bishop of Lincoln, 34 years of age, married, resides, has scarcely a moderate knowledge of Latin, to the same extent (ita) versed in sacred learning.<sup>2</sup>

Robert Kendall, vicar of Rothley (111. 5s.), presented by Brian Cave, esquire, by virtue of an advowson thereof granted to him by Humphrey Babington, esquire, the patron, ordained by the late bishop of Lincoln, 34 years of age, married, resides, has scarcely moderate skill in Latin, and is to the same extent (ila) versed in sacred learning <sup>2</sup>

Michael Hudsonne, rector of Swithland (101. 6s. 3d.), presented by the lord keeper, ordained by the late bishop of Lincoln, 40 years of age, not married, resides, ignorant of Latin, in some sort of way (aliqualiter) versed in sacred learning.<sup>2</sup>

Thomas Willott, rector of Thurcaston, presented by our lady the queen, rector of Barley, co. Cambridge, prebendary in the cathedral church of Ely, and chaplain of the bishop of Ely, ordained by the said bishop, resides at Ely, 50 years of age, married.<sup>2</sup>

John Cooke, rector of Swepton (211. 18s. 4d.), presented by the late lord archbishop of Canterbury, and rector of North Winfield, co. Derby, presented by Nicholas Longford, gentleman, where he resides, S.T.B., 40 years of age, married, licensed preacher.<sup>2</sup>

Hamlett Nylde, rector of Osgathorpe (7*l*.), ordained by John Bird, bishop of Chester, presented by Sir William Grislie, knight, by reason of an advowson thereof granted to him by the earl of Huntingdon, the patron, 60 years of age, not married, ignorant of Latin, but little versed in sacred learning.<sup>2</sup>

1 'Barres' in L.C. 1585, folio 30d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> These entries have been translated from the Latin.

Folio 3d.

#### SPERKINHOO.

Hugh Blith  $M^r$  of arte of cambridge of the Kinge colledge parson of Appulbie (201. 9s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by Sir Thomas Standley knight, patron, a prbendarie in Windsor of the Queene hir Ma<sup>tes</sup> guifte, 33 yeres of age, maried, ordered by the late Bisshop of Lincoln, A prcher licenced by the Bisshop of Norwiche.

Edmund Clayton parson of Norton (141.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by my L: Keeper, 38 yeres of age, maried, ordered by the late Bisshop of Lincoln, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

Richard Bristowe vic. of Hincley (91. 9s.  $9\frac{1}{2}d$ .), p'nted by the colledge of Westminster in London patrone and parson of Bedwath in com. Warwick, p'nted by the Queenes Ma<sup>tie</sup>, resid<sup>t</sup> there, not maried, ordered by John White Bisshop of Lincoln, learned in the scriptures and latine tonge, an hable man teaching his owne church.

William Merick parson of Higham (7l. 9s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by my L: Keeper, 71 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by D: Lee Bisshop of Lichf:, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures

Anthonie Bridges parson of Markefield (6l. 1s. 8d.), resident, p'nted by Henr' Earle of Hunt' patron, 47 years of age, maried, ordered by the late Bisshop of Lincoln, meanlie latined and better entered in the scriptures.

Will'm Ashbie parson of Peculton, resident, p'nted by George Vincent ar' patrone, 48 years of age not maried, ordered by the Bisshop of London wtout indgmt in the latine tonge and scriptures, but havinge a superficiall smatteringe.

Folio 4.

George Marvell vic. of Thornton (6l. 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by John Colebranne by v'tue of an Advouson from Thomas Lee yoman patron xxvij yere old, maried, ordered by Edmund, bisshop of Peterborough, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

Rob't Humpton vic. of Shakerston (5l. 2s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by Will'm Barford gent. patron 30 years of age, maried ordered by Will'm Bisshop of Chester, reasonably well learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures, an hable man and teacher in his owne charge.

\* Edmond Woluerston parson of Newbold (6l. 8s. 11½d), and residt there, p'nted by the Earle of Shrewsbury, and vic' of Ratby (5l. 5s. 10d), p'nted by Rob't Euerard gent. by v⁺tue of an advousion out of a Monasterie, 6o yeres of age, not maried ordered by [blank] Bisshop of Norwiche, mere ignoraunt.

Thomas Badewin parson of Kirkby Mallerie (151.), resident, p'nted by Sr James Harrington patrone, and parson of Leake in com: Nott: p'nted by Sr George Hastinge knight patron, 45 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Matthew late Bisshop of Cant., dispensed, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge

Richard Howland bach. in divinitie, and Mr of Magdal: collegg in Cambridge 35 yeres of age parson of Sibbesdon in the com. of Leicest<sup>r</sup> (151. 188. 11½d.), resid<sup>t</sup> there, p'nted by Richard Wightman

gent. patrone, and parson of Statherne in the sd. com. (161. 3s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ .), by the m<sup>r</sup> and fellowes of Peterhowse in Cambridg patrones dispensed, not maried. [Licensed preacher<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 4d

Edward Tire parson of Hether (7l. 17s.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident p'nted by Thomas Johnson gent, patrone, not maried 60 yeres of age, ordered by Jo. Bird late Bisshop of Chester, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures

Gilbert Bland parson of Cadeby (4l. 15s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ ), resident 66 years of age p'nted by S<sup>r</sup> James Harrington knight patron, maried, ordered by Jo. Bird Bisshop of Chester, mere ignorant.

John Tailo<sup>r</sup> parson of the North part of Sheppie (13l. 4s.  $9\frac{1}{2}d.$ ), 30 yeres of age, p'nted by Gilbert Asteley ar' patron, not maried, ordered by Thomas Bisshop of Lichf' p'tille learned both in grammer and divinitie, an instructor in his owne cure

George Raven parson of Congstonne (5l. 3s  $6\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by John Beamount ar' 60 yere of age not maried, ordered by D: Lee Bishop of Lichf; mere ignorant.

Simon Cope<sup>2</sup> parson of Nailston (24l. 9s. 9 $\frac{1}{2}d$ .), bacch: of art, resident at Peterhowse in Cambridg, 25 yeres of age, p'nted by the Queenes Ma<sup>tie</sup>, not maried, ordered by Richard Bisshop of Elie [blank] the certificate made by George Cope gent. his brother

Rich'us Fox parson of Witherlie (16l. 2s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident 43 yere old p'nted by Rob't Greene gent. patrone maried, ordered by Rob't Bisshop of Oxon, and instituted to Ybstock (19l. 9s.  $9\frac{1}{2}d$ .), by an advouson from John Saunders and Edmond Brounell, aldrmen of the citie of Coventrie graunted from the Bisshop of Rochester, but is not in possession, utterlie ignorant of the scriptures and a little knowledge of the Latine tonge.

Folio 5

John Barber parson of fenydrayton (111. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, 35 yeres of age p'nted by George Purific Esquire patrone, maried ordered by Nicholas Bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

#### GOODLAXTON.

Henr' Hilton parson of Cottisbich (101. 6s. 8d.), 76 yeres of age resident p'nted by Mr Poltney of Misterton patron, not maried, ordered by Henr' Bisshop of Lichf:, altogether ignorant of the latine tonge and scriptures.

Elize Humfrey parson of Shawell (91.), resident 60 yeres of age, p'nted by the Queenes Ma<sup>tie</sup> in the noneage of Henr' Ley gent. patrone, not married, ordered by Matthew late Archbisshop of Cant., ignorant in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

Thomas Ley parson of Thorpthomas (51. 5s. 2½d.), resident, 34 yeres of age p'nted by Edward Ley gent. patrone, not maried ordered by Edmond, bisshop of Peterborough learned in the latine tonge but little understanding in the scriptures

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.
<sup>2</sup> 'Coxe' ln L.C. 1585, folio 33d., & in Comp., etc.

Will'm Heathcot parson of Aylston (311. 8s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident p'nted by Sr George Vernham knight patrone, 66 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by John Longland late Bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures

Will'm Pawley parson of Sapcot (10l. 11s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, 31 years of age, p'nted by Nicholas English gent. by an advouson from Sr Jo: Zoughe knight, maried ordered by Bisshop Freak late of Rochester, mere ignoraunte.

Folio 5d

Will'm Goddell parson of Blaybie (151. 5s.), resident p'nted by my L: Keeper, 36 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Nichol' bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures

Edmond Messinger M<sup>r</sup> of Art in Catherin Hall in Cambridge parson of Stonystanton (141. 138. 1½d.), resident p'nted by Jerman Poole of Rathborne ar' patron 33 yeres of age maried, ordered by Richard, bisshop of Elie. [Preacher in his benefice<sup>1</sup>]

John Morton parson of North Killworth (151. 5d.), resident p'nted by Nicholas Renold of Leicest<sup>r</sup> by v<sup>r</sup>tue of an advouson from the late Abbot of Leicestre, 57 yeres of age not maried, ordered by John Longland bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures, sometime exponding the scriptures in his owne cure

John Hodgkinson vic. of Swinford (51. 7s. 11d.), resident, p'nted by Nicholas late Bisshop of Lincoln by lapse, Mr Henr' Lee patron, 38 years of age, maried ordered by the said Bisshop, indifferentlie instructed in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Rob't Kirkland vicar of Odby (81.), resident, p'nted by Mary Villers patron 31 years of age, maried, ordered by the now Archbisshop of Cant: meanlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Will'm Clarke bacch. of Art of Jesus Colleg in Cambridg parson of Brentingthope (101. 7s. 6d.), resident, p'nted by Mrs Bemount of Grasdewe patrones 28 yeres of age maried, ordered by Richard Bisshop of Elie, well learned in the latine tonge, and somwhat in the greeke and indifferentlie in the scriptures, a teacher in his owne cure. Folio 6.

Thomas Carter parson of Sharneford (9l. 18s. 9d.) resident, 25 yeres of age, p'nted by my L. Keeper, twise married, ordered by Edmond bisshop of Rochester, ignorant in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Edmond How parson of Miserton [sic] (16l. 13s. 4d.), resident, of the age of 27 yeres, p'nted by Sr Henr' Darcie knight, by the right of the ladie his wife patrones, not maried, ordered by Edmond bisshop of Peterborough, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and in the latine tonge, A teacher in his owne Cure.

Will'm Staresmore parson of Frolesworth (12l. 10s.), resident 25 yeres of age p'nted by Francis Staremore [sic] his father gent. patron, maried, ordered by Edmond bisshop of Peterborough, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

<sup>1</sup> In margin.

Richard Woodward vic. of Peatlinge mag<sup>a</sup> (5*l.* 9s. 2d.), resident 60 yeres of age p'nted by Will'm Jervis the elder patron, maried, ordered by B. Bonner mere ignorant in the scriptures and latine tonge [Bonners Clarke<sup>1</sup>].

Edward Halford parson of Gilmorton (17l. 14s. 9½d.), resident 28 yeres of age, p'nted by Will'm Halford patron, maried, ordered by Edmond, bisshop of Peterborough, meanlie und standing the latine tonge and smale knowledg in the scriptures.

John Higginson Mr of Art in Christ Colledge in Cambridg vicar of Clebrocke (30l. 10s. 5d.), resident, 30 years of age, wydoer, of the Queene's Patronage, ordered by Edmond, bisshop of Peterborough, prcher licenced by Matthew late Archbisshop of Cant. [Preacher<sup>1</sup>].

John Chevney parson of Leare  $(9l.\ 14^s.\ 9\frac{1}{2}d.)$ , resid<sup>t</sup> 56 yeres of age, p'nted by S<sup>r</sup> Henr' Grey knight, patron, maried, ord<sup>r</sup>ed by Rich. bisshop of Lichf., indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures. *Folio* 6d.

Will'm Welch vicar of Dunton (6l. 10d.), resident, 30 yeares of age, p'nted by Will'm Hewet of London patron, maried, ordered by Will'm B. of Chester, mere ignorant.

Rob't Thurman parson of Crafte (121. 3s. 4d.), resid<sup>t</sup> 64 yeres of age p'nted by John Thurvyll ar', not maried, ordered by Doctor Blithe bisshop of Lichf., ignorant in the scriptures and latine tonge.

Thomas Bridgardell parson of Ashbie parva (5l. 7s. 6d.), p'nted by my L. keeper 33 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Will'm bisshop of Chester, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

John Siddable<sup>2</sup> parson of Peatling parva (9l. 14s. 7d.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by my L. Keeper 39 yeres of age not maried, ordered by the L. Bisshop of Lincoln th<sup>t</sup> now is, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures, A diligent teacher in his owne cure.

Richard Holmes<sup>8</sup> vic. of Muche Ashbie  $(7l.\ 18s.\ 11\frac{1}{2}d.)$ , resident, p'nted by D. Wotton 60 yeres of age, maried ordered by John Longlond, bisshop of Lincoln, ignorant in the latine tonge and scriptures

Richard Tilley vic. of Bitteswell (4l. 3s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, 53 yeres of age p'nted by Thomas Crafte patron, maried, ordered by Nicholas bisshop of Lincoln, ignorant in the latine tonge, but some knowledg in the scriptures

Richard Tompson vic' of Earnsby (51. 16s. 8d.), resid<sup>t</sup>, 28 yeres of age, p'nted by Edward Vincent gent. patron, not maried, ordered by Nichol' late bisshop of Lincoln, ignorant of the latine tonge but some knowledg of the scriptures.

John Androw vic. of Endrbie (101. 8s. 9d.), resident 60 yeres of age p'nted by Sr Ralfe Rowlat knight, patron, not maried, ordered by Jo' Longlond bisshop of Lincoln, ignorant in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.

An error for 'Siddalle.' (See L.R.S., vol. ii, p. 318).
 Cp. L.C. 1585, folio 25d.

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John Dewbank bacche' of art of Cambrige in Catherine Hall parson of Willobie (111. 11s. 3d.), 45 yeres of age p'nted by the L. keeper, and parson of Willey in com' Warwick p'nted by the L. keeper, resident there, widower, ordered by Thomas late bisshop of Lincoln dispensed, undrstanding the latine tonge indifferentlie, and the scriptures confusedlie wtout judgmt, according to his habilitie diligent in his cure.

Richard Blackwin parson of Knaptofte (32l. 12s. 6d), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by Sr Georg Turpyn knight patron, 64 yeres of age maried, ordered at Luddington by a Suffragan in the time of Jo. Longlond bisshop of Lincoln, having no l'res to shew because he was a religious man, ignorant in the latine tonge and in the scriptures.

Rob't Batesounne parson of Kymcot (20l. 16s. 3d.), resident, 66 yeres of age, p'nted by Humfrey button by an advousion from Sr Folke Griffill patron, not maried, ordered by John Godren¹ bisshop of Man, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and in the latine tonge.

Rob't Knight M<sup>r</sup> of Art of Oxford in baliol' colleg 57 years of age parson of South kilworthe (10*l.* 8s. 11½*d.*), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the L. keeper not maried, ordered by Edmund bisshop of London, by commission from Cardinal Poole, p<sup>r</sup>cher in his own cure, no licence.

Rob't Sutton M<sup>r</sup> of Art of Oxf. in Christ [sic] coll' parson of Lutt'worth (26l.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the Queene's Ma<sup>tic</sup> 32 yeres of age, not maried ordered by Thomas bisshop of Lichf., p<sup>r</sup>cher licenced by the L. B' of Lincoln th<sup>t</sup> now [sic] and admitted deacon by him.<sup>2</sup>

Will'm Harware bach' of Art in baliol' coll' in Oxford, parson of Glenfield (13l. 9s. 9 $\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by the the Queenes Ma<sup>tie</sup>, parson of Barwell (20l. 10s. 7 $\frac{1}{2}d$ .), p'nted by Sr James Harrington 70 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Jo' Longland B. of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge.

Folio 7d.

#### GOSCOTT

Henr' Bankę Mr of Art in Cambridge out of Kingę Hall, parson of Beby (15l. 2s. 6d.), residt, p'nted by the L. Rob't Catline late chief justice of England, and parson of Saxulbie p'nted by Rob't Broxbie ar' patrone 61 yeres of age not maried ordered by Jo: Longland B. of Lincoln, licenced to prch by Nicholas late B. of Lincoln

Thomas Wilson vic of Humberston (81.), resid<sup>t</sup>, p'nted by the L. Keeper 28 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by the Bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge

<sup>2</sup> It was another Robert Sutton who was ordained deacon by Bishop Cooper in 1574, and priest in 1575 (See L.R.S., vol. ii, pages 84, 86, and cp., pages 60, 317).

¹ This is probably a mistake for 'John Howden,' who, according to Stubbs (Registrum Sacrum Anglicanum, 2nd ed., page 213), became bishop of Sodor and Man in 1523, and still held the see in 1532. Batsounne might have been ordained in 1533 or 1534. He was instituted to Kimcote 19 Dec., 1558. There is considerable uncertainty about the succession of the bishops of Man, and a not infrequent confusion between them and the bishops of the Isles. The only bishop (if bishop he was) with a name like 'Godren' is John Gerdon, in whose favour Alexander Gordon (probably his father) resigned the see of Galloway in 1568. It is doubtful, however, whether John was ever consecrated and, moreover, he was too young to be the bishop in the text since he was born about 1544 (Dictionary of National Biography).

Chr'ofer flint parson of Skivington (12l. 13s. 9d.), of the age of 38, p'nted by W<sup>m</sup> Skevington ar. by virtue of an advouson from my L. Feries of Chartley, ordered by Thomas Watson bisshop of Lincoln, maried, learned indifferentlie in the latine tonge and scriptures, expounding the scriptures in his cure

W<sup>m</sup> Skampton vic. of Seiston (7l. 2s. 11d.), resid<sup>t</sup> 28 of age, p'nted by the Universitie of Oxf. patrones, not maried, ordered by Nicholas B. of Lincoln, und<sup>r</sup>standing indifferentlie the latine tonge and the scriptures

W<sup>m</sup> Gibson, vic. of Barkby (10l.), resid<sup>t</sup> of age 33, p'nted by Richard Cooke esq. of Malden in com' Essex patron, not maried ordered by Nicholas Bisshop of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge.

Georg Savage bace' of law in Oxf. parson of Seg<sup>a</sup>ve (191. 8s. 11½d.), and parson of Sandbury in Com' Glouc' and Archdeacon of Glouc. p'nted to Seg<sup>a</sup>ve by the L. Bartley patron, to Sanbury by the Archbisshop of Cant. last, 46 yeres old, not married, ordered by the B. of London tht now is, keeping howse at both benefices and sometime resid<sup>t</sup> at bothe. [Non-resident<sup>1</sup>]

Peter Rathbone vic. of Wimeswold (9l.), resid<sup>t</sup>, p'nted by the L. Bisshop of Lincoln th<sup>t</sup> now is by lapse, 30 yeres old, maried, ordered by the forsaid bisshop,<sup>2</sup> indifferentlie learned in the scripture and latine tonge. *Folio* 8.

Harrold Pachet parson of Walton (15*l.*), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the Queenes Ma<sup>tie</sup>, and parson of Lockinge in Com. Bark., p'nted by M<sup>r</sup> Cater patron, 36 of age, maried, ordered by D. Scorie B. of Hartford [sic], meanlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures [Plur'1]

Richard Nailor vic. of Hungarton (91. 8s. 1d.), resident p'nted by Brian Cave ar', patrone, 38 yeres of age, maried ordered by Thomas B. of Lichf., ignorant in the latine tonge, but some knowledg in the scriptures.

Rob't Baker vic. of Dalby chacombe (81. 43. 7d.), resident, p'nted by the L. Keeper, 72 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by John Longlond Bisshop of Lincoln, mere ignorant.

Ralf Bradlie parson of Allaxton (6l. 18s. 4d.), resident p'nted by John Blount patron, and now the L. Cromwell 50 yeres of age maried, ordered by Richard of St Assaph Bisshop in Wales meanlie learned but wtout judgmt.

Georg Ashby vicar of Thrusshington (6l.), resident p'nted by the L. Edw. Hastinge patron 33 yeres of age, not maried ordered by Nicolas B. of Lincoln, utterlie ignoraunt.

Richard More vic. of Frisbie (7l. 16s. 8d.), resident p'nted by John Sharpe gent., patron 31 yeres of age, not maried ordered by Will'm B. of Chester, ignoraunt

Anthony Newbie vic. of Queningborow (81.), resident p'nted by Fraunce Cave ar' patrone, not maried ordered by Jo: Longlond Bisshop of Lincoln, ignoraunt.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cp. L.C. 1585, folio 28d.

 $W^m$  Torpe  $M^r$  of art of Cambr' of Christ Colleg parson of Rathurby (81. 8s. 4d.), p'nted by  $W^m$  Ashby esquire patrone, and parson of Cotesmore in Com' of Ruth', there resident p'nted by Andrew Nowell of Dalby ar' patrone 68 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Jo: Longlond bisshop of Lincoln, dispensed, indifferentlie learned in the scriptures. [non-resident¹]

GARTRE.

Folio 8d.

George Gulson m<sup>r</sup> of Art of Cambr' of queenes collegg' parson of Pickwell (161.), resident p'nted by W<sup>m</sup> Cave of Pickwell ar. patron 29 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Richard B. of Elie p<sup>r</sup>cher in his owne cure having no licence. A towardlie young man and one th<sup>t</sup> taketh paines in his cure.

Rob't Bingley parson of Gumley (161. 28. 6d.), resident, p'nted by the Deane and Chapt<sup>r</sup> of Lincoln patrones 57 yeres of age, not maried ordered by John Longlond b. of Lincoln, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Richard Chamb<sup>r</sup>laine, vic. of Bylsdon (14*l.* 10s.), resident p'nted by France Hasellwood gent, patron 30 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Bisshop Jewell, indifferentlie entred in the scriptures and latine tonge, an instructor in his owne cure.

Thomas Clerke parson of Stokerstonne (131.), resident, p'nted by the Lady Drurie, patron 60 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by D. Bird late Bisshop of Chester, ignorant in the latine tonge, but sumwhat entred in the scriptures.

Richard Hackney parson of Cranehoo (81. 16s. 8d.), resident, p'nted by Sr Edm. Brudnell knight patrone, and vic. of Slawston (61. 5s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ .), p'nted by the sd. Sr Edmond patrone 42 yeres of age, ordered by Thomas Bisshop of Asaphen', not despensed but by statute, having a certaine meane knowledg in the latyne tonge and scriptures, but wanting judgm<sup>t</sup>.

Anthony Andrson parson of Medborne (35l. 11s.  $\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident p'nted by the B. of Lincoln tht now is [by lapset], the heires of Sr Thomas Nevell knight patrones, maried, ordered by a Suffragan in Bonner his time, preher licenced by Thomas Bisshop of Lincoln and Edmond B. of Peterboroughe.

Folio 9

Georg Parkin parson of Gloreston (81.), resident p'nted by Antho Colley ar' patrone 80 years of age, not maried, ordered by John Longlond Bisshop of Lincoln, he und standeth nothing.

Richard Swaine parson of the Southe part of Halloughtonn (171. 6s. 8d.), resid<sup>t</sup>, p'nted by M<sup>r</sup> Bartin Hassilridge ar. patrone, 44 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Ralf B. of Lichf. utterlie ignorant in the scriptures and a little knowledge in the latine tonge.

Chr'ofer Pollerd parson of Houghton (161. 1s.  $\frac{1}{2}d$ .), 26 yeres of age resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by Brian Cave ar. patrone, maried, ordered by Edm' Bisshop of Peterbrough, reasonable learned in the scriptures and latine tonge, a teach<sup>r</sup> in his owne parishe.

<sup>1</sup> In margin.

Edm. Tilley parson of Stanton Wifell (9l. 18s.  $11\frac{1}{2}d$ .), p'nted by Sr Edm' Brudnell patrone 46 yeres of age, maried, ordred by Jo. White B. of Lincoln, ignorant in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Edw. Saxby bacch' of Common law (ut dicit) parson of Galby (181. 2s. 6d.), resident there, p'nted by the Duke of Northumbrland, Brian Cave esq. now patrone, 68 years of age, not maried ordred by John Longlond B. of Lincoln, undrstanding the latine tonge and of some iudgmt in the scriptures

Rog<sup>r</sup> Barlow vic. of Norton (7*l*.), where he is resident p'nted by Ralf Whalley gent. patrone, and parson of Thurlston (13*l*. 19s. 7d.), p'nted by M<sup>rs</sup> Turvill alias Wren patrones 70 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Jeffery B. of Lichf., ignorant in the latine tonge and without judgm<sup>t</sup> in the scriptures.

Richard Jordane vic. of Foxton (7l. 3s. 4d.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the L. Keeper 33 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Nicholas B. of Lincoln, undrstanding latine worde wtout judgmt indifferentlie traveled in the scriptures

Folio 9d.

Thomas Burton parson of Laughton (101, 108, 5d.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by Tho. Cotton of Leic. gent. patrone 60 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Jo. Longlond bisshop of Lincoln indifferentlie learned in the scriptures and latine tonge.

Thomas Rose parson of Church Langhton (48l. 13s. 4d.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by Edw. Griffin ar. patrone 36 yeres of age not maried, ordered by Nicholas late B. of Lincoln, good knowledg in the latine tonge and indifferentlie faene in the scriptures, teaching his owne Cure.

Thomas Marsonne parson of the Northe part of Halloughton (181. 13s. 4d.), not resid<sup>t</sup>, p'nted by the late Warden of the colleg of Nosley in Com. Leic. patron and parson of Aiston in com. Ruth', p'nted by Sr Edm. Brudnell to the same knight patrone, there resid<sup>t</sup>, 70 years of age, not maried ordered by Jo: Longlond B. of Lincoln dispenced, chaplaine to the late L. Greg' Cromwell, and now chapline to the Lady Susan Zoughe of Harringwrth, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge, having a certaine knowledge in the scriptures but lacking judgmt.

Wm. Withrley vic. of Welham (71. 3s. 4d.), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the L. Keeper 37 years old maried, ordered by Nicholas B. of Lincoln, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures [he teacheth in his owne cure<sup>1</sup>].

Tho. Sarsonne M<sup>r</sup> of Art of Jesus coll. in Camb., parson of Burton Ou*cr*ie (181–58, 10d.), resid<sup>t</sup>, p'nted by Wm. Ward patrone, 28 of age, not maried, ordered by Edm. B. of Peterborough, well learned. [A preacher in his benefice.<sup>1</sup>]

Jo. Westmylnes parson of Knossington (6l. 11s. 8d.), resid. p'nted by the L. St. John patrone 67 yeres of age not maried ordered by Jo: Longland bisshop of Lincoln, ignoraunt.

George Strongitharme vic. of Lubnham (81. 5s.), resident p'nted by Tho. Gryme citizen of London patron 30 yeres of age, maried, ordered

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by Will'm B. of Chester, ignorant in the latine tonge but a little knowledg in the scriptures.

Folio 10.

#### FRAMLAND.

Baldwine Dereham bacch, of art of Christ colleg in Cambridge parson of Goodby (161.) resid<sup>t</sup> there, p'nted by Georg Villers ar. patrone, and parson of Broxbie (51. 12s. 6d.) p'nted by the said Georg Villers patron, 62 yeres of age, maried, ordered by Nix Bisshop of Norwich, preher licenced by Matthew late Archbisshop of Cant. undrstanding the latine tonge but lackinge indgm<sup>t</sup> in the scriptures.

 $W^m$  Flude vic. of Buckminster (81. 7s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d.$ ), resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by the L: Keeper 3o yeres of age, maried, ordered by Edmond B. of Peterborough, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures, teaching in his owne Cure.

Tho. Rowse vic. of Saltby (7l.), resident, p'nted by the Earle of Ruthland 31 of age not maried, ordered by Edm. B. of Peterborough indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures.

W<sup>m</sup> Squire vic. of Eyton (7*l.* 11s. 3*d.*) resident p'nted by Nicolas late B. of Lincoln by laps' 53 yeres of age ord<sup>r</sup>ed by Edm: Bonner B. of London, mere ignorant {Bonners Clarke<sup>1</sup>}

Henr' Hutchins parson of Saxbie (5l.) p'nted by Mr Shewathe in com. Nott. patrone, and vic. of Stapleford (13l.) there, resident p'nted by George Shererood gent. patron 70 yeres of age not maried, ordered by Jo: Longlond B. of Lincoln, not dispensed, ignoraunt.

Edw. Inkersall vic. of Dalby parva (9l.) resid<sup>t</sup> p'nted by Jo: Clement patrone gent and vic. of Whissondyne in com' Ruth: p'nted by George Shererood gent. patron 33 yeres of age, not maried, ordred by Tho: Yonge Archbisshop of York, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures, not dispenced. [No plur'<sup>1</sup>] Folio 10d.

 $W^m$  Dansey vic. of Sproxton (7l. 4s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident there p'nted by Edw. Earle of Ruth: patrone and parson of Hareston (8l. 1s. 8d.) p'nted by my L: Keeper 8o yeres of age, maried, ordered by Nicholas Bisshop of Lincoln, dispensed, utterlie ignorante

Gilbert Witherrall parson of Coston (161. 6s. 3d.) resident, p'nted by the L: Keeper 42 yeres of age maried, ordered by Tho. Watson B. of Lincoln, mere ignorante.

John Hutchin parson of Wyforbie (6l.) resid: p'nted by Georg Smith gent' patrone xxx yeres of age maried, ordered by Edm. B. of Peterborough, undrstanding the latine tonge and indifferentlie entred in the scriptures

Richard Adcock parson of Edmundethorpe (141. 128.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .), p'nted by the Queene, and parson of Wimotham (121.) p'nted by the L. Keeper, 72 yeres of age not maried, ordered by Jo: Longlond B. of Lincoln, resident at both havinge a plur', ignorant in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Steven Welles parson of Knypton (16l. 12s. 3½d.), residt, p'nted by Edw. Watson of Rockingham esquire patrone, 58 yeres of age not

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.

maried, ordered by Edw. Archbisshop of Yorke, little knowledge in the latine and no sence in the scriptures

 $W^m$  Choice parson of Coldouerton (191. 128.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .), resident, p'nted by the L. Bartley patrone, 60 yere of age not maried, ordered by Jo: Longlond Bisshop of Lincoln, having little knowledge in the latine tonge or scriptures

John Bringhurst parson of Waltham (191. 5s.), resident, p'nted by the countisse of Beddf. and the L. of Ruth. now patrone, 38 yeres of age, not maried, ordered by Edm. B. of Peterborough, knowing the latine tonge indifferentlie and reasonably entred in the knowledge of the scriptures.

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Chr'ofer Goodwin, vicar of Claxton (9l. 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d.$ ), resident, p'nted by Tho: Bayarde yoman of the same, by v<sup>r</sup>tue of an advouson from the late dissolved howse of Belver in Com' Leic., not maried, ordered by D: Poole late bisshop of Peterborough xl yeres of age, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures.

Will'm Smith parson of Broughton (111. 5s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ .) p'nted by Jo: Smith his father patron and parson of Whatton in com Nott' where he is resident, p'nted by Tho: Cranmer of Aslowton Com' Nott' esquire patrone 30 yeres of age not maried, ordered by Nicholas, late B. of Lincoln, not learned in the latine tonge nor in the scriptures. [Non-resident, no plur'1]

Roger Skinner vic. of Thorpeornold (6l. 17s. 8½d.), resident, p'nted by Jo: Halford of Kegworthe patron 33 yeres of age maried, ordered by Tho. B. of Lichf. entred in the latine tonge and some knowledge in the scriptures.

John Chessall vic. of Barestonne (71. 5s. 5d.), resident, p'nted by the L. Keeper 33 yeres of age, maried, ordered by D. Currant Bisshop of Oxford, indifferentlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures

Richard Annables vic. of Stonesbie  $(5l. 7\frac{1}{2}d.)$ , p'nted by Wm. Olliffe by v<sup>r</sup>tue of an advousion from Gregorie Whitinge patrone, and vic. of Garthorpe  $(7l. 5s. 2\frac{1}{2}d.)$ , p'nted by Edw. Watson of Rockingham ar. patrone, resident at them both being not di' mile distante, 40 yeres of age maried, ordered by Edm: B: of Peterborough, meanlie learned in the latine tonge and scriptures

Folio 11d.

# THE NAMES OF THEM THAT DID NOT APEARE BEFORE US.

James Lax vic. of Tugby (111. 8s. 4d.) impotent and not learned.

Richard Ward vic. of Croxton (7l. 14s. 7d.) maried, impotent.

Richard Truman vic. of bringhurst (111. 15s.), maried, verie impotent and blinde

Rob't Bayerley vic. of Glen magna (101. 14s. 2d.), not learned.

Edw. Fulcis vicar of Horningwold (61. 16s. 8d.)

<sup>1</sup> In margin.

Tho. Haberley vic. of Ashby Follwell (9..)

Edmond Willock parson of Southerouston (81, 3s. 4d.)

Antho. Allin parson of Burrowe (12d.)

John<sup>1</sup> Thomeson vic. of Hosse (71 2s. 6d.), not learned

Will'm Heath parson of Estwell (9l. 12s. 1d.)

Mr. Richard Thorpe parson of Muston (151. 13s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ .) and Harbie (201) chaplaine to the Earle of Ruthland.

Chr'ofer Baresby<sup>2</sup> parson of Asfordby (151, 118, 8d.) and vic. of Scalford (81. 1s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ .)

Henr' Smyth parson of Desford (81. 9s. 7d.).

Will'm Wiat vic. of Cosby (41. 15s.)

John Savage parson of Foston (14*l.* 3*s.*  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .)

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#### THE NAMES OF THOSE THAT BE NOT RESIDENT.

Richard Edwards parson of the Northe<sup>3</sup> parte of Sheppie (131. 4s  $9\frac{1}{2}d$ .) resident at Wakton in com' Stafford.

John Browne parson of Norborowe (261. 14s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .) resid<sup>t</sup> in Yorksh Howshold chapline of the countis of Cumberland.

Peter Prstland vic. of Ratcliff (71. 16s. 8d.), residt at the Middle Wiche in Chesshire, not qualified

Henr' Evans parson of Netherseale (171. 8s. 11\frac{1}{2}d.), residt wt the Earle of Shreusbury.

Doctor Hawford parson of Kegworthe (251, 15s, 7\frac{1}{2}d.) and Mr of Christ College in Cambrige there resident.

Henry Catton parson of Shangton (101, 13s, 4d.), residt in the countie of Lincoln where he hath a benifice.4

Myles Johnson parson of Boresworth (241. 15s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ .) resident at Peterborough having a prbend there.

Will'm Berege, parson of Kibworthe (391, 15s.), resdt in Com. Beddf. where he hath a benifice.

Rob't Shingelton vic. of Scraptoft (81. 10s.), residt at Oxford

Leonard Ward vic. of Thedingworth (81. 15s. 7\frac{1}{2}d.) resident at Oxford

Tho. Hide parson of Saddington (191. 3s. 4d.) residt at Oxford [w<sup>t</sup> my L. Keeper<sup>5</sup>]

<sup>5</sup> In margin.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Probably a mistake for 'Edward.' Edward Thomson was instituted in 1560 (Reg. 1547-70, folio 107d., and the benefice was vacated in 1582 by his death. (L.R.S., vol.

ii, p. 43).

<sup>2</sup> Called 'Bersey' (L.R.S., vol. ii, p. 43), and 'Bardesey' (Comp. 1548). <sup>3</sup> An error for 'South.' (See Reg. 1547-70, folio 112d., and Comp. 3 Feb., 1560-1).

<sup>4</sup> I.e. the rectory of Westborough (L.R.S., vol. ii, p. 200).

Rob't Cressey parson of Bottesford (11. 5s.) resid<sup>t</sup> in the Com' of Nott' where he hath a benefice.

Miles Bennes vic. of Melton (161. 8s. 9d) residt at Chester.

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Folios 12d. and 13 blank.

Folio 13d. LINCOLNE ETC.

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# SUBSCRIPTIONS OF THE CLERGY IN BUCKS TO THE 3 ARTICLES<sup>1</sup>

[A.D. 1584]

[Lambeth Palace Library, Carta Miscellanear tom. xiii, num. 62.]

Folio 1

That her Matie under god hathe and oughte to have the soueraigntie and rule over all maner persons borne wthin her Realmes dominions and countries of what estate eyther Ecclesiasticall or Temporall soever they be, and that none other forraine Power prlate state or potentate, hathe or oughte to have any Jurisdiction, power, superioritie prheminence or authoritie Ecclesiastical or spirituall, within her Mates saide Realmes dominions or countries.

That the Booke of common prayer and of orderinge Bishope, Prieste, and Deacons conteineth in it nothing contrairie to the worde of god, and that the same Maie lawfullie be used, and that he him selfe will use the forme in the saide book prscribed in publique prayer and administration of the sacramente and none other.

That he alloweth the booke of Articles of Religion agreed upon by the Archbishope and Bishope of bothe provinces and the whole Clergie in the convocation holden att London in the yeare of or Lord god 1562 and sett forth by her Mates authoritie, and that he beleveth all the Articles therin conteined to be agreable to the word of god.

Ego Jo. Longland Archinus Bucke hiisce articulis supradictis libenter et ex animo subscribo

Ego Tho. Gibsonn' vicarius de Wendov*er* libenter et ex animo subscribo<sup>2</sup> Ego Wyll'm's Dauison rector de Hampden magna libenter et ex animo subscribo

Ego Riceus Gwinus rector de Ellisborow libenter et ex animo subscribo Folio 1d.

Ego Joh'es Smuyth rector Ecclesie de Horsyngton volens subscribo Ego Edmundus Polter vicarius de denton volens subscribo

<sup>1</sup> This title has been supplied by a rather later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In this and the succeeding entries, the words 'his articulis supradictis,' which occur with slight variations in the manuscript, have been omitted.

Ego Eliseus Wergle<sup>1</sup> vicarius de Mysen' parva ex animo subscribo

Ego Nich'laus Sheffeld rector de Hedsor ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus Whitus vicarius de Westwicombe ex animo subscribo

Ego Willi'mus Syere rector de Radnedge ex animo subscribo

Ego Petrus Rider rector de thy'ghest ex animo subscribo

Ego Rogerus Gibson vicarius de Turfild libenter et ex animo subscribo

Ego Ricardus Clark B.A. rector de Fawligh ex animo subscribo

Ego Georgius Hyde vicarius Medmenham ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Browne vicarius de Merloe magna ex animo subscribo

#### Folio 2

Ego Will's Tilberye vicarius de parva Marlowe ex animo subscribo

Ego Hugo Roberte vicarius de Woborne ep*iscop*i libenter et ex animo subscribo

Ego Nich's Clarke rector de Bradenham libenter et ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Johnson vicarius de Dornev ex animo subscribo

Ego Robertus Bangor vicarius de Dachet ex animo subscribo

Ego Georgius Eyles vicarius de Wirardesburie et Langley marris ex animo subscribo

Ego John Atkins vicarius de Iver ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus Bagley rector de Denham volente animo subscribo

Ego Lodivicus Johns vicarius de Chalfont Sancti Petri ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes blawre vicarius de Penne ex animo subscribo

Ego Robertus Hearon rector de Chesham bois ex animo subscribo

Ego Johes Robarth rector de Hugeley ex animo subscribo

Ego Andrea Pury vicarius de Stocke Pogis ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes King rector ecclesiæ paroch' de Taplow libenter subscribo *Folio* 2d.

Ego Thomas Harper curatus de Aston Clinton ex animo subscribo

Ego Lucas Watte de Weston Turville curatus subscribo volens

Ego Thomam Leake curat'm de Risborough principis ex animo subscribo

Ego Georgius Mell curatum de Cheping Wickomb ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Wilson curatus de Hambleden ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Chekue curatus de Chalfant Sancti Egidij ex animo subscribo

Ego Eduardus Newmau curatus de Hitcham ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Corney curatus de Farnham Roiall libenter ex animo subscribo

Ego Johanes Mores curatus de Langle marris ex animo subscribo

Ego Joh'es Brewer curatus de Fullmer ex animo subscribo

Ego Joh'es Brangwin vicarius de Kingsey volens subscribo

Ego Robertus Evans rector de Hicford et vicarius de Wormynall volens ex animo subscribo

#### Folio 3

Ego Thomas Griffith cl. vicarius de Oklay volens ex animo subscribo

Ego Johanes Taylar vicarius de Upper Winchindon volens ex animo subscribo

Ego Riceus Robertus curatus de Wotton subtus Bernewood volens ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus Smithe rector de Mureslee volens ex animo subscribo

Ego Wilhelmus Milwardis cl. curatus de Sowlburye ex animo subscribo

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Wrigley' in Comp. 1561; 'Ridley' in L. C. 1585, folio 42d.

Ego Hugo Whittacars cl. curatus de Horwood magna ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus Coventrie vicarius de Whitchurch ex animo subscribo

Ego Robertus Nixon vicarius de Wingraue ex animo subscribo Ego Hieronimus Leus rector de Cublington ex animo subscribo

Ego Robrtus Gravus vicarius de Wyng ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus Knight rector de Ludgarsale ex animo subscribo Ego Gabriele grene curatus de Slapton ex animo subscribo

Ego Jacobus Langleus vicarius de Shabington ex animo subscribo *Folio* 3d.

Ego Johannes Goodhand vicarius de Edlesborough ex animo subscribo

Ego Evanus Rogeres vicarius de Ivingho ex animo subscribo

Ego Evanus Johns curatus de Pytchlesthtorn ex animo subscribo Ego Joh'es Lawton rector de Drayton Bewchamp ex animo subscribo

Ego Rolandus Heblethwett curatus de Cheddington ex animo subscribo

Ego Evanus Davies vicarius de Mentmore ex animo subscribo Ego Joh'eus¹ Facer rector de Grova parva ex animo subscribo

Ego Robertus Walkeden rector de Pitchcott ex animo subscribo Ego Franciscus Hall rector de Aston Sandford ex animo subscribo

Ego Willi'mus Phillippe curatus de Crendon ex animo subscribo Ego Bartholomeus Price curatus de Borestall ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Hitchecoke rector de Fletmestone ex animo subscribo

Ego Bartholomeus Pusey vicarius de Ston ex animo subscribo

Ego Kenelmus Wodeford curatus de Winchington Inferiore ex animo subscribo

Ego Foulco Laurance curatus de Brill ex animo subscribo Folio 4

I Tho. Wood curat of greate Linford do willinglie Subscribe to the Three Artecles above written

Ego Michael L[eme?] curatus de Hanslapp ex animo subscribo

Ego Will'mus yemans rector de Stocke Goldyngton volens subscribo

Ego Thomas Phillipes vicarius de ravenston volens subscribo Ego Samuel Reue rector de Marsh ex animo subscribo

Ego Edward' Shaw curatus de Moulso ex animo subscribo

I Ego Thomas Cowellus curatus de Woughton ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Newton vicarius de Lavendon ex animo subscribo Ego Thomas Taverner rector de Simpson ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Glover rector de Wolston magna ex animo subscribo

Ego Johanes Jones rector de Walton ex animo subscribo

Ego Joh'es Pryc rector de Newton Blossmavile ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Thailcham rector de Clyfton Reynes volens subscribo Folio 4d.

Ego Thomas Blancherdus clericus rector ecclesie parochialis de Queynton ex animo subscribo

Ego Owinus Gwyn vicarius de Estclaidon ex animo subscribo

Ego Mattheus Jeninge rector de Hartwell & parva Hampden ex animo subscribo

Ego Robertus Penkethe² curatus de Asshendonn ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomam [sic] Lownes vicarius de Swanburne ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Kniseus curatus de Northmarston ex animo subscribo

Ego Phillippus Langstonus curatus de Cuddington ex animo subscribo

<sup>1</sup> For 'Johannes.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Penkethman' in L.C. 1585, folio 40d.

Ego Johanes Longe rector de hulcot ex animo subscribo

Ego Joh'es Purches vicarius de Beirton ex animo subscribo

Ego Thomas Castell curatus de Chollsebery ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Greene vicarius de Haddenham ex animo subscribo

Ego Wilhelmus Markham rector de Ovinge ex animo subscribo

Ego Wilhelmus Markeb¹ rector de Grendon Underwod volens subscribo

Ego Will'mus Wright rector de Hogston ex animo subscribo

Ego Sextus Quatermanus rector de Newton Longfyld volens subscribo

Ego David Powell rector de Foscot hiis articulis consentio et quæcunnque contra hos articulos nostri temp*oris* Scismatici scripserunt et docuerunt horreo et abominor

Ego Edward' Whithead curatus de Twyfford ex animo subscribo

Ego Carolus Shaye curatus de Tyringham ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Richarde vicarius de Thornborowgh ex animo subscribo

Ego Johannes Prichard curatus de Stokhamond ex animo subscribo

Ego Morganus Davyes curatus de Haversham volens subscribo

Ego Andreas Peeke curatus de Betcheampton ex animo subscribo

Ego Martinus Purriar vicarius de Olne subscribo

Ego Rolandus Johns curatus de Lechamstead volens subscribo

Ego Jacobus Cauldwell rector de Loughton volens subscribo

Folio 5d.

Ego Richardus Benskine vicarius de Caversfeild volens subscribo

Ego Johanes Feild rector ecclesie de Egecott volens subscribo

Ego Rycardus Hind curatortus [sic] de Stonystratfor volens subscribo

Ego Thomas Androwe rector de Addington volens subscribo

Ego guilielmus Watson rector de Bowbrickhill volens subscribo

Ego Radulphus Langford vicarius de Woluerton imo ex corde subscribo

Ego Ricardus Maior vicarius de Westbury volens subscribo

Ego Robartus Foster rector de Radcliffe volens subscribo

Ego Thomas Elwood rector de thornton subscribo

Ego Ricardus Tetlawe rector de preston volens subscribo

I John Read vycar of padburye doe subscrybe to the artycles above wryttyn

Ego Johanes Smith volens subscribo

Ego Henricus beverley curatus de lillingston Darell volens subscribo Folio 6

Ego John Paddye rector de Turwestun volens subscribo

Ego Geordius Richardson vicarius de Astwood volens subscribo

Ego Ricardus Raynesford rector de Hardmayed fertekles supradictis volens subscribo

Ego Ric'us Edmunde rector de Wavenden et Shenley subscribo

Ego Thomas Kent rector de Broughton volens subscribo

Ego Robertus Norwood Artium Ma. rector ecclesie de Slapton subscribo

Ego Mathias Pigott rector de Caluerton et Beacham[ton] volens subscribo

Ego Thomas Haberley vicarius de Bradwell volens subscribo

Ego Thomas Tayler rector ecclesie de Drayton Parslow subscribo

Ego Henrycus Fawconus curatus de Chitwood subscribo

Ego Hugo Chernoc*us* in Artibus bacularius rector de Myddeltu*n* Kaynes subscribo

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Marbecke' in L.C. 1585, folio 40d.

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[Lambeth Palace Library, Carta Miscellanea, tom. xii, num. 2.]

Cover.

# The State of the whole of the Clergy of the Archdeaconry of Huntingdon.

Doctors in Theology		5
Bachelors in Theology		9
Masters of Arts		33
Bachelors of Arts		19
Non-graduates		97
Able to preach		64
Able to catechize		87

With respect to the rest, who are extremely (admodum) few, we have hope.

Recusants within the said Archdeaconry of Huntingdon-

Co. Hunt'—William Dickonson, rector of Aylton. Stephen Wakefeilde, rector of Wistowe.

Co. Hartf'—Richard Chambers, vicar of Hitchin.
John Potkyns, rector of Lyllye.
Thomas Wilcockes, curate of the chapel of Bovington.

Folio 1.

## ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON.

# ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON, DIOCESE OF LINCOLN, LAIGHTONSTON DEANERY.

Kimbalton—Master Thomas Dawson, curate there; M.A.; not licensed to preach, yet able to preach; conformable.

SWANYSHED—Master Lawrence Sanders, rector there; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

GROFEHAM—Master Samuell Hunt, rector there; preacher not licensed; able to preach; conformable; no degree.

ELLINGETON—Master Thomas Nutte, vicar there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

<sup>1</sup> This document has been translated from the Latin.

ALCUMBERYE—Sir Richard Williams, vicar there; no graduate, but licensed preacher; conformable.

GREAT CATWOTH—Sir John Alwood, rector there; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable; resides at Clifton, co. Nottingham.

Sir Henry Bacon, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize only; conformable.

Hamerton—Master Thomas¹ Elcocke, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

MOLYSWORTH—Master Thomas Stephens, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

KEYSTON—Master William Bate, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; has another benefice called baxterle, co. Warwick; conformable.

COVINGETON—Sir John Mownton, rector there; no graduate; a very old man; conformable.

Sir Robert Clarke, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize.

Buckeworthe—Sir John Cookeson, rector there; no graduate; licensed preacher; conformable.

Folio 1d.

STEPLEGYDDING—Sir Henry Beredge, rector; no graduate; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Wullye—Sir Anthony Clarke, rector; no graduate, nor preacher; approved able to catechize; conformable.

WINWICKE—Sir George Beaumont, vicar; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Thirninge—Sir John Worslye, rector; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

LITTLE GYDDINGE—Sir Thomas Clarke, rector there; no graduate; able to preach, nevertheless not licensed; conformable.

GREAT GYDDINGE—Sir Edward Higby, vicar; no graduate; not licensed to preach; approved able to catechize only; conformable.

BRINCKETON—Mr Ambrose Dorington, M.A.; not licensed to preach, yet able to preach; has another benefice; conformable.

Sir Thomas Clapham, curate there; no graduate; able to preach, nevertheless not licensed; conformable.

Bythorne chapel, Brincketon—Sir George Watson, curate there; no graduate; conformable.

OLD WESTON, CHAPEL OF THE SAME—the same Thomas Clapham; conformable as above.

## DEANERY OF YALYE [sic].

YANLYE—Sir John Savage; did not appear by reason of the plague (pestis) there; neither has he subscribed; [he is conformable<sup>2</sup>].

GLATTON—Sir Alexander Wutton, rector; no graduate; able to catechize only; conformable.

HOLME CHAPEL—Sir Simon Mariat, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize; conformable.

Folio 2.

STANGRONDE—Sir William Longe, vicar there; no graduate; able to catechize; conformable.

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  A mistake for 'Anthony' (see L.R.S., ii, page 70; L.C. 1585, folio 53d.; and Comp.).  $^{2}$  Added in a different ink,

I Jhon Whettakers person of Moche Bryckelhill doo wyllynglye subscribe too the artecels above wryttin

Ego Thomas Gardenar vicarius de Chicheley volens subscribo

Ego Johanes Whiloque curatus de Wanden subscripsi

Ego Henricus Woodlandus curatus de Crawley subscribo Ego Willielmus Prestwood vicarius de Stutlye subscribo

Folio 6d.

Ego Johanes Chapman curatus de Ilmer volens subscribo

Ego Xp'oferus Metcalf curatus de Myssenden magna subscribo

Ego Joh'es Yorke vicarius de Stanton bery subscribo

Ego Jo' Chandler rector de ecclesie Horwood magna subscribo

Ego Thomas Lewes vicarius de brickhill parva subscribo

Ego Anthonius Grenacres rector de Woughton super virid' propria persona subscripsi

Ego Thomas Weller vicarius de Lathbury subscribo

Ego Johannes Purefey artium magister rector porcionis de Waddesden propria persona subscribo

Ego Johannes Walweine rector de Hawridge subscribo Jhon Walweyn Ego Gulielmus Harward artium magister rector de Farnam Rial subscribo W. Harward

Ego Thomas Prowd rector et vicarius de Kimbels<sup>1</sup> subscribo

Ego Richardus Rainolde rector de Sanderton subscribo

Ego Hugo Lane minister ecclesite de Hutchendon subscribo

Ego Johannes Martyn rector de ecclesia de Sherington subscripsi

Ego Henricus Wilcoke rector ecclesie de Moulso et Wolston parva articulis supradictis nihill contra verbum dei continentibus volens subscribo

Folio 7

Ego Thomas Potter vicarius ecclesie de Willin volens subscribo Ego Carolus Langford rector ecclesie de Stokham' subscribo

Ego Laurentius Hall rector de ecclesie de tearynggam subscribo

Folio 7d. [blank]

<sup>1</sup> I.e. vicar of Great Kimble and rector of Little Kimble.



OUERTON WATERVILLE-Master Baldwin Esdall, M.A.; licensed preacher, and rector there and of the church of Chesterton in the aforesaid archdeaconry; conformable.

STILTON—Sir Peter Bythorn, rector there; no graduate; approved able to catechize by the archdeacon of Huntingdon; conformable.

FLETTON—Sir William Boker, rector; no graduate; able to catechize, and conformable.

CALCOTTE—Sir John Hunt, rector there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

DENTON-Sir Bartholomew Linton, rector there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize only; conformable.

BOTTELBRIDGE—Sir Nicholas Cheselden, rector there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Wodwalton-Sir Robert Hitchinson; no graduate, nor licensed preacher: nevertheless able to preach; conformable.

SAWTRE ALL SAINTS & St. ANDREW-Sir Thomas Lenton, rector of the churches there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

WOODSTONE—Sir Ralph Bent, rector there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; able to catechize only; conformable.

CHESTERTON—the same Master Esdall, rector there; licensed preacher: conformable.

ALWALTON—Master John Bill, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

AILTON—Master William Dickonson, rector there; did not subscribe; no degree; [recusant1].

Folio 2d.

HADDON-Master William Bolinge, rector; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

STIBINGETON—Master Thomas Smithe, rector; s.t.b.; preacher licensed by the university; conformable; has another benefice, viz., Ripton Abbates, co. Huntingdon.

OUERTON LONGEVILLE—Sir Dionizius Warde, rector; no graduate, nor

licensed preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

MORBORNE—Sir Robert Towensende, rector there; did not appear by reason of old age; of no degree.

Sir Nicholas Browne, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; able to preach; conformable.

WATER NEWTON—Sir Samuell Willingham, rector; B.A.; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Conyngeton—Master William Roo, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; is beneficed in the diocese of Peterborough; conformable.

Master William Garfold, curate there; M.A.; able to catechize; conformable.

FOLKESWORTH - Sir Clement Cooke; no graduate; not a licensed preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

#### DEANERY OF ST. IVES.

St. Ives—Sir Maurice Burnell, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In margin.

Somersham—Master Andrew Pearne, s.t.d.; rector there; licensed preacher.

Sir Thomas Robotcham, curate there; no graduate; not a licensed

preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Hallywell—Mr. Bartholomew Chamberleyne, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; has another benefice in the diocese of Oxford; conformable.

Sir John Cooke, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize;

conformable.

Warboys—Master Francis Dorington, rector there; s.t.d.; licensed preacher; has another benefice called same<sup>1</sup> in the diocese of Norwich; conformable.

Folio 3.

HOUGHTON CUM WITTON—Master Thomas Liliat, M.A.; rector there; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

HARTFORD—Sir Christopher Key, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

GREAT STEWCKLEY—Master Nicholas Gidney, vicar there; M.A.; not licensed; able to preach; conformable.

UPWOODDE—Sir Edward Makernes, B.A., curate there; able to catechize; conformable.

ODHURSTE—Sir John Brett, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize only; conformable.

WOODHURST—the same Brett, curate there.

COLNE—Sir William Browne, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize only; conformable.

PIDLY—Sir William Pulter, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Wistowe—Master Steaphen Wakefield, rector there; appeared; did not subscribe; and of no degree; recusant.

Broughton—Master Thomas Yonge, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

RAVELY—Sir Thomas Curties, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize only; conformable.

RIPTON ABBATES—Master Thomas Smithe, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sir John Morris, curate there; MA.; able to preach; conformable.

Folio 3d.

LITTLE STEWCKLEY—Master William Halls, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sir Edward Swindale, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

RIPTON REGIS—Sir William Ambre, rector there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

BLUNTYSHAM—Master John Parker, rector there; does not reside by reason of the archdeaconry of Ely.<sup>2</sup>

Master Thomas Heron, curate there; M.A.; able to preach; conformable.

<sup>2</sup> He was archdeacon of Ely, 1568-1592.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> I.e., Saham Toney, to which rectory he was instituted 23 Oct., 1563. His successor was instituted, on his resignation, 12 Aug, 1589 (Blomfield, *History of Norfolk*, vol. i, page 592).

Ramesye—Sir Robert Cox, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Burie—Sir Robert Braie, curate there; no graduate; nor licensed preacher; hardly able to catechize; conformable.

#### ST. NEOTS DEANERY.

St. Neots—Master William Smithe, vicar there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

EVERTON—Sir Thomas Rudierd, vicar there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Abbotysley—Sir John Aspinall, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Yealinge—Master John Tailer, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sir John Robotham, curate there: no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Folio 4.

Offord Darcie—Master John Flower, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; does not reside.

Sir Marmeduke Fulnebie, curate there; no graduate; able to catechize; conformable.

Offord Clunye—Master John Atkins, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Great Gransden—Sir William Harrison, vicar there; no graduate; able to catechize.

Dodington—Sir Henry Mariot, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Sowtho—Master Henry Ince, vicar there; no graduate; licensed preacher; conformable.

Great Paxton—Sir William Wapole, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Toseland—Sir John Birchall, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed; conformable.

Great Stoughton—Sir Robert Scofeild, vicar there; B.A.; not licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Eanysburie—Master Richard Jones, rector there; inceptor for s.t.d.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sir William Parrie, curate there; B.A.; no preacher; able to cate-chize; conformable.

Weryslye—Sir George Hall, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

Folio 4d.

Gymechester—Ambrose Dorrington, vicar there; M.A.; not licensed to preach; able to preach; conformable.

FENYSTANTON—Sir Robert Palmer, vicar there; no graduate; licensed to preach; conformable.

HILTON CHAPEL—The same Palmer, vicar as above.

Hemingford Abbate—Master Arthur Yeldard, rector there; s.t.d.; licensed preacher; resides at Oxford; conformable.

Master Christopher Leowes, curate there; M.A.; not licensed; able to preach; conformable.

HEMINGFORD GRAIE—Sir James Rooe, vicar there; B.A.; not licensed; able to preach; conformable.

#### HUNTINGDON DEANERY.

St. Mary's, Huntingdox—Sir Christopher Key, vicar there; no graduate,

nor preacher; able to catechize only; conformable. St. Benedict's there—Sir William Garland [curate there, reader<sup>1</sup>]; no graduate, nor minister; reader (lector) only; scarcely able to catechize: conformable.

ALL SAINTS THERE—Sir Thomas Wulfe, rector; graduate; no preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Folio 5.

#### COUNTY OF HERTFORD.

#### BARKHAMSTED DEANERY.

BARKHAMSTED PETER'S—Master Nicholas Claiton, rector there; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; did not subscribe; nevertheless conformable.

BARKHAMSTED St. Mary's—Mr. John Bullock, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher, or able to preach; conformable.

TRINGE—Sir Thomas Norfolke, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; conformable.

FLAMYSTED—Sir Firmin Adames, curate there; no graduate, nor preacher; scarcely able to catechize; a deacon; conformable.

Alberie—Master Mathias Watte, rector there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Langely Rege—Sir William Cooe, vicar there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Weathamstedd—Master Nicholas Tooke, rector there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

HARPEDEN—Sir Mark Stubbinge, curate there; no graduate; not licensed to preach; but able to preach; conformable.

Puttenham—Sir John Fisher, rector there; no graduate; no preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Gaddesden Magna—Sir Leonard Stepneth, vicar there; no graduate; no preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Folio 5d.

## SHENLY [DEANERY].

KENNYSWORTH—Sir Leonard Tuke, vicar there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Hemilhamsted—Master Richard Gawton, vicar there; preacher; of no degree.

WIGGINTON—Sir William Wilkinson, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed preacher; conformable.

BOVINGTON—Sir Thomas Wilcocks, curate there; no graduate; he neither appeared nor subscribed.

ALDENHAM—Sir Thomas Barthelomewe, vicar there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Longmarston—Sir John Facer, curate there; no graduate.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

LITTLE GADDYSDEN—Sir Thomas Winsore, rector there; no graduate; no preacher; able to preach; conformable.

## HARTFORD DEANERY.

HARTFORD ALL SAINTS'—Thomas Noble, vicar there; M.A.; no preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

St. Andrew's—Master Thomas Fell, rector there; B.A.; no preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

St. Michael's<sup>1</sup>—The same Thomas Fell, rector there, as above.

Dacheworthe—Sir Thomas Rudde, rector there; no graduate, nor preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

HARTINGFORD BERIE—Master Henry Ragwell [John Scurfield<sup>2</sup>], rector there; graduate; licensed preacher; conformable; he did not appear by reason of old age.

Tunge—Master Thomas Mumford, rector there; s.r.b.; licensed preacher;

conformable.

Bengeo—Sir Richard Halve, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed; able to catechize; conformable.

LITTLE BARKHAMSTEDD—Sir Roland Hewes, rector there; no graduate, nor licensed to catechize; conformable.

Esenden—Master Nicholas Tooke, rector there; no graduate, nor able to preach; but sufficient to catechize.

BAYFORD—Sir William Hughes, curate there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; nevertheless able to catechize; conformable.

Avot St. Lawrence—Sir Thomas Porter, rector there; no graduate; not licensed to preach; sufficiently able to catechize; conformable.

Ayor St. Peter—Sir John Buzye, rector there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; sufficiently learned, and able to catechize; conformable. Folio 6d.

Wattone Astone—Master Robert Porter, rector; S.T.B.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Bramfeild—Master Richard Stones, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Dixswell—Sir Thomas Metrevers, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; did not subscribe by reason of old age.

HATFEILD BISHOP—Master Henry Ragwell, rector; B.A.; licensed preacher; did not subscribe by reason of old age.

TATERIDGE—Sir Ralph Northe, curate; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; did not subscribe by reason of old age.

STAPLEFORD—Sir John Stuke, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

SACOMBE—Sir Richard Woode, rector; did not appear because he does not reside and has another benefice; conformable.

Welwyne-Master George Lewes, rector; B.A.; licensed to preach; conformable.

<sup>1</sup> A mistake for 'St. Nicholas.'

under ' Hartingford Berie,' above.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Written above the line above 'Henry Ragwell.' 'Ragwell' is a copyist's mistake 'Bagwell.' The *Liber* was written about the time that Scurfield succeeded Bagwell in for 'Bagwell.' The Liber was written about the time that Scurfield succeeded Bagwell in the benefice (See Introduction). The particulars evidently refer to Bagwell.

3 A mistake for 'Bagwell.' He compounded for the first-fruits 7 Oct., 1559. See also

NORTHMYMES—Sir Henry Pecham; B.A., curate there; licensed to preach; conformable.

## BALDOCKE DEANERY.

BALDOCKE—Sir William Chatburne, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Bygrave—Master John Stearne, rector; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Ashwell—Master William Dakines, vicar there; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sandon—Sir Robert Parsones, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

WILLION—Sir John Philippes, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

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Westone—Sir John Beesbrowne, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

CLOTTALL—Master William Lucas, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

THARFEILD—Master William Chapman, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Sir John Ellerton, curate there; M.A.; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

RUSHDEN—Sir James Kynge, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Astone—Master William Botler, rector; M.A.; not a licensed preacher; able to catechize; conformable.

Codereth—Master Thomas Bushe, rector; M.A.; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

THROCKINGE—Sir Rowland Hearinge, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Aspeden—Sir Ralph Tomlin, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

YARDELYE—Sir Robert Tattersall, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

BENYNGTONE—Sir William Middleton, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Great Monden—Sir William Curlewes, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

LITTLE MONDEN—Sir Humfrey Wolstone, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

WALCORNE—Sir Edward Howe, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Hinckesworth—Sir John Mickle, rector; в.а.; licensed to preach; conformable.

Westmill—Sir Thomas Chambers, rector; did not appear nor subscribe. Sir James Crofte, curate; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

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CALCOTT—Sir Robert Smythe, rector; B.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Kellyshull—Master Edward Francklin, rector; M.A.; licensed to preach; conformable; [able to catechize<sup>1</sup>].

RADWELL—Master Richard Parker, rector; B.A.; licensed to [preach1] catechize; conformable.

Wallington—Master Henry Leddyshame, rector; s.t.b.; licensed preacher; conformable.

## HITCHEN DEANERY.

HITCHEN—Master Richard Chambers, vicar; M.A.; licensed preacher; [conformable<sup>1</sup>]; did not subscribe.

WYMLYE—Sir Nicholas Craven, vicar there; B.A.; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Kymptox—Sir James Aldred, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Gravely cum Chesfelld—Master Benedict Quarles, rector; M.A.; not licensed to preach; able to [catechize<sup>1</sup>] preach; conformable.

Leachworth—Master Henry Hammond, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

STEAPHENAGE—Master John Pattingsone<sup>2</sup>, rector; M.A.; licensed preacher; conformable.

Offley—Sir Roger Henry, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to [preach1] catechize; conformable.

Ickleford—Sir John Butterfeild, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed

ICKLEFORD—Sir John Butterfeild, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Pyrton—Sir John Dume, curate there; B.A.; not licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

Walden Rege—Sir Thomas Richardsone; curate there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

IPOLITTe—Sir John Stretton, vicar there; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

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KNEBWORTH—Sir Richard Hodgesone, rector; no graduate, nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable.

LILLYE—Master John Potkines, rector; no graduate, [nor licensed to preach; able to catechize; conformable<sup>1</sup>]; he did not subscribe; he is a preacher.

LITTLE WYMELY—No curate.

In faith & testimony whereof I Kenelm Kent, public notary, registrar of the archdeaconry of Huntingdon, have subscribed this book and [set to] my hand and usual seal, etc.

Kenelme Kent.

Folio 8d. [blank.]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  A mistake for 'Robert' (*L.R.S.*, ii, p. 69; *L.C.* 1585, fo. 53; *Comp.* under date 29 Jan., 1577-8).



# [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1585.]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

# [ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN.]

Folio 1.

## LINCOLN.

5 July, 1585, St. Michael's.

- St. Botolph's—Sir W. Marshall, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1577; adm. by John Belley, Ll.D., 20 May, 1574; о.—; а.—.
- St. Peter's at Gotes—Sir W. Tailer, curate; ord. pr. by Edmund bp. of Peterborough, 12 July, 1584; o. —; a. he has to exhibit. Literate.
- St. Mark's—Sir Henry Kynder, curate; ord. pr. by William bp. of Lincoln, 31 Dec., 1584; o. and a. he has to exhibit.
- St. Mary's—Sir John Hurde, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 July, 1579; *i.* 8*d.*; *flur*. 3*s.*; *t.* 8*d.*
- St. Benedict's—Sir John Silvester, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 May, 1567; adm. by Thomas Rands, 19 Dec., 1578; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Preacher.
- St. Swithin's—[Adam Gart<sup>1</sup>] Sir Robert Sergeante, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1576; adm. 1 July, 1580, by John Belley, Ll.D.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Licensed preacher.
- St. Peter's at Arches—Sir Adam Gartside, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chichester, 26 June, 1566; inst. 28 Feb., 1566; i. 8d.
- St. Martin's—Sir Gregory Trig [curate<sup>1</sup>] vicar; ord. deacon by William bp. of Lincoln, 5 Jan., 1584; and inst. and subs. 5 June, 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.
- St. Michael's—Sir Adam Gardside, curate; he has to exhibit.
- St. Paul's-James Best, reader; tol. he has to exhibit.
- St. Peter's in Estgate—Robert Nicolson, reader; tol. he has to exhibit.
  - 2 Aug., 9s. 8d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 8s. 8d.

Folio 1d.

## GRAFFO.

# 5 July, 1585, St. Michael's.

- AWBORNE—Sir James Wolfeden, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Mar., 1574; 11 July, 1578, inst. and subs.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.
- Basingam—Master Henry Vaux, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Dec., 1576; i. 8d.; flur. 3s., by Thomas burgley, lord chancellor of

<sup>1</sup> Struck out,

England, 7 Dec., 1581; dispensed the same day; inst. 20 Dec., 1581, and subs. at the same time; and qualified by Thomas burgley; t. 8d. M.A.

[John Barker, curate; o. -; a. -<sup>1</sup>].

Boltham—Master Thomas Fulbecke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Sept., 1579; inst. and subs. 6 Aug., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; subs. 29 Sept., 1579 [sic]. B.A.

CARLTONNE—Master Richard Kellett, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 22 Sept., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Preacher not licensed.

Dodingtonne—Master Edward Germaigne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 9 Sept., 1579.

Sir [John<sup>1</sup>] Ralph Bethell, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

9 Sept., 1565; o. 8d.; a. —. Absent.

EGLE—Sir George Blumley, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 June, 1563; adm. by Dr. Bellie, 30 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

HICAME—Master Henry Vaux, rector; see before in Basingham; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; subs. 3 Nov., 1579, and inst. the same day.

[Sir Thomas Crawforth, curate1] John Barker, [curate1] reader of

Hickame; tol.—; a. 8d.

NORTONNE—Sir John Wilsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Sept., 1577; inst. and subs. 28 Sept., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

NORTHSCARLE—Sir Richard Cooke, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Salop, 20 Mar., 1545; inst. 12 Nov., 1563; subs. 18 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

STAPLEFORD—Sir Richard Caporne, vicar; ord. [pr.2] by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 May, 1573; inst. 8 July, 1574; i. and i. he has to exhibit. SKELLINGTHORP—Robert Hamon, reader; iol. 8d.

Swinderbie—John Swinsco, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 July, 1581; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

James Mansford, reader; tol. —.

THORPE—Master Ezechiel Tailor, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 3 Dec., 1567; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

2 Aug., 1585, 17s. 8d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 16s. 8d.

## LONGOBOBY.

Armestonne—Sir Constantine Harrisonne, vicar; ord, pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 July, 1583; subs. 17 May, 1583, and inst. the same day; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

BOOTHBIE—Master Richard Holdesworth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 July, 1573; inst. and subs. 17 Jan., 1582; i. 8d.; l. 8d.

Bracebrig-Master Martin Crosfeld, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Apr., 1569; o. —; plur. 3s. B.A. Preacher.

Sir George Codde, curate; o. 8d.; a. 8d. He is dead.

BILLINGAIE—Sir Ralph Palframan, vicar; ord, deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 May, 1569. Absent.

John Johnson, curate; stipend 81.; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Jan., 1576; o. 8d.; a. —. Clerk (Clericus).

Folio 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This word has been emitted (cp. L.R.S., ii, p, 82).

Braunceton—Master John Wintle, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 Mar., 1572; inst. 6 June, 1576; subs. on the same day; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

BLANCKNEY—Sir Riceus Banes, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 24 Mar., 1542; inst. by [Herd\*] Hervey (Hervicum), 26 May, 1585, and subs. 17 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

CANWICKE—Sir George Codd, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; sequestration 8d. He is dead.

Colbie—Sir W. Lange, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Sept., 1564; inst. 5 Feb., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Carpenter.

Dunston—Sir Hugh Devias, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 3 Oct., 1568; sick, he has to exhibit; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

HANWORTH—Master Amos Bedford, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 1 Dec., 1579; inst. 28 Mar., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Kirkbie—Sir John Gamon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, Dec., 1568; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit.

METHRINGAM—Sir Robert Walker, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; inst. 14 Sept., 1570; i. 8d.

Noctonne—Sir W. Broke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 July, 1563; i. 8d. 'Bestiarius.'

NAUNBIE—Master W. Powre, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 9 Aug., 1561; i. 8d.; plur. 3s. M.A.

Sir Robert Mylner, curate; ord. pr. by William bp. of Chester, 1 May, 1578; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Power, inst. 29 July, 1566, and dispensed 10 Mar., 1568, and qualified by Lord Burgley 30 June, 1572.

Folio 2d.

Scopewicke—Sir Hugh Bradley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 23 Mar., 1566; inst and subs. 9 Jan., 1578; i. 8d.; i. 8d.

SKYNNAND—Sir Henry Nelsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1579; inst. and subs. 14 Mar., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

27 July, 1579; inst. and subs. 14 Mar., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Tymberland—Sir John Whale, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,
8 June, 1566; inst. 1 Apr., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Bred in the schools (Scolaris).

Washingburgh—Master John Tod, rector; subs. 15 Oct., 1571; i. and plur. he has to exhibit; o. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir John Devias, curate; ord, pr. by the bp. of Chester, 21 Sept., 1574; o. 8d.; a. —. Literate.

Wadingtonne—Master John Herd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 June, 1564; i. he is sick.

Sir Alexander Gee, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Apr., 1585; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Welborne—Master Francis Trig, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Feb., 1582; inst. 24 Apr., 1583, and subs. at the same time; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir W. Willertonne, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lichfield and Coventry, 29 Sept., 1581; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

2 Aug., 1585, 26s. 4d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 24s. 4d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This word has been altered from 'Porie,'

#### LAFFORD.

- Amwicke—Sir Mathew Tompsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 2 Mar., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d.: plur. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.
- Aswarbie—Master Thomas Carr, rector; inst. and subs. 12 June, 1585; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; [proxy] 4s. 8d. Sir Ralph Wright [curate1] reader; o. and a. absent.
- Aunsbie—Sir Michael Beane, rector; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; o. he has to exhibit; t. 8d. Gentleman.

Asgarbie—Sir John Garstonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 3 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Ashebie—Sir Thomas Scochie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BLOXAME—Sir W. Bower, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 Mar., 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Aswerbie—Sir Simon Ogden, deacon, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 17 June, 1586.

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Braunswell—Sir Henry Holdesworth, rector; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Oct., 1583; inst. and subs. 7 Apr., 1585; o.8d.; i.8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Burtonne—Sir George Gamon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Jan., 1578; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sir Robert Wilbore; tol. [he did not pay and he owes; he paid at Grantham<sup>1</sup>].

Cranwell—Thomas Johnson, reader; *tol.* afterwards he had a commission, 8d.

DIGBIE—Sir John Palframan, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Dec., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

DIRRINGTONNE CHURCH—Sir Ralph Bower, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Sept., 1574; inst. and subs. 22 Jan., 1584; i. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

DIRRINGTONNE, THE OTHER MEDIETY—[blank].

EVEDON—Sir W. Glenne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp of London, 21 Dec., 1579; inst. and subs. 28 Apr., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

EWARBIE—Sir Thomas Humbleton, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Mar., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. John Woodes, reader; tol. — [abscut¹] none².

Howell—Sir Robert Welles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 1 May, 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HECKINGTONNE—Sir Thomas Morley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp of Lincoln, 27 July, 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HOLE—Sir Thomas Warde, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 May, 1568. He is dead.

[Sir Roger Dighton, curate<sup>1</sup>] Ro. Dighton, see in Helpringham; sequestration he has to exhibit, 8d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The meaning is that he had no commission,

HELPRINGHAM—Sir Roger Dighton, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 8 Oct., 1570; inst. and subs. 22 June, 1584; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

INGOLDESBIE—Master Jo. Daniell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 7 June, 1582; inst. and subs. 30 Oct., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. [Licensed preacher<sup>1</sup>].

KIRKBIE PETER'S—[blank].

Kirkbie St. Denis'—Sir John Whelpdale, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 27 Mar., 1535; subs. 18 Sept., 1571; [proxy] 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

KIRKBIE ST. DENIS', THE OTHER MEDIETY—[blank].

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KYME—Sir Thomas Duffeld, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Sept., 1575; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Lafford, Old—[blank].

LESINGAM, SOUTH—Sir Richard Warner, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 27 Mar., 1569; plur. 3s., 26 miles; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Lesingam, North—Master George Cockett, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 21 Mar., 1555; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

Sir Roger Mynathorp, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Norwich, 12 Feb., 1567; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

QUARRINGTON—Sir Robert Bartonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Rheon, 25 May, 1532. He is dead.

ROUSTOX—Sir Edmund Hicksonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. he is sick, 8d. 'Glover.'

RAUCEBIE—Sir John Talbotte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 29 Sept., 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Ruskington—Sir James Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 1 Apr., 1569; inst. and subs. 14 July, 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Sir W. Glenne, curate;  $o. -; a. -; \ldots$ 

SWARBIE—Sir Edward Pearsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 29 Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; u. 8d. Bred in the schools. Willoughbie—Master Hugh Tuke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

19 Mar., 1577; *i.* 8d.; *t.* 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Ruskington—Ralph Clayton, master of the grammar school in Ruskington, 8d.

Sum 46s.  $[8^3]4d$ .; therefrom 5s. 8d.; there remains 4os. 8d.

## LOUEDEN.

# 14 July, 1585, Grauntham.

Ancaster—Richard Gace, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 8 Dec., 1568; inst. and subs. 6 Apr., 1585; he did not pay for the letters testimonial; i. 8d.; plur, he has to exhibit; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BENINGTONNE—Sir Edward Bromhead, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 14 Feb., 1579; inst. and subs. 24 Nov., 1581; o. 8d.;

i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Struck out. This amount, however, which is struck out is the correct one.

Beckingame—Master John Barefote, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Winchester, 20 Sept., 1572; plurality dated [blank]; i.—; plur.—; *l.* →. S.T.D.

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Brantbroughton—Master John Robinsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Chester by the authority of the bp. of London, 22 Dec., 1554; i., plnr. and t. — absent.

Sir James Knockes, curate; ord. by the bp. of Galloway in Scotland,

5 Mar., 1574; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CATHORPE—Master Francis Babington, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 5 Mar., 1557; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Sir John Vanne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 19 Dec.,

1573; o. 8d.; a. 8d. CARLTONNE—Sir W. Pointell, rector; ord, pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Dec., 1580; inst. and subs. 26 Jan., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CLAIPOLL, NORTH—Sir Thomas Townerowe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp.

[sic] of York, 15 Apr., 1565. Bred in the schools.

CLAIPOLL, SOUTH—Master Martin Crosfeld, rector; see for orders in

Bracebrig; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

FULBECKE—Master John Robinsonne, rector; see for orders in Broughton. i. and t. — absent.

[Sir George Quipp, curate<sup>1</sup>]

FENTONNE—Sir Humphrey Wordsworth, curate; ord. by the bp. of Kildare in Ireland, 9 Aug., 1572; o. and a. he has to exhibit. He has to exhibit before the feast of St. Andrew. 'A Soulger.'

Sir John Swinsco, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 July,

1581; a. 8d.; o. 8d. B.A. 2

Sir Humphrey Barlowe, curate; a. he has to exhibit.

Hough—Master Richard Lainge, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. suffragan of Hull, 9 Apr., 1558; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sir Charles Slacke; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

Hougham – Master Nicholas Shepherd, rector; see for orders in Stowe prebend<sup>3</sup>; o. -; plur. none; he is sick, he has to exhibit; i. -; l. -. s.T.B. Licensed preacher.

Sir Thomas Farneworth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

22 Oct., 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

LEDNAM—Master Richard Lainge, rector; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Sir John Shawe, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 15 Mar.,

1576; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

NORMANTON—Sir Richard Warner, rector; see for orders in Lesingham; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STRAGLETHORP—[blank].

STUBTONNE—Sir John Potter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 1 Oct., 1560; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

Westburgh church—Master Christopher Wilsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Dec., 1576; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> It is possible that this entry is meant to be struck out.

<sup>3</sup> The visitation of the prebends is not included in this manuscript.

WESTBURGH VICARAGE—Sir Andrew Sharp, reader; tol. he has to exhibit Bred in the schools.

Sum 17s.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 16s.

## GRAUNTAM.

Folio 4d.

ALLINGTONNE—Master Simon Buttrie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 7 Mar., 1578; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BAROUGHBIE—Sir John Foster, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

15 June, 1538; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

Beltonne—Master John Pratt, rector; o. and t. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s.; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher. Sir John Pilkington, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

schools. BARKESTONNE—Master John Battie, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Bracebie—W. Turnebull, reader; tolerated by Master Belly, 14 July, 1 at Grauntham. Bred in the schools.

BOOTHEBIE—Sir Ambrose Ward, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 23 Oct., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

DENTONNE—Master Anthony Whitehead, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 30 Jan., 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed preacher. GRAUNTHAM PREBEND, NORTH—Master [blank] Rogers, rector there;

o., i. and t.—absent.

Grauntham prebend, South—Master [blank] Barkesdale; o., i. and l. absent.

GRAUNTHAM VICARAGE, NORTH—Master Humphrey Travers, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Sept., 1579; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Grantham vicarage, South—Master Humphrey Travers; i. 8d; t. 8d. Sir Richard Dafferne, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln,

I8 May, 1581; o. 8d.; a he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Gunerbie—Sir Henry Leveret, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 7 Mar., 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Merchant.

HARLAXTONNE—Master Ralph Calverley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Sept., 1575; inst. [and subs.<sup>2</sup>] 22 Sept., 1574; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; l. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

HONINGTONNE—Sir Richard Gace, vicar; see for orders in Ancastr';

i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

LONDONTHORP—Sir John Rowbothome, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 27 Feb., 1563; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

PAUNTON, GREAT—Sir Christopher Welbie, rector; ord. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Apr., 1566; i. 8d. 'Servinge man.'

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PAUNTON, LITTLE-Sir James Griffith, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 23 Dec., 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>2</sup> Struck out.

<sup>1</sup> I.e. on the day of the visitation.

ROPPESLEY—Sir John Askewe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

5 Feb., 1570; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Licensed preacher.

SEGBROKE RECTORY—Sir Robert Gibsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SEGBROKE DEACONSHIP—Master W. Markham, deacon; o. and t. he has to

exhibit; i. 8d. Gentleman.

Scistonne—Sir Richard Tomplinsonne, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Chester, 2 June, 1577; adm. by Master Commissary, 14 July, 1585, at Grantham; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STROUXTONNE—Sir Thomas Walker, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Rheon, 23 Dec., 1531; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in

the schools.

SAPERTONNE -Sir Samuel Larke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

29 July, 1578; i. 8d; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Somerbie—Sir Gabriel Cornewall, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 22 July, 1564; inst. by the lord John archbp. of Canterbury, I Sept., 1584; presented by the lady the queen by lapse; subs. before his admission, the same day and year; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

WIVELL—[blank].

WOLSTROP—Sir Thomas Bennett, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

WILLESFORTH—Sir Richard Stevens, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 5 Feb., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Welbie—Sir Thomas Gace, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 Mar., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Sum 27s. 10d.<sup>1</sup>; therefrom 2s.; there remains 25s. 10d.

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## BELTISLOWE.

BASINGTHORP CHURCH—Sir Edmund Blackborne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 15 Feb., 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BITHAM, GREAT—Sir W. Idle, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

4 Mar., 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BITHAM, LITTLE—Sir Michael Watsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Thetford, 12 Apr., 1544; subs. 18 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

BICHEFELD—Sir Richard Edwardes, [rector<sup>2</sup>]; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 25 May, 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BIRTONNE—Master W. Pollard, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln, 4 Aug., 1583<sup>8</sup>] London, 21 Dec., 1581; inst. and subs. 30 Apr., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. B.A.

CAREBIE—Sir W. Browne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

19 Sept., 1563; i. 8d. 'Husband man.'

Colsterworth—[Sir James Wadsonne<sup>3</sup>] W. Hotchken, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 17 Feb., 1583; inst. and subs. 5 Apr., 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

3 Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This amount seems to be twopence too little.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 211.

CRETON—Sir William Nicols, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough. 22 July, 1573; i. 8d.; plur. none; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CORBIE—Sir Richard Elame, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

27 Mar., 1573; i. and l. [he has to exhibit¹] at the visitation. EDNAM—Sir Robert Malerie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Armagh, in Ireland, 9 July, 1573;  $o^2$  and a. — absent.

GUNBIE—Sir John Richardsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Feb., 1563; proxy 4s. 8d.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d.

Sir Thomas Welles, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 4 Feb., 1582; a. 8d.

IRENHAM-Master John Hanson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Dec., 1572; inst. and subs. 7 Feb., 1583; o. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d.; licence . . . . . 8d.; dispensed by John archbp. of Canterbury, 27 Jan., 1583. S.T.D. Sir Henry Tompsonne, curate; o. 8d.; a. 8d. B.A.

LAVINGTON—Sir Thomas Dale, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

8 June, 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

NORTHWITHAM—Sir [Benedict Smyth<sup>4</sup>] John Sandes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Apr., 1576; i. 8d.; plur. none; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SOUTHWITHAM—Sir Benedict Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>4</sup>] Peterborough, 15 Jan., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit at the feast of All Saints. Bred in the schools.

STEVENBIE—Sir Matthew Browne, rector; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 5 Apr., 1565; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STOKE, SOUTH—Sir Thomas Evatt, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London,

18 Feb., 1558; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

STOKE, NORTH—Sir W. Wetherley, rector; see for orders in Buslingthorpe; dispensed by the archbp, of Canterbury, 6 Nov., 1558; i. 8d.; plur. 20 miles, 3s.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Mr. John Haukes, curate; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 28 June,

1562; o. and a. 8d. M.A.

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Swafeld-Master John Mennyes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 27 Nov., 1573; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

SWINSTED—Sir W. Nicols, vicar; see for orders in Creton; i. 8d.;

t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WITHAM—Sir Robert Crosdale, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum 36s.; therefrom 4s. 8d.; there remains 31s. 4d.

### STANNFORD.

ALL SAINTS'—Master John Hansonne, vicar; see for orders in Irenam; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. s.T.D.

St. George's—Master W. Stafford, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. S.T.B.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> From fo. 61.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Certificate' (cert'.) is written against this at fo. 61.
<sup>3</sup> 'Weltes' at fo. 61.

<sup>4</sup> Struck out.

St. Michael's—Sir John Mossye, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Jan., 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

St. John's—Sir Richard Snawdon, ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 24 Sept., 1568; *i.* 8*d.*; *l.* he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher.

St. Mary's—Robert Preston, reader; tol. — absent.

Thomas Atherton, master of the grammar school, licenced 17 Sept., 1583; *lic.* 8d. M.A.

Sir Peter Routh, preacher; preacher licensed, 3 Apr., 1585; *lic.* 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sum 4s.

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### NESSE.

Braceburgh—Sir George Froude, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 July, 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Bastonne—Sir Hugh Standish, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 22 May, 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

BARHOLME—Sir Gilbert Warde, vicar; ord. deacon 3 June, 1584, by Edmund bp. of Peterborough; inst. by dominus Robinson, 8 June, 1584, and subs. at the same time; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CARLEBIE—Sir Robert Jackson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

27 July, 1560; i. 8d. Fisherman.

Depinge James's—Sir John Forward, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 30 Oct., 1582; inst. and subs. 3 Mar., 1583; o. 8d.; i. [he did not pay<sup>2</sup>] 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

DEPINGE GUTHLAC'S-Master Richard Lyveley, rector; ord. pr. by the

bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1563; i. and plur. — absent.

GRETFORD—Master Henry Howe, rector; ord. pr. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 30 Aug., 1551; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; B.A. Licensed preacher.

Sir Thomas Reske, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

5 Apr., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit; stipend 10l.

LANGTOFTE—Sir Robert Gregge, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 15 Feb., 1561; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STOWE—Sir James Walles, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 June, 1568; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit; stipend 8l. Bred in the schools.

Tallington—Sir Edmund Frestonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 12 May, 1570; licensed by Master Chancellor, 13 July, at Fockingham; o. 8d.; a. 8d. 'Linen draper.'

THURLBIE—Sir Thomas Baxter, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, I Feb., 1561; i. 8d.; flur. 3s., 30 miles; l. he has to exhibit.

Bred in the schools.

[Sir Robert Chapman<sup>2</sup>] Sir William Baker, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>2</sup>] Peterborough, [25 Oct., 1576<sup>2</sup>] 19 Sept., 1584; o. 8d.; a. —. [B.A.<sup>2</sup>]

John Robinson, S.T.P., precentor of Lincoln and archdeacon of Bedford, was the official of Lincoln during the vacancy of the see caused by the translation of Bishop Cooper. (Reg., vol. xix, ff. 143, 143d.)
Struck out,

Uffingtonne—Master John Stovte, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia; i., plur. and t. [absent<sup>1</sup>] he has to exhibit. M.A.

WESTDEAPINGE—Sir Anthony Hunte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 June, 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Willestroppe—Sir [blank].

[THURLBY]—William Baker, master of the grammar school in Thurlby —absent.

[Willestropp]—Thomas Randelsonne, master of the grammar school in Willestropp; B.A.; 8d.; licensed 3 Apr., 1585.

[Deping James's]—Robert Battie, master of the grammar school in Deping James's—absent.

Sum 19s. 4d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 17s. 4d.

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## AUELAND.

ASLACKBIE—Sir Robert Mawborne, vicar; pro.vy 4s. 8d.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Alexander Mayborne, reader; lol. &d.

Borne—Master Richard Foster, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1561; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.
Billingburgh—Sir John White, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 30 June, 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Duxsbie—Sir W. Boltonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools. [Licensed preacher1]

Dowesbie-Sir Robert Buckberie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 22 Sept., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Demelbie—Sir John Gamon, rector; i. 8d.; t. he is sick; he has to

exhibit. Licensed preacher.

FOLKINGAM—Sir John Jacksonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1579; o. 8d.; stipend 12l.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HORBLINGE—Master Richard Harrison, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Mar., 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

HACEBIE—Sir Edward Bordman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Apr., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

HACONBIE—Sir Thomas Gamon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Jan., 1577; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Kirkbie—Sir James Montcrief, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 23 June, 1584; inst. and subs. 31 Aug., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

MORTONNE—Sir Thomas Francke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Sept., 1565; *i.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

NEWTONNE—Sir George Gamon, rector; see for orders in Burton; inst. and subs. 30 Dec., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

- Sir George Key, curate; o, and a. — absent.

Osbornbie—Sir Miles Whale, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 July, 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Sir James Williamson; tol. he has to exhibit.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out. 2 'Gamond' at fo. 62.

Pickworth—Sir Robert Cooke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 May, 1550<sup>1</sup>; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

RIPINGALE—Sir Robert Collingwood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 July, 1560; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

RIPINGALE, THE THIRD PART—Sir Robert Collingwood, rector; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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SEMPRINGAM—Sir Roger Rodiate, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 23 Sept., 1565; a. he has to exhibit; o. &d. 'Servinge man.'

Swaton—Sir Richard Carrington, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 1 Sept., 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Threekingam—Sir Nicholas Antony, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 15 Aug., 1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Willoughbie—Sir Humphrey Walwine, rector; inst. and subs. 18 June, 1584; ord pr. by the bp. of London, 24 Feb., 1560; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Walcote—Richard Atkinsonne, reader, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1570; adm. 12 Dec., 1585; o. &d.; [lol.<sup>2</sup>]

Sum 27s. 8d.; therefrom 2s. 4d.; there remains 25s. 4d.

### HOLLAND.

12 JULY, 1585, AT DONINGTON.

Algarkirke—Master Richard Fletcher, rector; o., i, plur, and t. he has to exhibit, s.t.d.

Master Miles Cartwright, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 [sic], 1580; preacher licensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 11 Feb., 1584; o. 8d.; a. 8d. M.A.

BUTTERWICKE—Master W. Clarke, vicar; ord. deacon by the bp. of Coventry, 4 Oct., 1584; inst. and subs. 9 Oct., 1584; o., i. and l. 2s.

Sir John Worme, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Peterborough, 14 Feb, 1575; o. 8d.; a. &d. Bred in the schools.

Beningtonne—Sir Stephen Brittane, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Cowbitte—Sir Peter Sellers, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 26 July, 1579; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Crowland—Sir Thomas Fairchild, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 21 Dec., 1567; o. 8d.; a.—. Bred in the schools.

BOSTONNE—Master James Worship, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 30 Nov., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Master Henry Marteyne, curate; inst. [sic] and subs. 21 June, 1584, by the archbp. of Canterbury; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 3 Aug., 1584; o. —; a. —.

Master Lewis Carter, master of the grammar school there; licence for public preaching, 8 June, 1585.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See L.R.S. ii, p. 208n,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out,

Brothertofte—Henry Holland, reader; tol. 8d.

BICKER—Master John Billingesley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1562; i. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

DONINGTONNE—Sir W. Browne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 2 Mar., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

Master John Prior, preacher; lic. and o.1 he has to exhibit.

FOSDICKE—Sir Francis Skipwith, curate; o. and a. — absent.

Boston—Henry Marton, curate; 8d.; 8d.

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FLETE—Master Moyses Wiltonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 5 Dec., 1578; inst. 16 Feb., 1581; subs. the same day; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Framptonne—Sir John Howsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp of Lincoln, on the vigil of Easter, 1560; he is sick; i. 8d.; o. 8d.; l. 8d.

Frestonne—Sir Edmund Paine, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 4 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; sequestration 8d.

Gedney-Master John Herd, rector; see for orders in Wad'gton; i. -

Master John Newland, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1562; [pro.yv²] plur. 3s.; t. 8d. M.A.

Sir Thomas Abrame, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 4 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; a.—. Bred in the schools.

GEDNEY FENEND—Sir W. Hodgekinson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 Sept., 1575; licensed by Master Chancellor, 12 July, 1585, at Dunington; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GOSBERTONNE—Sir Geoffrey Thornton, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 25 May, 1545; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

Holbech-Sir Thomas West, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d. 'Husbanman.'

KIRTONNE—Master W. Harrisonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 20 Sept., 1539; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher.

Master Thomas Jessoppe, master of the grammar school there;

lic. — absent, sick.

LUTTONNE—Sir John Doutfier, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 Apr., 1578; o. —; a. —.

Christopher Barkwith, reader; tol. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LEVERTONNE, NORTH—Sir Henry Peacham, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 14 Apr., 1574; i. 8d.; [proxy2] plur., [xx?] miles; t. 8d.; he paid 12d. . . . . B.A. Bred in the schools. Sir Philip Laplove, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. B.A.

LEVERTONNE, SOUTH—Master W. Williams, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 [uly, 1581; inst. and subs. 4 Sept., 1584, by R[ands<sup>3</sup>]; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>2</sup> Struck out.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Certificate' (cert'.) is written against this at fo. 62.

<sup>3</sup> Le. Thomas Rands, one of the deputies of John Robinson, official of Lincoln, sede vacanie (Reg., vol. xix, f. 144d.; and above p. 72, note).

LEAKE—Sir John Bele,¹ curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'Tallow chaunler.'

MOULTON—Sir Robert Leache, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Master John Jopes, schoolmaster there; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Jan., 1571; adm. 5 Nov., 1581; a. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

PINCHBECKE—Master Theodore Walpoll, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1568; dispensed by Matthew, archbp. of Canterbury, 5 Feb., 1568; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles.

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QUADRING—Master Timothy Coppinger, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Apr., 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

SUTTONNE—Master Miles Barkwith, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d. . . . (priv'). Licensed preacher.

SUTTONNE EDMUND—Master John Foster, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Liucoln<sup>2</sup>] Gloucester, 17 [Apr.<sup>2</sup>] Mar., 1581; licensed by Master Chancellor, at Dunnington, 12 July, 1585; o. 8d.; a 8d M.A.

Suttonne James—Sir Edmund Graveley, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 4 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Surflete—Sir W. Tailor, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 12 May, 1575; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Swinshed—Sir W. Balderstonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

Swinshed—Sir W. Balderstonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Pet borough, 8 Apr., 1583; i. 8d.; o. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Spalding—Master W. Williams, curate; o. he has to exhibit; a. &d. Approved (allo') by the lord bp., 27 Aug., 1585.

Master Andrew. Nonne, schoolmaster; a. he has to exhibit; lic. 8d. Approved (all') by the lord bp., 27 Aug., 1585. B.A.

SKIRBECKE—Master John Pratte, rector; i. and t. he has to exhibit.

Sir William Tuckne,<sup>3</sup> ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 12 Nov., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit; he has to . . . . . . to the next. M.A.

Sutterfonne—Master Josua Floure, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 Feb., 1574; i. 8d.; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

TID MARY'S—Master [Andrew<sup>2</sup>] Christopher Wake, rector; o., i. and l. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Tofte—Master Baldwin Diram, rector; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; flur' 3s., 30 miles; l. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher. [Simon<sup>2</sup>] Robert Maxon, master of the grammar school there; lic. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Wrangle—Sir Nicholas Frauncis, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Mar., 1567; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Wiberton—Master Ralph Calverley, rector; see for orders in Harlax-tonne; i. 8d.; I. 8d.; 4s. 8d. 4m.a. Licensed preacher.

<sup>1 ·</sup> Bell ' at fo. 62d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out.

<sup>3 &#</sup>x27;Tuke' at fo. 62d., which is a mistake. 'Tuckney' in the Subsidy Rolls (see above p. 12, 13).
4 45. 8d. was the fee for plurality.

Sir Robert Tompsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 16 May, 1577; licenced by Master Chancellor, 23 July, at Dunnington; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

WIGTOFTE - [Sir John<sup>1</sup>] Thomas Billingesley, vicar; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Feb., 1583; inst. and subs. 13 Jan., 1584; o., i.

Westonne—Sir [Ralph1] Robert Collier, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Dec., 1563; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WHAPLOD—Sir Clement Frekingam, vicar; ord. pr. by [the bp. of Chester,

15681]; i. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

WHAPLOD DROVE-Sir Thomas Hawfurth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 16 Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum 58s, 8d.; therefrom 5s. 8d.; there remains 53s.

Folio 9.

## HORNCASTLE.

Ashbie Chapel—Sir Humphrey Shelley, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1570; o. 8d.; stipend 8l.; a. he has to exhibit. 'Singinge man.'

BAMBURGH-Sir Cornelius Halfemiles, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Exeter, 5 Dec., 1572; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

CONINGESBIE—Master W. Skeltonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chichester, 22 Oct., 1570; i. 8d.; plur' 3s.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sir Percivall Welbie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May,

1569; o. 8d.; a. 8d. [Scholar<sup>1</sup>]. 'Clothier.

Dalderbie—Sir John Hodgesonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Edlingtonne—Ŝir James Hamertonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

schools.

Hornecastle—Master Francis Purifie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; inst. and subs. 15 Mar., 1584; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 10 May, 1563; v. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur' 3s., 30 miles; t. 8d. He has to exhibit his qualification. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Haltham—Sir John Salmon, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1570; i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit. Surety (plcg').

KIRKBIE BAINE—Sir John Hoskins, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. Surety (pleg').

LANGTON-Master Urian Kirke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 June, 1577; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Maringe Chapel—Sir James Awstwicke; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 21 Dec., 1577; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Morebie-Master W. Wetherley, rector; see for orders in Buslingthorp; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur' he has to exhibit at foc'. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Probably for 'Folkingham.'

MAROME—Sir Thomas Corey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Scholar<sup>1</sup>].

MARTONNE—Sir John Thackwro, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle,

19 Jan., 1577; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

ROUGHTONNE—Sir Thomas Tymberland, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1564; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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Screvelsbie—Sir Thomas Manne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 4 Dec., 1580; i and i. absent. B.A.

TOINTONNE CHAPEL—Master John Corey, curate; a. — absent.

THYMELBY—Master John Corey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 2 Oct., 1562; [absent ] i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Tointonne Inferior—Master George Cockborne, rector; see for orders in Gretham; inst. and subs. 14 Jan., 1584; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

THORNTONNE—Sir Gilbert Woodlif, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Dec., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

TATTESHALL—Sir Ralph Palframan, curate; [ord.] pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

WOODENDERBIE CHAPEL—Sir James Awstwicke, curate; see for orders in Maring Chapel; inst. and subs. 12 Feb., 1582; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Wadingworthe—Master Theodore Tansey; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 4 Feb., 1575; i. 8d.; plur' 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. s.t.b. Licensed preacher.

Sir [blank] — none.8

Woodalt—Master Uriane Kirke, curate; see for orders in Langton; o.4 and a. — absent.

Wilkesby—Master Francis Purifie, rector; inst. and subs. 7 July, 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Wispingtonne—[Sir<sup>1</sup>] John Watsonne, reader; tol. — absent.

Sum 28s. 8d.; therefrom 3s. 4d.; there remains 25s. 4d.

Folio 10.

#### HILL.

Aswarbie—Sir Robert Colcoll, rector; see for orders in Somercotes; i. 8d.; plur. 3s. Bred in the schools.

[Adlard Langtonne<sup>1</sup>], curate—he is dead.

Sir Andrew Burnett, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 July, 1573; o. 8d.; a. 5 July, 8d. Bred in the schools.

Ashbie Puerorum—Sir Robert Allen, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 12 Feb., 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BAGENDERBIE—Sir Antony Blackborne, rector; ord. [pr. dcacon<sup>1</sup>] by the bp. of Lincoln, 18 May, 1580<sup>5</sup>; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  Folio 63 adds 'o. certificate (cer').' The meaning seems to be that a certificate of ordination had been put in.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> /.e., there was no curate.

<sup>4</sup> After 'o.' folio 63 adds 'certificate (cer').' See above, note 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> He was ordained priest on that day (L.R.S., ii, p. 92).

Brinckill—Sir Thomas Marcer, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Avara (Aurensis), 21 Sept., 1532; i., plur. and t. — absent.

CLAXBIE—Sir Francis Bowes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Apr., 1569; he did not attempt to exhibit letters testimonial: he subscribed; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FULLETBIE—Master Samuel Allen, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter,

4 Feb., 1575; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; M.A. Licensed preacher.

GRETHAM-Master George Cockborne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Sept., 1575; dispensed by Edmund archbishop of Canterbury, 3 Feb., 1582; qualified by John bp. of Worcester, 5 Feb., 1582; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. Licensed preacher. Hameringam—Sir Roger Hunterhowe, rector; ord pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, I Aug., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HAGWORTHINGAM—Sir Thomas Fairfax, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Oct., 1560; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HARRINGTONNE—Sir Andrew Burnett, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 July, 1573; inst. and subs. 14 May, 1584; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Kettisby— $\lceil blank \rceil$ .

LANGTON BY PARTNEY—Master W. Simons, rector; ord, pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1582; inst. by bp. Cooper, 28 Jan., 1582; subs. the same day; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

[Sir Augustin Fitzwilliams, curate; see for orders in Skegnes<sup>1</sup>].

Sir Christopher Capron, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 22

Sept., 1575; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Oxcome—Sir George Boothe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Aug., 1580; inst. and subs. 21 May, 1584; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Southornesby—Sir Thomas Marcer, rector; see for orders in Brinckill; i. and t. — absent.

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Scrafeld—Sir Thomas Maxwell, rector; ord. pr. by a suffragan bp. in Scotland, 1557; subs. 11 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; l. 8d. 'Serving man.'

Somersbie—Sir Silvester Saxtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Apr., 1556; subs. 29 Aug., 1585; i. 8d.; t. 12d. 'Parishe clarke.'

SALMONBIE—Sir Robert Percivall, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Mayo, 4 Apr., 1523; i. 8d.; t. 12[sic]d. Bred in the schools.

SAUCETHROP—[Master Adlard Langtonne, rector1]—he is dead.

Master W. Williams, rector: qualified by Sir Peregrine Bertie,

knt., lord of Willoughbee and Eresby, 20 May, 1585; subs. 26 Aug., 1585; inst. the same day; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; qualification 8d.

TETFORD-Master John Key, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Jan., 1584; inst. and subs. 10 Jan., 1583; o., i. and t. 28. M.A.

WYNCEPIE—Sir George Silvester, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 2 June, 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

2 Aug., 25s. 8d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 23s. 8d.

## GARTRE.

ASTERBIE—Sir Christopher Parker, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, I Mar., 1538; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Preacher.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

BUCKNALL—Sir Arthur Wright, rector, ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 June, 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Belcheford—[Sir John Smyth, rector; plur. —. He is dead1].

Master John Conyers, rector; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 May, 1585; inst. and subs. 28 May, 1585; o., i. and t. 2s. B.A.

- Calkwell—Sir Thomas Kente, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Dec., 1578; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Preacher.
- DONINGTON—Sir Robert Jeffrey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, [blauk], 1530; i. 8d.; t. 12d. [sic]; subs. 22 Aug., 1571. Absent. [Sir IV. Sunter, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 13 May, 1569.1]. Francis Hovson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15[85?]; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

GAUDBIE—Sir Robert Tailour, rector; see for orders in Somerbie; i. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

- Sir Robert Lettun, curate; o. 8d.; t. 8d.; [stipend] 6l. Bred in the schools.
- Golcebie—Sir Thomas Kente, vicar; see for orders in Calkwell; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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- Horsingtonne—Master Theodor Tansey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 4 Feb., 1575; inst. and subs. 11 May, 1581; i. 8d.; i. 8d. s.r.b. Licensed preacher.
- HEMINGBIE—Sir Thomas Cadebie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 30 Mar., 1580; proxy 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.
- MYNTINGE—Master Robert Wharfe, vicar; see for orders in Hatton; i. 8d.; plur' 3s., 30 miles; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Sir Robert Letten, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; *a.* he has to exhibit; *t.* 8d.

RANDBIE—[Sir Henry Bend, reader; tol.<sup>1</sup>] Sir W. Smiton, curate; o. 8d. STURTONNE—Sir W. Seamer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

STAINTONNE—[Henry Bend, reader; tol.<sup>4</sup>] Sir W. Smiton, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 13 May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in

the schools.

STANIGOTE—Sir Thomas Nailer, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. ['Serving']. Bred in the schools. STIXWOLD—Sir Richard Traves, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

10 Mar., 1565; inst. and subs. 31 May, 1584; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

2 Aug. — 26s. 8d.; therefrom 3s. 4d.; there remains 23s. 4d.

### BULLINGBROKE.

BULLINGBROKE—Sir Raphael Throckmorton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 5 Sept., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Edward Odlinge, master of the grammar school; lic. he has to exhibit.

Enderbie—Master George Lilborne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. resting on the authority of the bp. of Lincoln, 1516; i. 8d.;

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

[proxy] 4s. 8d.; plur. 3s., five miles; t. he has to exhibit. Bachelor of canon law.

Robert Towly, reader; tol. 8d. Bred in the schools.

ESTERKEALE—Master George Jacksonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 16d.2; plur. 3s.; l. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

HALTONNE—Sir John Howsonne; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Nov., 1563; i. 8d.; plnr. 3s. B.A.

HAREBIE—Sir John Elvinge, rector; ord, pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Folio 11d.

Hundelbie—Sir Robert Rawlins, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Dec., 1583; inst. and subs. 2 Aug., 1583; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

HAUGHNEBIE—Sir Thomas Scales, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Sept., 1583; inst. and subs. 6 Apr., 1583; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

KIRKBIE—Sir Richard Risinge, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Dec., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Lusbie—Master John Downes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 Aug, 1577; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; l. 8d. m.a. Licensed preacher.

Myningesbie—Master Edward Ustwaite, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 Mar., 1572; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. B.A. Licensed preacher.

RATHEBIE—Sir Richard Goodale, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Mayo, 7 Apr., 1515; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Revesele—Stephen Bouth, reader; he baptizes and celebrates matrimony; lol. [blank\*].

Spillesbie—[Sir John Howsonne<sup>1</sup>], curate; a. he has to exhibit. Roger Metcalf, schoolmaster; lic. [blank<sup>2</sup>].

STICKNEY—Master John Morisonne, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. Sir Thomas Skales; o. —; a. [absent] &d.

Stepinge, Little – Master Alexander Throckmorton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Apr., 1563; i. 8d.; plur. 3s. Bred in the schools.

STICKFORTH—Sir W. Howe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. [blank]; o., i. and l. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

Sibsaie—Sir Christopher Riler, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, I Apr., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

THORP—Sir John Clif, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 2 Oct., 1563; inst. and subs. 2 Mar., 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Tointon Peter's, North—Sir John Howsonne, rector; see for orders in Halton; 4 i. 8d. B.A.

[Sir George Billinge, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. 1] [blank].

Tointon Peter's, South—Sir Michael West, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; 4 i. and plur.— absent.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

The rectory was divided into two medieties: hence the double fee.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Folio 63d. shews that he had to exhibit.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Folio 64d. has 'o. certificate.' (See p. 78, n. 2.)

Tointon All Saints'—Sir Michael West, vicar; for orders see above; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. 'Clarke of a church.'

WESTERKEALE—Master George Jackson, rector; see for orders in Esterkeale; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sum 48s.; therefrom 8s. 4d.; there remains 39s. 8d.

Folio 12.

## CANDELSHO.

## 10 JULY, 1585.

ARDELTHORP—Sir Thomas Mottrame, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] Lichfield, 5 Jan., 1581; inst. and subs. 4 Feb., 1580; o., i. and t 2s. B.A.

[Askbie—Sir John English, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 July,

1575; i. and t. -1].

Borowe—Sir Alexander Cooke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

13 May, 1569; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

BRAITOFTE—Master Richard Yonge, rector; see for orders in Luddington: i. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sir Francis Gunas, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June,

1566; o. 8d.; a. [blank<sup>2</sup>]. Bred in the schools.

CANDELSBIE—Master Robert Devins, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chichester, 13 Feb., 1579; 9 Mar., 26 Elizabeth [1583-4], inst. and subs.; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

CROFTE—Master Charles Bingham, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 9 Nov., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed

preacher.

Drible—Master Martin Holden, rector; inst. and subs. 10 Aug., 1580; dispensed 12 Feb., 1583; ord. [pr.4] by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1579; o. he has to exhibit<sup>5</sup>; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d.; qualification he has to exhibit; he has for qualification. [M.6]A. Licensed preacher.

Dexthorpe—Sir Richard Turpine, curate; o. — ; a. none.

Friskney—Sir W. Hubbard, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>]

Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1561; i. 8d.

FIRSBIE—Sir John Kinsaie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lichfield, 24 Sept., 1574; inst. and subs. 19 Feb., 1583; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

Gunbie—Sir John Burley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 Aug.,

1575; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

IRBIE—William Rusell, reader; adm. by Master R., 8 Nov., 1583; tol. 8d. Bred in the schools.

INGOLMELLES—Sir Thomas Raynierd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 27 July, 1578; inst. and subs. 18 June, 1585; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

1 Struck out.

<sup>2</sup> Folio 63d. shews that he had to exhibit.

3 See L.R.S., ii, p. 317, where he is called 'Deanes.'

<sup>4</sup> See L.R.S., ii, p. 91. <sup>5</sup> Folio 63d, has 'o. 8d.,' probably meaning that he had paid when the list of defaulters

There is a hole in the MS. Cp. p. 83, 3rd entry.

<sup>7</sup> Probably John Robinson, the precentor, who acted as the bishop's commissary at different times.

Orbie—Sir John Sharp, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 June, 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Ostler (stabularius). 'Pore clarke in Lincoln.'

PARTNEY—Sir John English, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 July, 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Folio 12d.

Sutterbie—Master Martin Holden, rector; inst. 16 Mar., 1583; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Scrembie—Master Roger Rowth, rector; see for orders in Hellowe; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

Sir John Enderbie, [curate<sup>1</sup>]; tolerated; tol. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Skendelbie—Sir John Hubberd, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 July, 1579; inst. and subs. 21 Aug., 1583; o., i. and t. 2s.

Skegnes—Sir Augustine Fitzwilliams; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 [blank], 1569; i. and t. — absent.

Stepinge, Great—Master Alexander Throckmortonne, vicar; see for orders in Little Steping; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Weltonne—Master Thomas Holte, [curate<sup>1</sup>], reader; tol. 8d. M.A. Winthorp—Sir John Linche, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

WINTHORP—Sir John Linche, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Waineflete All Saints'—Sir Henry Forster, rector; ord. pr. by the

Waineflete All Saints'—Sir Henry Forster, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Dec., 1570; subs. 28 June, 1572, by the report of Master Robert Bound; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Waineflete Mary's—Sir Thomas Raymond, curate; o. and a.—vacant. Francis Vaughan, schoolmaster of Waintlet All Saints'; adm. by bp. of Lincoln, I June, 1585; a. 8d.

2 Aug.—31s. 8d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 29s. 8d.

Folio 13.

# CALCEWATH.

# 9 July, 1585.

Anderbie—Sir Edward Plumptonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Oct., 1560; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'Servinge man.'

ABIE—Sir Thomas Wade, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Alford—Sir Joseph Overtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 Nov., 1571; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit.

Francis Marbury,<sup>2</sup> curate; a. 8d. Licensed preacher.

BEESBIE—Master John Somerscales, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 July, 1574; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. B.A. Licensed preacher.

BILLESHE—Sir Richard Wright, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 May, 1560; i. 8d. B.A. [Bred in the schools<sup>1</sup>]. CAWTHORP—Sir Edward Webster, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

CAWTHORP—Sir Edward Webster, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Cumberworth—Sir W. Parker, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

1 Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> At fo. 64 he is entered as having to exhibit his licence as schoolmaster at Alford. See p. 85, 12th entry.

CLANBIE—Sir W. Moning, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 July, 1583; inst. and subs. 28 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CALCEBIE—Sir John Jonsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 1558; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Farlesthorpe—Sir Thomas Scarborowe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Feb., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

GAYTONNE—Sir James Key, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Mar., 1564; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. B.A. Preacher.

HANNEY—Sir W. Willous, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 9 Apr., 1558; o. 8d.; a. 8d. 'Linen draper.'

HOTOFTE—Sir James Partrige, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Worcester, 18 May, 1574<sup>1</sup>] Lincoln, 10 Sept., 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'Serving man.'

HOGGESTHORP—Sir John Shawe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Sept., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Folio 13d.

Hellowe—Master Roger Rowth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 July, 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Hawe—Sir W. Myles, curate; see for orders in Thorsby; o. — absent; sequestration he has to exhibit.

Legborne—Sir Edward Webster, curate; see for orders in Cawthorpe; a. 8d.

MABLETHORP PETER'S—Sir John Salmon, rector; see for orders in Haltam upon Baine; i. and t. — absent.

MABLETHORP MARY'S—[Sir Richard Candelsbie, rector<sup>1</sup>] — he is dead. Master Jeromy Holdon, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 11 Nov., 1584; inst. and subs. 22 May, 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

MUMBIE—Sir Alan Frier; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 July, 1575; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Mumble Chapel—Sir W. Chapman, reader; tolerated by the lord bp. of Lincoln, 26 Aug., 1585; tol. 8d.

Maltbie—Master George Lilborne, rector; see for orders in Enderbie; i. and t. — absent. L.L.B.

[Sir II'. Chapman, reader<sup>1</sup>] Sir William Lister, curate; vide in librum<sup>2</sup>; o. and a. he has to exhibit. W. Lister ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 24 July, 1575. Bred in the schools.

MARKBIE—Sir [Richard Roodes<sup>1</sup>] John Whales, reader; o. —. a. —. tol. — absent.

SOUTHRESTONNE—Sir Christopher Wensley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 15 Sept., 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SUTTONNE—Master Thomas Sparke, rector; o. and i. he has to exhibit. s.t.d.

Sir Francis Watsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 29 Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Salebie—Sir James Thorp, vicar; inst. by *Dominus* R, <sup>3</sup> 22 July, 1584; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The reference has not been found.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> John Robinson, S.T.P., the precentor, who was the official during the vacancy of the see (Reg., xix, fo. 143).

Swable—Master Joseph [H'atsou<sup>1</sup>] Gibson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Elv, 21 Dec., 1580; o., i. and l. 2s. M.A. Licensed preacher.

STAINE—Sir Samuel Willingam, rector; see for orders in Water Newton in co. Huntingdon; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

TOTTILL—Sir Fulk Warden, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 

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THEDELTHORP ALL SAINTS'—Sir Francis Marshall, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 8 Aug., 1574; o. —; a. —.

Richard Rodes, reader; [tol. he has to exhibit<sup>1</sup>]; sequestration 8d.

THEDELTHORP HELEN'S—Master Reginald Grome, [rector<sup>3</sup>]; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 9 Sept., 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

TRUSTROP—Master Nicholas Madisonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1564; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 3 miles; i. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Sir John Pattison, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 July, 1583; o. and a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

THORESBIE—Sir W. Myles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 Mar., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Willoughbie—Sir Libeus Sadler, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; t. —. Bred in the schools.

WITHERNE—Master Nicholas Madison, rector; see for orders in Trustrop; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

ULCEBIE CUM FORDINGTON—Sir Robert Beane, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Nottingham, 21 Dec., 1567; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Well—Sir Richard Turpine, curate; o. and a. — absent. B.A.

[Alford]—Master Marbury, master of the grammar school of Alford; he has to exhibit.

2 Aug.—Sum 31s.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 30s.

### LOUTHESK.

## 9 JULY, 1585.

ALVINGAM—Sir Thomas Reade, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Sept., 1567; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

AWTHORP—Sir Simon Lyme, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Dec., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Burwell—Sir John Coe, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 May, 156[1?]; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

CARLTON, LITTLE—Sir W. Lackeweth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 10 Aug., 1577; 1. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CASTLE CARLTONNE—Sir George Thorndicke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 28 May, 1574; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

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CARLTONNE, GREAT—Sir W. Hindemarshe, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Thetford, 25 Mar., 1559; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.
<sup>2</sup> Illegible through the fading of the ink.

This has been omitted. Cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 21.

Coningesholme—Sir Richard Porter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 25 July, 1563; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CONAM BARTHOLOMEW'S—Sir W. Plaskett, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CONAM MARY'S—Sir Richard Farrand, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Sidon, 25 Mar., 1557; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Cockerington Leonard's—Sir W. Routh, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chichester, 19 Sept., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Cockeringtonne Mary's—Sir Thomas Reade, curate; stipend 9l.; o. —.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Calstropp—Sir Richard Thornell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 July, 1579; i. 8d.; plur. —.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Estwicam—Sir Richard Thornell, vicar; see for orders in the entry next preceding; i. 8d; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FARFORTHE—Sir Richard Hill, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Elphin, 6 Apr., 1527; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d. B.A.

Fotherbie—Sir W. Este, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Feb., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Fulstowe—Sir John Wilson, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 June, 1565; i. 8d.; stipend 8l. Bred in the schools.

GARNTHORP—Sir John Lumley, curate; ord. [pricst] deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; stipend 10l.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GRYMESBIE, LITTLE—Sir Richard Neale, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit; stipend 5l. 'Clarke of a church.'

GRYMOLBIE—Sir Robert Dale, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 18 Sept., 1557; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GAYTONNE—Sir Richard Bartilmewe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HAUGHAM—Sir John Coe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 May, 1567; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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Hallingtonne—Sir James Creightonne, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Chalcedon, 13 Mar., 1528; stipend 5l.; o. 8d.; a he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Jarburgh—Sir John Jonsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Kedingtonne—Henry Fairbanck, reader; tol. 8d.

Kelsterne—Sir Ro. Varley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 4 Aug., 1585; o. &d.; i. &d.; t. &d. Bred in the schools.

Lubburgh—Sir John Graie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

MARSHCHAPELL—Sir Thomas Brokes, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 4 June, 1567; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

MUCTONNE—Sir Robert Beckeringe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

Manbie—Master John Downes, rector; see for orders in Lusby; i. 8d.; l. 8d. m.a. Licensed preacher.

Arthur Wraie, reader; tol. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Northelkington—Sir Richard Pelsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Aug., 1583; inst. and subs. 20 Nov., 1583; i. 8d.; flur. [absent] he did not pay; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Ormesby—Sir John Kelke, vicar; ord. [priest] deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; inst. by Dominus R.2 and subs. 30 July, 1584; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

RATHBIE—Sir Edward Dale, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1564; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Ruckland—Sir Richard Hill, rector; see for orders in Farforth; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

RESTONNE—Sir Thomas Dyon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Saltfletbie Peter's—Master John Furmerie, rector; o., i., t. he has to exhibit.

Sir Robert Blake, curate; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Saltfletbie Clement's—Sir Henry Cramer, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 June, 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Saltfletbie [All] Saints—Master John Sciffinge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lichfield and Coventry, 5 Apr., 1572; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

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SKIDBROKE—Sir John Cockborne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1560—he is dead.

Somercoate Mary's—Sir Robert Colcole, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Oct., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Somercoate Peter's—Sir John Sparke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 3 Oct., 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

STEWTONNE—Sir Hugh Askewe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1559; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SOUTHELKINGTONNE—Sir Richard Pelsonne, vicar; inst. and subs. 20 Nov., 1583; i. 8d.; t. [absent<sup>a</sup>] 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Tathwell—Sir George Hansonne, [vicar<sup>8</sup>]; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 Apr., 1568; *i.* 8d.; *t.* he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

UTTERBIE—Sir John Kelk<sup>4</sup>; he is sick; o. and a. — absent.

WYAME—Sir Thomas Mumbie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1577; inst. 10 Dec., 1583, and subs.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Weltonne—Master Edward Webster, rector; o., i. and t. — absent. s.t.b.

Withcall—Master Richard Bradley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 22 Nov., 1580; dispensed by Edmund, Archbp. of Canter-

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 84, n 3.

<sup>3</sup> This has been omitted. Cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 14.

<sup>4 &#</sup>x27;Kealke' at fo. 64d., where he is described as 'curate.'

bury, 4 Feb., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., five miles; t. 8d.; qualification he has to exhibit. M.A.

Sir John Feldes, curate; tol. 8d. 'A candle maker.'

2 July, 1585.—48s. 4d.; therefrom 3s.; there remains 45s. 4d.

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### GRYMESBIE.

AILESBIE—Sir Mathew Wymprey, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 19 May, 1583; stipend 8l.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools. Ashвіе—Sir Robert Heywood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

20 Sept., 1562; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., five miles. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Bradley-[Master1] Sir John More, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

BIELSBIE—Sir Edmund Varley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 25 July, 1563; i. 8d.; plur. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Barnolbie—Sir W. Todd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Apr., 1570; i. 8d. B.A.

Briggesley-Sir Hugh Modie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 Mar., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Cote, Great—Master Thomas South, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 May, 1569; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Cote, Little—[Silvester Kippias, reader. Licensed preacher]—he is dead. Sir John Kynder, curate; o. and a. — absent.

CLEE—Sir Thomas Robinsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 Apr., 1579; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Coxwold—Sir Edmund Varley, rector; see for orders in Bielsbie;

i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CABORNE—Sir Thomas Bell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 10 Oct., 1573; i. 8d.; plur. he has to exhibit; t. 8d. Bred in the

Sir Henry Huntington, curate; o. — he is sick; a. 8d.; stipend 10l. ESTRANDALL—Sir W. Aiscogh, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Worcester, 17 Apr., 1575; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Grainesby—Sir Alan Holdernes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 July, 1575; o., i. and t. 2s. Bred in the schools.

GRYMESBIE MARY'S—Sir Robert Hundelbie, curate; [admitted] by John [archbp. of] Canterbury, 12 May, 1584; sequestration 8d.

GRYMESBIE JAMES'S—Sir Robert Hundelbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Rheon, 19 Dec., 1534; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Helinge-Sir W. Hartinge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Feb., 1560; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

HUMBERSTONNE—Sir W. Beldon, curate: ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 1582; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Howton—Sir Richard Barker, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, in the month of May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. [blank\*]. Shoe-maker (calcearins).

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A mistake for 'August.' Cp. pp. 63, 64, &c.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Folio 65 shews he had to exhibit o. also.

<sup>4</sup> Folio 65 shews that he had to exhibit.

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HATCLIF—Master Oliver Waters, [rector2]; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Sept., 1580; o. —; flur. 3s., 20 miles; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

HAWERBIE—Sir Robert Welles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

16 May, 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

IRBIE—Master W. Bradley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 25 July, 1572; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Preacher.

Sir Henry Jacksonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 8 Apr., 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LACEBIE—Master W. Bradley, rector; see for orders in Irby; i. 8d.;

*I*. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. NORTHCOTe—Sir Henry Westwood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

NEWTONNE—Master Thomas Pilkingtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 Mar., 1574; inst. 27 Mar., 1576; v. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

ROTHWELL—Sir Robert Heywood, rector; see for orders in Ashbie<sup>3</sup>;

i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sir John Mervin; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

Swinhope—Sir John Swinsco, rector; see for orders in Swinderby<sup>4</sup>; inst. and subs. 2 May, 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d.

Sir John Cote, reader; tol. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SWALLOWE—Sir W. Andrewe, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 18 Feb., 1558; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Scartho—Sir Hamon Hanshart, rector; ord. pr. [by the bp. of London, by the suffragan<sup>1</sup>] by Jo. Hodgeskin, bp. of Bedford and suffragan of London, 28 Apr., 1547; v. — ; i. 8d.; [plur. 20 miles<sup>1</sup>]; l. 3d. Bred in the schools.

THORESBIE—Master John Skiflinge, rector; see for orders in Salletby<sup>6</sup>

[sic]; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sir Ro. Vessie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

TETNEY—Sir Richard Lacebie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. — [he is  $sick^1$ ] 8d. Bred in the schools.

Westrandall—Sir Edward Butterworth . . . . . . . . [a. 8d.].

WATH—Sir Edward\* Butterworth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 9 Apr., 1558; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WALTHAM—Master John Todd, rector; inst. and subs. 14 Mar., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Sir Richard Toll, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 29 Sept., 1581; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

2 Aug.—39s. 8d.; therefrom 3s.; there remains 36s. 8d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This has been omitted. Cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 28.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See p. 88.

<sup>4</sup> See p. 64.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Folio 65 has 'o cert.' (see p. 78, n 2).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> See p. 87.

<sup>7</sup> The rest of the entry has faded away.

<sup>8 &#</sup>x27;Edmund' at fo. 65. 'Edward' is the correct form (cp. pp. 4, 5, no. 46).

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# JARBURGH. 8 July, 1585.

BIGBIE—Sir Robert Freman, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 18 May, 1543; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BARNETBIE—Master Richard Richardsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 30 Apr., 1574; inst. 17 Aug., 1578; i. 8d,; plur. 3s., four *miles*<sup>1</sup>]; t. 8d. He subscribed. M.A. Licensed preacher. Sir Peter Everington, curate; o. and a. [blank<sup>2</sup>] [absent<sup>1</sup>]. B.A.

BONDBIE—Sir Thomas Crowther, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

19 Sept., 1563; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

Bartonne—Sir Richard Read, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln; inst. and subs. 26 [May<sup>3</sup>], 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

BAROWE—Master John Cooke, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 1536; subs. 21 Aug., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. s.t.b.

BROKELSBIE—Sir Laurance Halaie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 22 Apr., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

CADNEY-Sir John Tincke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 Aug., 1582; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

CROXTONNE—Sir Thomas Sugden, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Elsham—Sir John Juliane, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 10 Nov., 1575; inst. and subs. 28 Oct., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Ferebie—Sir W. Stonhouse, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Dec., 1572; subs. 5 Dec., 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Preacher.

GRISBIE—Sir Thomas Alanbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Mayo, 20 Feb., 1528; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GOUXILL—Sir W. Segwick, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Apr., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools. 'Serving man.'

Horkestowe—Sir James Birch, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 29 Sept., 1581; inst. and subs. 5 Aug., 1584; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Haburgh—Sir John Jacksonne, vicar; o., i. and t.—he is dead. Sir Richard Epworth, curate; sequestration he has to exhibit.

HALTONNE—Sir John Booth, vicar; ord, pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d.; plur. 3s. 'Serving man.'

IMINGAM-Sir Richard Epworth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 1 Mar., 1555; subs. 21 Aug., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

KIRNINGTON—Sir Thomas Drax, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 8 Sept., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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Kealbie—Sir Robert Lord, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln; stipend tol.; [......4]; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Folio 65d. shews that he had to exhibit o. and a.

<sup>3</sup> The month has been omitted. See Reg. xix, fo. 143d.

<sup>4</sup> Indecipherable.

Killingholme—Sir John Boothe, vicar; see for orders in Halton; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir John Scamon, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May.  $[1554^{2}].$ 

Jo. Marvin, master of the grammar school; lic. none; o. 8d.; a. 8d. LYMBER—Sir Thomas Garland, vicar; ord, pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

25 June, 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

NETTELTONNE—Master Thomas Portingtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 9 Apr., 1558; subs. 1 Feb., 1580; i. 8d.;

RIBIE—Sir W. Pape, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 16 Apr., 1541; subs. 21 Aug., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the

Somerbie—Sir Ro. Tailour, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d.; †lur. [blank<sup>3</sup>]; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

SAXBIE—Master Richard Richardson, rector; see for orders in Barnetbie<sup>1</sup>; subs. 28 Dec., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

STALLINGBURGH—Sir Richard Harris, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 17 Oct., 1571; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit.

THORNTON—Master Thomas Walkingtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 July, 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

WRAWBIE—Master John Tompson, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 23 Aug., 1556; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Worletbie—Sir Roger Hurste, vicar; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 10 Apr., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WOTTONNE—Sir Thomas Newtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 13 Nov., 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

ULCEBIE—Sir John Charesworth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 3 Oct., 1568; i. 8d.; l. 8d.

2 Aug.—27s. 8d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 26s. 8d.

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#### WALESCROFTE.

# 8 JULY, 1585.

BINBROKE MARY'S—Master Richard Adamsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 29 Sept., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

CROXBIE—Sir Francis Kettelwell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 21 Dec. 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

CLAXBIE—Sir Richard Codd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 June, 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Estreason—Sir Thomas Marshall, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp.

of Hull, 2 May, 1538; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. 'Servinge man.' Licensed preacher.

Master H. Howke, schoolmaster; lic. he has to exhibit.

See p. 90.The reading is doubtful.

<sup>3</sup> Folio 65d, shews that he had to exhibit.

<sup>4</sup> Folio 65d. has 't. 8d.,' which probably means that the money was paid after the visitation.

Kirkbie—Sir Robert Fetherstonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d.; l. &d. Bred in the schools.

KINZERBIE—Sir Thomas Bell, vicar; see for orders in Caborne<sup>2</sup>; dispensed by John archbp. of Canterbury, 27 Nov., 1584, and five miles; i. 8d.; t. &d. Bred in the schools.

Kelsaie Mary's—Sir Edmund Hudlestonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1570; i. 8d.; l. &d. Bred in the schools.

Kelsaie Nicholas's—Sir W. Crowder, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 8 June, 1575; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; l. he has to exhibit. Ba. Licensed preacher.

George Bilclif, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Linc., [27?] Sept.,

1585<sup>4</sup>; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

Lynwood—Master John Fox, rector; o. &d.; i. &d.; t. &d. [M.A 1] S.T.B. Licensed preacher.

John Deane, reader; tol. he has to exhibit.

NEWTONNE—Sir Robert Hansonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Mar., 1581; frozy 4s. 8d.; flur. 3s.; i. 8d.; l. snbs. at the time of institution, 8d. [Scholar<sup>1</sup>].

NORMANBIE—Sir Thomas Bilclif, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 8 Sept., 1577; L<sup>5</sup> &d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the

schools.

Owersbie—Sir Thomas Este, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Thetford, 8 Dec., 1556; i. and t. — he is dead.

Reasonne Drax—Sir Robert Hansonne, vicar; i. 8d.; t. subs., 8d.

REASONNE TUPHOLME—Sir Thomas Etonne, vicar; ord. deacon by [the bp. of Lincoln<sup>6</sup>], 2 July, 1575; inst. 13 Dec., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; i. 8d.; i. 8d.

STAINTON IN LE HOLE—Sir W. Field, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1564; i 8d.; plur. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Thoreswale—Master David Hatclif, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Nov., 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

THORGANDIE, THE FOURTH PART—Sir W. Field, rector; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Folio 18d.

Thorganbie, three parts—Sir W. Field, rector of three parts; for orders see in Stainton; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir Richard Langley, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Chester, 22 . . . , 158[3?]; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

TEVELBIE—Master John Lynold, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. [M¹] B.A. Licensed preacher.

John Hutchinson, schoolmaster.

1 Struck out.

<sup>2</sup> See p. 88.

" Folio 65d. has 't. 4 Feb., 1585, at Lincoln; he has to exhibit the same at Easter.'

4 The note about ordination seems to have been added later.

5 Probably a mistake for 'o'.

<sup>These words have been omitted; see L.R.S., ii, page 85, where the clerk is called 'Heaton.'
Folio 65d, has 't, 8d,' (see p. 91, n. 4).</sup> 

Tofte—Sir W. Crowther, rector; see for orders in Kelsaie<sup>1</sup>; inst. and subs. 18 Nov., 1584; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher. Thorntonne—Master Oliver Waters, rector; inst. 12 Sept., 1580, and

THORNTONNE—Master Oliver Waters, rector; inst. 12 Sept., 1580, and subs.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Robert Pattisonne, reader; tol. 8d.

Walesbie—Sir John Northend, rector; ord. pr. by the bp of Chester, 16 Oct., 1569; i. 8d.; l. 8d.

WILLINGAM—Master John Wright, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Apr., 1581; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

Westreasonne—Master Thomas Stockame, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Feb., 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

USELBIE—Robert Pattesonne, reader; tol. —.

2 Aug.—35s. 4d.; therefrom 3s 4d.; there remains 32s.

## WRAGO.

Appley—Sir Robert Briane, curate; ord. pr. by the bp of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Burgh—Sir Eustace Doughtie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Nov., 1578; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BISKERTHORP—Sir Richard Swifte, rector; ord. pr. by William bp. of Lincoln, 31 Dec., 1584, and inst. by John Robinson, 10 Oct., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Beningworth—Master W. Hieron, rector; ord. pr. by John bp. of Gloucester, 15 Apr., 1582; o 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BARDNEY—Sir Walter Shepherd, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Oct., 1581; i. 8d.; t. 8d.—B.A.

Bullington— $\lceil blank \rceil$ .

ESTERRINGTONNE—Sir Christopher Chapman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Mar., 1581; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

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Estbarkworth—Master W. Skeltonne, rector; see for orders in Cuningesbie<sup>3</sup>; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

HATTONNE—Master Ro. Wharfe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. [suffragan of Hull<sup>4</sup>] of Lincoln, 1 May, 1558; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

HOWTONNE—Master Gregory Garth, rector; ord. pr. by the lord Shaxton, suffragan bp., 1555; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., [20?] miles; t. he read the articles in the church there 30 [sic] Feb., 1576, 8d. S.T.B.

Sir Richard Beverley, curate; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools. Kirmond—Sir Robert Deplitche, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 22 Sept., 1577; i. 8d.; t 8d. Bred in the schools.

LISSINGTONNE—Sir Ro. Huttonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 Dec., 1578; o. he has to exhibit; i.—.; l. 8d. He is sick.

LUDFORTH MAGNA—Master James Twiste, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Sept., 1580; and sequestrator; o. and sequestration he has to exhibit. M.A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 92.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 72, n I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See p. 77.

<sup>4</sup> Struck out,

LUDFORTH PARVA—Sir Ro. Halliley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Dec., 1577; i. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

LANGTONNE—Sir John Rawsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 21 Dec., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LEGGESBIE—Master W. Colsell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Mar., 1581; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sir James Grenesmith, curate; o. and a. —.

PAUNTON—Master Richard Bradley, rector; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

RAND—Master John Barefote, rector; i. —; t. —. s.t.d.

Sir Nicholas Estwood, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 2 May, 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

STAINTONNE—Sir Hamlet Marshall, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

5 Aug., 1572; i. 8d.; plur. —; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. SNELLAND—Sir Thomas Jeffrey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 June, 1576; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sixill—Sir Humphrey Harrisonne, vicar; inst. 10 Feb., 1584, and subs. the same day; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sotbie-Master George Graves, rector; ord. pr. by. the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Apr., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

STAINEFELD—Sir Robert Briane, curate; see for orders in Appley<sup>1</sup>; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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Wickenbie—Master Robert Boothe, rector; inst. 23 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. — absent. M.A. Licensed preacher.

WRAGBIE—Sir Simon Lee, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25

Mar., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Westerringtonne—Sir W. Nailer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Sept., 1558; inst. by Dominus Robinson, 3 Oct., 1584; i. 8d.; t. —. Bred in the schools.

Willingam—Sir James Bancrofte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WESTBARKWORTH—Sir Edward Meltonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 3 Mar., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

[Langlon]—Mathew Wilkinson, master of the grammar school of Lang-

2 Aug.—33s.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 32s.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 93.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 72, n 1.

# [ARCHDEACONRY OF STOW.]

### LAURES.

ASTROP—Master Stephen Luddingtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Sept., 1564; dispensed by John archbp. of Canterbury, five miles, 30 April, 1585; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A. Preacher.

Buslingthorpe—Sir John Wetherley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 7 Feb., 1560: i. and t.—. Absent. Burtonne—Sir George Hudlestonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Peterborough, 17 Mar., 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Brattelbie—Master Stephen Luddingtonne, rector; see for orders in

Astrop; i. 8d. B.A.

Broxolme—Master John Welche, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 9 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. [blank2]. M.A. Preacher.

CHERIWILLINGAM—Sir John Welche, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, I June, 1564; i. [blank²]. Absent.

FALDINGWORTH—Master John Pitman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 3 Nov., 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. MA.

FISKERTONNE—Sir John Sudley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1563; i. and t. [blank<sup>2</sup>]. Absent. B.A. Preacher.

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Greetwell—Sir Vincent Soer, curate; adm. by Master R.3; o. 8d. a. 8d.

GAITBURTONNE—Master Theodor Walpoll, rector; see for orders in Pinchebecke<sup>4</sup>; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. BA.

Sir W. Hansonne, curate; ord. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Literate.

KETTELTHORP-Master John Becke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lin-

coln, 2 Aug., 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. MA. KNEATH—Sir Richard Tailour, curate; o.5 and d. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

MARTONNE—Sir Roger Newtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 31 Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Newtonne—William [ $Bve^6$ ] Bee, vicar; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These are evidently two distinct persons. Cp. LR.S., ii, page 166, where the ordination of 'Walshe,' of Broxholme, is dated 1565, which is probably wrong since he was 30 years of age in 1576 (*ibid.*). Welche, of Cherry Willingham, was also curate of Nettleham (see p. 96). In L.R.S., ii, p. 166, his ordination is dated 10 June, 1564

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Folio 66 shews that he had to exhibit.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> I.e. Robinson (see p. 72, n 1; p. 82, n 7).

<sup>4</sup> See page 76.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Folio 66d. has 'o. cer.' (see page 78, n 2).

<sup>6</sup> Struck out.

NETTLAM—Sir John Welch, curate; o. and a. —. Absent.

Repham—Sir Vincent Soer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 11 Apr., 1574;  $i [absent^2] \delta d.$ ; t. by Master R.\*

RISOME—Sir John Hurde, rector; see for orders in St. Mary's church';

i. 8d.; plur. —; t. 8d. B.A. Snarford—Sir W. Pell, rector: ord. pr. by Edmund bp. of Peterborough, 5 Sept, 1584; inst. and subs. 6 Sept, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.: l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Scothorne—Sir Hamlet Marshall, vicar; see for orders in Stainton;

i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sudbroke—Sir John Wright, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 May, 1569; i. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Saxilbie—Sir John Hudlestonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Jan., 1580; o 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Scampton—Sir Christopher Leake, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. and t. — he is dead. The sequestrator of the fruits — absent.

TORKSAIE—Master Thomas Bradley, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 9 Aug., 1579; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit B.A. Licensed preacher.

Folio 20d.

Thorp in Le Fallowes— $\lceil blank \rceil$ .

UPTONNE—Sir Thomas Dainporte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>2</sup>] Chester, 3 Oct., 1568; subs. 29 May, 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Willingam—Sir Richard Richardsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 29 Apr., 1558; subs. 8 Sept., 1571, at Bugden; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

2 Aug -26s. 4d.<sup>5</sup>; therefrom 2s. 4d.; there remains 24s.<sup>5</sup>

## ASLACKO.

6 July, 1585, Lincoln.

BLIBURGH—Master Anthony Hill, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Oct., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Core—Sir W. Beverley, curate; o. and a. [blank<sup>6</sup>] absent.

CAINEBIE—Sir Richard Laminge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

CAMERINGAM—Sir Simon Arrowsmyth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FILLINGAM—Master Doctor Lillie, rector; o., plur., i. and t. [blank $^{7}$ ]; S.T.D.

Sir Henry Jeneper, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 8 Aug., 1578; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 95, n 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> /.e. Robinson (see p. 72, n 1; p. 82, n 7).

<sup>4</sup> See page 63.

<sup>5</sup> These amounts seem to be too little by 8d. <sup>6</sup> Fo. 66d, shews that he had to exhibit a.

<sup>7</sup> Fo. 66d, shews that he had to exhibit o., plur., i. and t.

FIRSBIE—[blank].

GLENTWORTH—Sir W. Beverley, [vicar1] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Mar., 1567; o. 8d.; a. 8d. 'A clarke of a parishe before.'

Folio 21.

HACKTHORNE—Sir Henry Nelsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 Aug., 1575; i. 8d.; plur. he did not pay, nor has he [one]; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

HARPESWELL—Sir Edmund Hudsonne, curate; he has capacity (capaci-

tatem); o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Hemeswell—Sir Christopher Kitchinman, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 23 Sept., 1576; admitted by John Bele, L.D., 15 Sept., 1580; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HANWORTH—Sir Robert Orame, rector; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 24 July, 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Ingham—Sir Thomas Walker, ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Apr., 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

NORMANBIE—Sir W. Clarke, curate; see for orders in Saxbie; o.3 and a. — absent.

Ounder. Table of Lincoln, o Mar., 1581; o. 8d; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Spridlingtonne—Sir Robert Shawe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 26 July, 1573; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; [t]. Bred in the schools.

SAXBIE—Sir W. Clarke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; t [blank4]. Bred in the schools.

WILLOUGHTON—Sir Nicholas Riley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

7 Feb., 1563; i. 8d. 'Husbandman.'

Wadingam Peter's—Sir Christopher Banister, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 2s. 6d. Bred in the schools.

2 Aug.—[16s. 6d.1] 17s. 2d.

Folio 21d.

### MANLAKE.

Althorp—Sir Richard Jaques, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 14 May, 1581; subs. 19 June, 1582; flur. 3s.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

ALKBAROWE—Sir Christopher Pocklingtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp.

of York, 9 Apr., 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Appelby—Sir Thomas Seward, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Apr., 1566; i., 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Burtonne—Master Robert Hall, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 17 July, 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Braughtonne—Sir W. Robinsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Aug., 1578; subs. 12 Sept., 1580; o. &d.; i. &d.; i. &d.

BOTTESFORD—Sir Henry Gorrell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, I June, 1575; inst. and subs. 7 Feb., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out,

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *I.e.* John Belley, the vicar-general.
 <sup>3</sup> Fo. 66d. has o. 'cer.' (see p. 78, n. 2).

<sup>4</sup> Folio 66d. shews that he had to exhibit.

CRULE—Sir John Bawdwine, vicar; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FLIXBURGH—Sir Humphrey Broune, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 21 Dec., 1567; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FROTHINGAM—Sir Roger Goodwine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 July, 1580; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. BA.

Haltone—Master Robert Forman, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 28 Oct., 1544; dispensed 6 July, 1566; subs. 19 Sept., 1571; qualified 'fer dominum Fynes l'd. Darcie' of Sowth, dated the last of June and in the viijth yeare of her Magestyes rayne' [A.D. 1566]; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. 8d.; proxy, by Thomas Forman, his son, 4s. 8d.

HIBALSTOWE—Sir Thomas Empsonne<sup>3</sup>, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan

bp. of Hull, 19 June, 1546.

Sir W. Tailfar<sup>3</sup>, vicar; ord. pr. by John bp. of Worcester, 17 July, 1582; inst. and subs. 284 June, 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

LUDINGTONNE—Master Richard Yonge, [vicar<sup>5</sup>]; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; i. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Messingame—Sir William Wigane, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, II July, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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Mauntonne-Sir John Robothome, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Dec., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

ROXBIE—Sir Robert Dawsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

RISBIE—Sir George Shawe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] Winchester, 25 June, 1584; inst. by Dominus R6 22 July, 1584, and subs.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

REDBURNE—Sir Thomas Empsonne, vicar; see for orders in Hibalstowe; i = 1. He is dead.

Scalbie—Sir Seth Shepley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 10 Mar., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WHETTONNE—Sir George Waude, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Jan., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Bred in the schools1].

WINTRINGAME—Master Robert Forman, rector; see for orders in Halton; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir Christopher Deacon, curate: o. 8d.; a. —. Bred in the schools. WINTERTONNE—Master Robert Welbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 July, 1581; inst. and subs. 24 May, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. B.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Darcie' is a mistake for 'Dacre.' The person intended is Gregory lord Dacre of

<sup>&</sup>quot; Empson died shortly before the visitation, for Tailfar was instituted on the vacancy caused by his centh (Reg. xix, fo. 150. See below n).

4 Reg. xix, fo. 150, gives the date as 8 June.

<sup>5 &#</sup>x27;Vicar' has, no doubt, been omitted (see Reg. xxviii, fo. 37d.).

<sup>6</sup> I.e. Robinson (see p, 72, n 1).

WADINGAM MARY's-Master Richard Turswell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 15 July, 1573; i. 8d.; t. 8d. s.t.b. Licensed preacher.

Sir W. [Taileforth<sup>1</sup>] Tailfar,<sup>2</sup> curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Wor-

cester, 6 July, 1582; o. —; a. — He is dead.

2 Aug.—31s.; therefrom 2s. 4d.; there remains 28s. 8d.

Folio 22d.

# CORRINGAM.

# 7 JULY, 1585.

BUTTERWICKE—Sir John Roades, curate; ord. by the bp. of York, . . July, 1574; o. and a.—absent;  $\delta d$ .

BLITONNE - Sir Robert Wraie, vicar; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Beltonne—Sir [Robert Carltonne<sup>1</sup>] Edward Holdon, curate; o. and a. -absent.

EPWORTH—Sir John Harrison, rector; o., i. and t.—absent. Let residence be made.

Thomas Lune, curate; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Graingam—Master Christopher Wilsonne, rector; see for orders in Westburgh<sup>3</sup>; *i*. and *t*.—absent. M.A. Licensed preacher. Sir Richard Rowbotham, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 8

Apr., 1576; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GAINESBURGH—Sir John Jacksonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, 21 Mar., 1555; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HEPHAM—Sir Henry Beebie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 June, 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HAXAIE—Master John Newland, vicar; see for orders in Gedney; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

LEA-Sir Richard Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 26 Sept., 1571; i. 8d. B.A.

LAUGHTON—Sir Robert Bull, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Apr., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

NORTHROP—Sir Ellis Walworth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 18 Dec., 1557; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Oustonne—Sir Thomas Otterbie, vicar; inst. and subs. 21 July, 1583; o. he has to exhibit; i 8d.; t. 8d. m.a. Bred in the schools.

PILHAM—Sir Ralph Wraie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 17 Oct., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Springthorp—Master Boniface Martine; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

27 July, 1560; dispensed 16 Apr., 1575; plur. 3s. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

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Scottor—Master John Dawbney, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1561; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cp. the entry under Hibaldstow above. In spite of the slight difference between the dates in the two entries, it is probable that W. Tailfar, the curate of Wadingham, became vicar of Hibaldstow, and that the note recording his death is a mistake.

<sup>3</sup> See page 68. 4 'Aterby' in L.R.S., ii, p. 80.

Scottonne—Master John Cooper, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 13 Mar., 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher. Master John Barlowe, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 22 Feb., 1572; o. 8d.; a.—he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Wrote—Sir Robert Dobsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the archbp. of York, 30 Mar., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

2 Aug.—16s. 4d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 15s. 4d. Folios 23d, 24 and 24d. [blank].

# [ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER.]

### LEICESTER.

St. Martin's—Master Henry Lynney, vicar; o. and i. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

St. Mary's—Sir Thomas Jesson; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 13 Oct.,

1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

ALL SAINTS'—Sir W. Ruddiard, [curate1] vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Peterborough<sup>1</sup>] Chester, [11<sup>1</sup>] 3 Mar., [1572<sup>1</sup>] 1576; inst. and subs. 22 May, 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

St. Leonard's—[blank].

St. Nicholas's.—[blank]; a. he has to exhibit.

Sum-2s. 8d.

Folio 25d.

## GOODLAXTON.

ASHTONNE FLAVELL—Master Robert Sparke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough. 21 Sept., 1564; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles. S.T.B. Licensed preacher.

Ashbie Parva—Sir Thomas Brasgerdell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Dec., 1563; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

schools.

ASHBIE MAGNA—Sir Richard Hulme,2 vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 April, 1545; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

AILESTONNE—Sir W. Heathecote, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 21 May, 1537; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'Servinge man.'

Brantingthorp—Sir W. Clerke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 Mar., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

BLABIE—Sir W. Goddell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1562; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Braunstonne—Sir Richard Bate, [vicar1] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Sept., 1576; licensed by Master Chancellor, 17 July, 1585, at Leicester; stipend 81.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Broughtonne Astley—Master Robert Sparke, rector; see for orders in Ashton Flavell; i. 8d.

BITTESWELL—Sir Richard Tilley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d. 'daye laborer.'

Cottisbeche—Sir Henry Dillingam, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 Apr., 1581; i. 8d; l. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Crafte—Sir John Shenton, rector; has capacity (capacitatem) 31 Aug., 1584; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CLEYBROKE-Master John Higginson, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Dec., 1572; inst. [and subs.1] 3 Aug., 1571; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Holmes' at page 38; 'Homes' in P.D., 1586, no. 36.

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Cosbie—Sir Lawrence Fermer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Kildare, 10 July, 1574; inst. [a blank space here] 10 Nov., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

DESFORD—Sir Thomas Bunney, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry,

2 Dec., 1561; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Duntonne—Sir W. Welche, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Sept., 1568; i. and l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

EDERBIE CUM WHETSTON—Sir [Henry Tailour1] George Slaxton,3 vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. [sic] of York, 24 Apr., 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Ernesbie—Sir Richard Tompsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 27 Mar., 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Elmesthorp—Thomas Stonie, rector; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

FOSTONNE—Sir John Savage, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Apr., 1545; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FROLLESWORTH—William Staresmore, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 19 Sept., 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GLENFELD-Master Simon Cox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Sept., 1572; dispensed by Edmund archbp. of Canterbury, 18 Feb., 1581; qualified by the brother of the lord Windsor of Bradenham, 20 May, 1579; i. 8d.; o. 8d.; i. [sic] 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s., 20 miles; qualification 8d. M.A.

KILMORTONNE—Sir Edward Halford, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred

in the schools.

KIMPCOTE—Sir John Vitell, [rector<sup>5</sup>]; ord. pr. by the bp. of Limerick, 8 Sept., 1583; inst. and subs. 10 Dec., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

KNAPTOFTE—Sir Richard Blackwine, rector; has capacity (capacitalem); i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Kirlie—Sir [John Jacksonne<sup>1</sup>] Thomas Smavley, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 [Apr., 1579] June, 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Folio 26d.

LUTTERWORTH—Master John Costerdine, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 20 Sept., 1567; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Leire—Master Nathaniel Baxter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Dover, suffragan of the archbp. of Canterbury, 7 July, 1573; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Mosley—Sir W. Coltman, [vicar1] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Winchester, 19 Apr., 1557; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Mystertonne—Sir Edward Howe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Oct., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

1 Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Called Warde alias Farmer in L.R.S., ii, p. 45. <sup>3</sup> 'Claxton' in Comp. under date 11 Feb., 1578-9; and in P.D. 1587, no. 8. See below under 'Whetstonne.

<sup>4 &#</sup>x27;Stoninge' in Reg. xxviii, fo. 54. 5 This seems to have been omitted.

NORTHKELWORTH—Sir John Mortonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Mar., 1544; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Northborowe—Sir John Browne, rector; o., i. and t. —. Absent.

ODBIE—Sir Robert Kirkland, vicar; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Petlinge Parva—Sir John Syndall, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Jan., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Petlinge Magna—Sir Richard Woodward, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 12 Mar, 1554; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'Husbandman.'

ROTHERBIE—[blank]; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

STONISTANTONNE—Sir Edward Messenger, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 18 Oct., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

SAPCOTE—Sir W. Pawley, rector; o., i. and t. — absent.

SOUTHKILWORTH—Sir John Vaus, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 25 Mar., 1578; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A. [Bred in the schools<sup>1</sup>].

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Shawell—Sir John Hodgekinsonne, rector; inst. and subs. 9 Apr., 1583; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sharnford—Sir Thomas Carter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 10 Feb., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Swinford—Sir Humphrey Thomas, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. [sic] of Canterbury, 10 Mar., 1559; inst. and subs. 23 July, 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

THURLESTONNE—Sir Richard Barlowe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 17 Dec., 1530; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Non prox'.

THORP THOMAS—Sir Thomas Lee, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 25 Mar., 1574; i. 8d; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WILLOWBIE WATERLES—Sir John Debancke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Linc., 21 Sept., 1555; dispensed by Matthew archbp. of Canterbury, 15 Feb., 1559; qualified by Sir Henry Strange, lord Stanley, 17 Jan., 2 Elizabeth [A.D. 1559]; qualification 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. without limitation, 3s. B.A.

Wiggestonne—Master Thomas Thorntonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Linc.. 11 Mar., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

[Whetstonne—George Claxtonne, vicar; ord. by the bp. of York, 24 Apr., 1574; i. and t.—absent. ]

Sum—54s.; therefrom 3s. 4d.; there remains 50s. 8d.

Folio 27d.

### GOSCOTE.

Ashbie Fulwell—Sir Richard Fovell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Sept., 1576; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Asfordbie—Sir Martin Hill, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 25 Apr., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> An error for 'Sydall' (see L.R.S., vol. ii, page 318).
<sup>3</sup> See above page 102, under 'Ederby,' i.e., Enderby.

ALAXTONNE—Sir Thomas Tunstonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools. [Licensed preacher.<sup>1</sup>]

Bebie-Master Henry Bancke, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Rheon, I Mar., 1538; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. M.A. Licensed preacher by the bp. of Lincoln, 2 Sept., 1567.

Sir John Alsopp, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 21 Sept., 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. [Bred in

the schools.1 B.A.

BARKBIE—Sir W. Gibsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19

Sept., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Belgrave—Sir [John Fox4] Robert Cropwell, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 Mar., 1571, and 2 by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 May, 1585; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

Sir Robert Morrey, curate; ord. [pricst1] by the bp. of Chester, 23 Feb., 1568; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BROKESBIE—Master Thomas Stonier; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 4 June, 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Cosingtonne—Master Hugh Boothe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 4 Aug., 1566; i. 8d.; l. 8d. s.t.B. Licensed preacher.

Dalbie—Sir W. Burne, vicar; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; l. he has to

exhibit. B.A.

FIRSBIE—Sir John Ratclif, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 9 Sept., 1565; inst. 20 July, 1580, and subs; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Humberstonne—Sir Thomas Wilsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Aug., 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in

the schools.

Hobie—Master W. Reade, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 28 July, 1576; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A. [Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.1]

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HUNGARTONNE—Sir Richard Nailer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 24 June, 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

LODINGTONNE—Ed' Wasshington, vicar; o., i. and t.—absent. LAWSBIE—[blank] Whit, vicar; o., i. and t.—absent.

PRESTWOLD—Sir [Thomas1] William Ward, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 26 May, 1581; o. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

QUENIBOROWE—Sir Anthony Newbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1532; i. 8d.

RATHERBIE—[Sir1] Master Edward Beale, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 May, 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Reference [sic]—Master John Wollocke, rector; has capacity (capacitatem); i. 8d.; plur. 30 miles; t. he has to exhibit.

Sir Thomas Muson; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 14 Dec., 1571; stipend 8l.; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The word 'admitted' has probably been left out here.

RATCLIFE—Sir John Richardsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 13 Nov., 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

RAGDALE—Sir W. Jonsonne, [curale<sup>1</sup>], vicar; o., i. and t.—absent. Sistonne—Sir W. Scamptonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SIGRIEF-Sir George Savage, rector; ord. pr. [by the bp. of Gloucester, 5 Mar.<sup>1</sup>; o. fee paid; i. and plur. he has to exhibit; l. he did not bring it. LL.B. Note.

Sir John Gryning, curate; o. and a.—. Absent.

Saxilbie—Sir Henry Bancke, rector; see for orders in Bebie<sup>2</sup>; i. 8d.; l. 8d.; lic. 8d. Bred in the schools. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Skevingtonne—Sir Christopher Fletwyk, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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Southeroxtonne—Sir W. Key, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 9 Jan., 1573; inst. and subs. 4 July, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Silbie—Sir George Wolley, [vicar1] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 3 Apr., 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

TILTONNE—Sir W. Lante, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 22 Mar., 1574; dispensed by Edmund archbp. of Canterbury, 7 Dec., 1579; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

THURSINGTONNE—Sir George Ashbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Apr., 1562; i. 8d. Bred in the schools. [B.A.1]

TWIFORD—Sir Robert Scarborowe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 Jan., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Tugbie—Sir [John<sup>1</sup>] W. Brusbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 19 Mar., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

THOMERSTONNE—[Sir Robert Morris, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 23 Feb.,  $15\overline{68}$ ; i. and t. — . Bred in the schools.<sup>1</sup>]

WALTONNE—Sir Robert Blunte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 18 June, 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

WYMESWOLD—Sir Peter Rathburne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry and Lichfield, 11 Apr., 1568; inst. 5 Apr., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum—40s. 8d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 38s. 8d.

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#### GARTRE.

BILLESDEN—Sir Richard Chamberlaine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 21 Sept., 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Boresworth—Sir John Dewporte, rector; proxy, 4s. 8d.; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit. [.1bscut<sup>1</sup>] M.A. [Licensed preacher<sup>1</sup>.]

Sir John Smyth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 June, 1575; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Bowdonne—Sir John Ruddingtonne, vicar; o. 8d.; t. [absent<sup>1</sup>] Bowdon, Great—Curate—[blank].

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 104.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Perhaps the licence for preaching is intended.

Burton overy—Sir W. Burditt, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 July, 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

BRINGHURST—Sir Richard Lee, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 3 Apr., 1574; inst. and subs. 8 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Churchlangton—Sir Thomas Roos, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Dec., 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Carltonne—[Sir<sup>4</sup>] Master [Thomas<sup>4</sup>] Hugh Westonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 28 July, 1576; proxy 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Thomas Coleman, reader; proxy —; tol. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Cranho—Sir Richard Hackney, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 18 Feb., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Eastton—[blank] Absent. Evington—[blank] Absent.

FLECKNEY—Sir [John Croftes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincolu, 3 Nov., 1582<sup>1</sup>] Robert Burton, reader; tol' he has to exhibit. B.A.

FOXTONNE—Sir Richard Jordaine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1564; i. 8d.; Bred in the schools.

Galbie—Master Sir [sic] Edward Saxby, rector; inst. 10 July, 1549; provy 4s. 8d.; o. he has not; i. 8d.; t. [absent<sup>1</sup>] he has not. Ll. B. Infirm (infirmus).

Sir [John Est<sup>1</sup>] Thomas Gest, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 29 Aug., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

## Folio 29d.

Gumley—Sir Robert Bingley, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Shrewsbury, 6 Mar., 1546; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Impotent (impotens). [Bred in the schools.]

GLENNE MAGNA—Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] John Clerke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, the last day of Feb., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the

schools.

Thomas Raylatt, reader; tol. he has to exhibit.

HOUGHTONNE—Sir Christopher Pollard, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 Mar., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HALLOUGHTON, NORTH—Sir [Richard Swaine<sup>1</sup>] Thomas Marson<sup>2</sup>, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 4 Apr., 1556; i.—; t.—; induction he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d. Remember the induction. HALLOUGHTON, SOUTH—Sir [Thomas Marson<sup>1</sup>] Richard Swaine, rector;

HALLOUGHTON, SOUTH—Sir [Thomas Marson<sup>1</sup>] Richard Swaine, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Rheon, 30 May, 1534; i. 8d.; plur. none; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HORNINGWOLD—Sir Roger Vaudry, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 16 Sept., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HARBURGH—Sir Walter Fluelen, curate.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Marston' in L.R.S., ii, p. 44. cp. p. 42 above.

Kibworth—Master W. Beridge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d.; flur. 3s., 30 miles. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Sir Peter Sergeante, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 1 Dec., 1580;

o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Kilby—Sir Randall Carter, [vicar, curate<sup>1</sup>]; tol. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

KNOSSINGTONNE—Sir John Westmilles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Sept., 1533; o. [absent<sup>1</sup>] 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to

exhibit. Impotent (impotens).

LAUGHTONNE—Sir [Thomas Burtonne<sup>1</sup>] William Mourton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. [suffragan of Rheon, 11 Mar., 1535<sup>1</sup>] of Lincoln, 13 Dec., 1582; inst. and subs. 30 Jan., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Lubbenham—Sir George Stronginarme, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 May, 1567; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

schools.

Medborne-Master Anthony Anderson, rector; inst. and subs. 6 Nov.,

1582; o. he has to exhibit; t. —.

Nosley—[Master John Hich, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 20 Mar., 1569; i. 8d.¹] Balthaser Copleye, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Dover, suffragan of the archbp. of Canterbury, 19 May, 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

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NORTONNE—Sir [John¹] Alexander Monopeny, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 26 Apr., 1566; i. and t.—. Absent.

Oveston— $\lceil blank \rceil$ .

Pickwell Magna—Master William Pocklington, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Feb., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

SCRAPTOFTE—Sir Henry Starke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. [sic] of York, 31 Mar., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

STOUGHTONNE—Sir Robert Newtonne, [vicar1] curate; o., i. and t.—absent.

Sadingtonne—Sir Richard Holland, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 5 Nov., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STOKEFASTONNE—Sir Thomas Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Chester, 10 Mar., 1542; i. and i.—. Absent. Memento.

Sir John Baxter, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. [appointed] by apostolic authority as suffragan bp. of Chester (ab cp'o app'lice suff' cpis' ccst') 12 June, 1556; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

SLAWSTONNE—Sir John Stafford, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, I July, 1579; inst. and subs. II Nov., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

St. Mary's, Arden—Sir Richard Fulshawe, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 3 Apr., 1569; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

STAINTON WIVELL—Sir Edmund Tilley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Winchester, 19 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SHANGHTON—Sir W. Corney, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 10 Mar., 1575; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Bred in the schools<sup>1</sup>]. B.A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

THURNBIE—Sir [George<sup>1</sup>] Roger Crosley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Coventry, 3 Apr., 1574; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Thorplanghton—Sir Thomas Bandon<sup>2</sup>; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 1 Apr., 1572; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

THURLANGTON CURACY—Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] John More, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 24 Aug., 1582; o. and a.—. M.A. Licensed preacher.

THEDINGWORTH—[Sir1] Master Leonard Ward, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 July, 1572; dispensed by Edmund archbp. of Canterbury, 10 Dec., 1582; qualified by the lady Mountegle late wife of William Stanley, lord Movntegle, deceased; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur., 20 miles, 3s.; qualification, 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher. Wistowe—Sir [W.] Francis Bayard, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lin-

coln, 16 Nov., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Welham—Sir Thomas Lawsbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 10 Aug., 1574; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A. Harborowe—Sir Nicholas Walker, curate; ord. pr. by a suffragan of

the archbp. of Canterbury, I Dec., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

BOWDEN, GREAT—Sir Thomas Reddington, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, I June, 1581; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Sum— $\lceil 678. \rceil$  69s. 8d.; therefrom 8s. 4d.; there remains 61s. 4d.

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### AKELEY.

ASHBIE DALAZOUCHE—Master Thomas Widdowes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 24 June, 1562; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Brokesbie—Sir Thomas Stoniard, rector curate<sup>3</sup>; o., i. and t. — absent. BARROWE—[Sir W. Rustat, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Liucoln, 20 Apr., 1563. Sir David Prise, vicar; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 17 Sept., 1584; o. —; i. 8d.; plur. —; qualification —; t. ---. B.A.

Beltonne—Sir [Henry<sup>1</sup>] John Barres, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 14 Dec., 1561; t. 8d. 'Tayler.'

Bredonne—Sir Hugh Pigott [vicar] curate; o., i. [sic] and t. — absent. COLORTONNE—Sir [Henry 1] James Stacie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 6 Mar., 1576; inst. and subs. 18 Feb., 15834; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

DONINGTONNE—Sir Peter Wood, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 27 July, 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

DISWORTH—Sir Marmaduke Fairband, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HATHERNE—Sir Thomas Barrodale, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 20 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

KEGWORTH—Master John Iretonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 8 Oct., 1570; inst. and subs. 16 Mar., 1581; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; o. 8d. s.T.B. Licensed preacher.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  A mistake for 'Brandon'; he was curate (see pp. 29, 30).  $^3$  Sic. He was rector (L.R.S. ii. p. 39).

<sup>4</sup> L.R.S. ii, p. 39, gives the date as 30 April, 1577. Stacie may, however, have been re-instituted, though there is no such institution in Bishop Cooper's Act Book.

Master Richard Pollard, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; a. —. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Long Whattonne—Sir Thomas Boilsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 20 Oct., 1573; i. 8d.; l. lie has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Loughburgh—Master John Willocke, rector; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit. S.T.B. Licensed preacher.

Sir John Davson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Mar., 15822; o 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A. [Bred in the schools.1]

LOCKINGTONNE—Sir John Searsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 25 July, 1583; inst. and subs. 24 Oct., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

MOUNTSORRELL—Sir Harold Hodgkinson, [vicar] curate; o., i. and t. —. Absent.

NETHERSHEALE—Master Walter Royle, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 3 June, 1579; i. and t. —. Absent.

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Onleppe—Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] Robert Cowper, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 May, 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

OSGARTHORP—Hamlett Nevlde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 10 Apr., 1546; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d. Bred in the schools.

PAKINGTONNE—Sir Henry Presburie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 9 Apr., 1558; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools. Querne—Sir Matthew More, [vicar] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Durham, 22 Apr., 1582; o. 8d.; a. 8d. B.A.

ROTHLEY—Sir [blank4] Kendall, vicar. Absent.

Swepstonne—Sir Thomas Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Oct., 1578; *i.* and *l.* he has to exhibit. B.A.

Sheale—Sir Walter Rowle, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 3 June, 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Shepesead—Sir Peter Allerenshawe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SNARESTONE—Sir Thomas Smalley, vicar curate [sic]; o., i. and t. — Absent.

Swithland—Sir Michael Hudson, rector. Absent.

THURCASTONNE—Master Brutus Babingtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 June, 1577; inst. and subs. 23 Apr., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

WHITWICKE—Sir Thomas Hunte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] Coventry, 18 Jan., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WORTHINGTONNE—[blank] —. Absent.

Sum—29s. 8d.; therefrom 2s. 4d.; there remains 27s. 4d.

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### FRAMLANDE.

Burton Lazer—Sir W. Hall, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 31 Mar., 1563; o. and a. —. Absent.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A mistake for 1572 (see *L.R.S.*, ii, p. 82).

<sup>3</sup> See 7th entry below.

<sup>4</sup> This should be 'Robert' (see above, p. 34).

Broughtonne—Sir W. Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 June, 1559; i. 8d.; flur. 3s., 30 miles. Bred in the schools.

Borowe—Sir Griffin Gwinne, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sir Richard Bever, curate; ord.<sup>2</sup> by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 1 Apr., 1536; o. and a. —. Absent.

BUCKMINSTER—Sir W. Flud, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

4 Mar., 1568; i. 8d; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Braunstonne—Master Robert Grace, rector of Braunston; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Coventry, 23 Mar., 156[%]] Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation. t. he has to exhibit. S.T.B. Licensed preacher.

Sir Richard Woks, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 23 Mar.,

1566; o. 8d.; a. —. Stipend 61.

BARKESTONNE—Sir John Chessall, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 2 Nov., 1567; inst. and subs. 16 Jan., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Bottisford—Master Samuel Fleminge, rector; o. i. t. plur. and qualification he has to exhibit. s.T.B. Licensed preacher.

John Harford, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

CROUXTONNE—Sir [Sir IV. Dansey, vicar\*] Richard Ward, vicar; o. i. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

COLOUERTONNE—Sir John Cayse, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank<sup>8</sup>]. 20 Sept., 1533; inst. 21 Aug., 1550; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

CLAWSTON—Sir John Pale, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 12 Feb., 1581; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Costonne—Sir Gilbert Wetherall, rector; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Dalbie Parva—Sir Edward Enkersall<sup>4</sup>, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 20 Jan., 1567; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

EDMUNDTHORP—Sir Stephen Beaver, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 30 Mar., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

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ETONNE—Sir W. Squier, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 13 Mar., 1556; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Estwell—Sir W. Heathe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 7 June, 1566; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit Bred in the schools.

GARTHORP—Sir John Lorrington, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 13 Aug., 1583; inst. and subs. 31 Dec., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Godbie-Master Baldwin Dyreham, rector; inst. 7 Apr., 1575; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit, 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d.

Sir William Jonson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 13 Nov., 1577; o. 8d.; a. —. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>2</sup> The word 'priest' has been omitted. Bever at the time of his ordination was a canon of the Augustinian abbey of Osolveston or Owston, co. Leicester (Reg. xxvi, fo. 5td.). He was not ordained by the bishop of Lincoln.
'Inkersall' in Reg. xxviij, fo. 56a.

Hoves—Sir John Hicklinge, vicar; inst. 6 Apr., 1582; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HARSTONNE—Sir Thomas Daineporte, rector; inst. by John archbp. of Canterbury, and subs., 26 Oct., 1584; o. he has to exhibit; i. 3d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools

HAREBIE—Sir [James Cleton<sup>1</sup>] Nicholas Cleyton, rector; ord. pr. as in Barkhamstead Peter's, and dispensed as in the same; inst. and subs. 21 Aug., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; troxy 4s. 8d. s.t.b.

KNIPTONNE—Stephen Wells, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragun bp. of Hull, 29 Mar., 1544; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

KIRKBIE BELLERS—Sir Thomas Stoniyard, [rector1] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 4 June, 1570; admitted by dominus chancellor,

17 July, 1585, at Leicester; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

KETTILBIE—Sir Thomas Neyle, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 6 Mar., 1573; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Mustonne—Sir John Syrcote, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 15 Sept., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Meltonne Mowbray—Sir Edward Turner, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 23 Dec., 1565; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sir Simon Tunne, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 July, 1580; o.—. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

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[Plungar—John Chesall, vicar —. Absent.1]

REDMELL—Master Thomas Stanton, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. [Absent.<sup>1</sup>]

Sproxton—Sir W. Dansey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1564; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Gentleman.

SAXBIE—Sir John Deacon, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

STAPLEFORD—Sacari Jenkinson, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 28 Mar., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Somerbie—Sir Henry Wright, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Scalford—Sir W. Binke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 21 Dec., 1578; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

STONESBIE—Sir John Whitehead, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Nov, 1579; i.—; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Saltbie—Sir W. Rowes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 21 Nov., 1571; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Statherne—Master Roger Rudde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 17 July, 158[sic]; inst. and subs. 16 Feb., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

THORPARNOLD—Sir Roger Thornell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of
Coventry, 23 Mar., 1566; subs. 19 June, 1574; i. 8d.; l. 8d.;
l. [he has to exhibit] he has it by the report of Master Robert
Bond, public notary, who was present at the time and place of
subscription. Bred in the schools.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The corner of the leaf is torn off.

WIFORDBIE—Sir John Hutchine, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 June, 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WYMONDHAM—Master William Gulson, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Waltham—John Bringest, rector; inst. 16 Mar., 1564; o. he has to exhibit; i. - ; t. 8d.

[W12] THOOCKE—Sir Richard Harris, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 13 [blank], 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum—56s. 8d.; therefrom 6s.; there remains 50s. 8d.

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### SPERKINHO.

APPLEBIE—Master Hughe Blithe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Sept., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Bosworthe—Master Adam Squier, rector; o., i., plur, and t. he has to

exhibit. s.T.D.

Master John Sawier, curate—none.3

BARWELL— $[Sir^4]$  Master George Messinger, rector : ord. pr. by the bp.

of Lincoln, 27 Oct., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

BARLESTONNE—Sir John Warde, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] curate; o., i. [sic] and t. absent. 'A yeoman.'

CARLTONNE—Sir Thomas Straunge, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Coventry, 30 Sept., 1568; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. [Absent.] Bred in the schools.

CUNGESTON—Sir George Raven, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Pavada, 30 May, 1545; *i.* and *t.*—absent.

CATEBIE—Sir Lawrence Boote, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 DADDLINGTON—Sir Ralph Chetame, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] curate; o., i. [sic] and a. absent.

Apr., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FENY DRAYTON—Sir Anthony Nutter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 29 Sept., 1578; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HATHER—Sir John Ashe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. [sic] of York, 23 Mar., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HIGHAM.—Sir [Thomast] Marmaduke Povie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Dec., 1580; inst. and subs. 24 Sept., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HINCKLEY—Sir Richard Briskowe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Apr., 1556; i. 8d.; plur., 30 miles, 3s.; t. 8d. Bred in the

Sir James Riland, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, I Nov., 1582; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HUCKESKOTE—Sir Richard Freman, [vicar1] curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Coventry, 29 Sept., 1581; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The corner of the leaf has been torn off.

<sup>3</sup> The meaning seems to be that he had no letters of admission.

IBSTOCKE—Sir Richard Fox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 3
Apr., 1557; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.
Sir [Richard Hill<sup>1</sup>] William Rowley, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of
Coventry, 2 Apr., 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

KIRKBIE MALERIE—Sir Thomas Bawdon, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Mar., 1559; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Absent.] 'Servinge man.'

MARKEFELD—Sir Anthony Brigge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug., 1563; i. [8d.²]; t. [? he has to exhibit²]. 'Woolwinder.' Folio 33d.

NORTONNE—Sir Edmund Cleyton, rector; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 18 Dec., 1562; i. 8d. [Abscut.<sup>1</sup>] Bred in the schools.

NORMANTON—Sir Nicholas Ward, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] reader; tol. he has to exhibit. Nelstonne—Sir Simon Cox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Dec., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

NewBold—Sir Edmund Woluerstonne, rector; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; provy 4s. 8d. Gentleman.

OVERTONNE—Sir Roger Spencer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 1578; i. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Peckiltonne—Sir W. Ashebie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 11 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'A petti lawyer.'

SHAKERSTONNE—Sir Julian Watsonne, vicar; o.—; i.—; t.—. Bred in the schools.

Sheppey, South—Master Henry Ewbancke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 3 Oct., 1580; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation; t. 8d. [Absent.] M.A. Licensed preacher.

t. 8d. [Abscut.] M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sheppev, North—Sir John Tailour, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 25 Mar., 1561; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Edward Grothwayght, curate, North; o. and a.—absent. B.A.

SIBBESDON—Sir  $[John^1]$  R. Tailour, curate; o. and a.—none. Bp. of Peterborough.

STOKE—Sir [John Jolbare, vicar<sup>1</sup>] Richard Sampson, curate; ord. deacon by the bp. of Coventry, 15 Dec., 1585; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Suttonne—Sir Alexander Thomas, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Shilton—Sir Robert Cramton, [vicar¹] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 3 Apr., 1569; stipend [10l.¹] 6l.; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

THORNTONNE—Sir George Marvine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 Sept., 1573; i. 8d; t. he has to exhibit. 'Surgeon.'

Twicrosse—Sir Henry Fukes, [vicar<sup>1</sup>] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 9 June, 1577; o. and a.—; stipend 81. Bred in the schools.

Wetherley—Sir Richard Fox, rector; see for orders in Ibstocke<sup>3</sup>; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

Sum 36s.; therefrom—3s. 4d.; there remains 32s. 8d.

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<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The corner of the leaf has been torn off.

<sup>3</sup> See above.

# ARCHDEACONRY OF BUCKINGHAM.

### BURNHAM.

AMERSHAM—Master Robert Chaloner, doctor, rector; o., i. and t. absent. s.T.D.

Burnham—Sir John Wright, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 5

May, 1552; i. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher. Beckinsfeld—Sir Nicholas Tavener, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter the tuesday after the feast of palm-branches, 1566; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

CHESSAM LEICESTer—Master W. Saunders, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 24 Apr., 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

CHESSAM [Woborn<sup>2</sup>] Boyes—Sir Robert Harnes, [rector<sup>1</sup>] curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 10 Apr., 1573; i. —; l. —. [Doctor Ince<sup>1</sup>] Mr. Lee; o., i. and t.—absent.

CHESSAM BOYES—Sir Robert Herne, rector; donative; o. 8d.; i.—; t. he has to exhibit. Serving man.'

CHALFOUNTE GILES'-Sir John Cheke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 28 Dec., 1570; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

CHALFOUNTE PETER'S-Sir Lewis Jones, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 20 May, 1559; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

DATCHETT—Sir Robert Bangor, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 10 May, 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

DORNEY—Sir Thomas Jonsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 23 June, 1581; inst. and subs. 21 Nov., 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Absent.<sup>1</sup>] Bred in the schools.

Denham—Sir W. Bagley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 12 Mar., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

ETONNE—[blank]

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EGGESLEY—Sir [Robert<sup>1</sup>] John Roberte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 23 Sept., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

FERNHAM—Master W. Harward, rector; o., i., plur. and l. he has to exhibit—[received] from him the fee, 5s. in all, through Master Bonde. s.T.B.

Sir [Thomas Corney<sup>1</sup>] Henry Cox, curate there<sup>3</sup>; [ord. pr. <sup>1</sup>] reader by the bp. of London, 23 Mar., 1577; tol. he has to exhibit.

1 Struck out.

<sup>2 &#</sup>x27;Woborn' has been struck out, but possibly in error since Chesham Boyes is given

<sup>3</sup> The words 'curate there' and 'by the bp. of London, 23 Mar., 1577,' apparently applied to Corney, and should have been struck out. Cp. p. 17. I I 4

HORTONNE—[Elizeus Rolliwell<sup>1</sup>] Robert Merricke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of  $\lceil blank \rceil$ ; o., i. and l.—absent.

HITCHAME—Sir Thomas Hall, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Sept., 1562; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; proxy 4s. 8d. 'Serving man.'

Sir Edward Newman, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

IVER—Sir John Adkins, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, I Oct., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

ISNAMSTED—Sir John Launder, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 13 Aug., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Penne—Sir John Blower, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 24 Sept., 1541; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sir John [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] Robinson, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

STOKE POGES-Sir Andrew Purey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury; 4 May, 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

TAPLOWE—Master John Kinge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 24 Nov., 1560; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation. M.A. Licensed preacher.

WEXAME—Matthew Bust, rector; ord. [blank] by the bp. of [blank]; o. 8d.; t. 8d.; t. he has none. Refer to Master Bond aforesaid. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Wirdisbury<sup>2</sup>—Sir George Yeales, vicar; ord. [blank] by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

UPTONNE—Sir Hugh Eglestonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Hereford, 8 June, 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

FULMER—John Bruer, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 25 Mar., 1578; o. —; a. —.

Sum 37s.; therefrom 5s. 8d.; there remains 31s. 4d.

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### BUCKINGHAM.

ADLINGTONNE—Sir Thomas Androwes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 17 Feb., 1553; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

ADSTOCKE—Master Thomas Egertonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 24 July, 1572; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

AKELEY-Sir John Prichard, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, on the day of Pentecost, 1575, 17 Elizabeth; inst. by John archbp. of Canterbury, 24 July, 1584, and subs.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BEACHAMPTONNE—Master Matthew Pigott, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug., 1569; i. 8d. M.A.

Bartonne Hartherne—Sir Henry Falcon, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1579; o. 8d.; a. 12d. Memm. 'Servinge man.'

CAVERSFELD—Sir Richard Benskine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 29 Oct., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Chetwood—Sir [blank], curate; o. —; a. —.

EDGECOTE—Master John Feld, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Sidon, 8 Sept., 1557; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.
FOXCOTE—Sir David Powell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 20

May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Struck out.See below, p. 124.

HILLESDONNE—Sir Lewis Hall, curate; ord. [blank] by [blank]; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

Leightonhampstead—[Ralph Colley1] Sir John Wrighte, [rector2]; ord. by the bp. of [blank]; o., t., i., plur. and qualification he has to exhibit. M.A.

Sir Roland Jone, curate; ord. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 14 Dec.,

1578; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

LITLINGTONNE—[Sir Henry Beverley, curate; ord. by1] Master William Cade, rector; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

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Marshe—Master Samuel Reve, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 29 Sept., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

MAYDESMORTONNE—Master John Smythe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 May, 1560; i. 8d. M.A.

PRESTONNE—Sir Richard Setlo,3 rector; ord. pr. by the bp. [sic] of York, 28 June, 1562; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Padburie—Sir John Reade, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

RATCLIF—Sir [John<sup>1</sup>] Robert Foster, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, [blank] June, 1558; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

STEPLECLEYDON—Sir Richard Par, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 18 Mar., 1563: i. 8d.; t. I gave (dedi<sup>4</sup>) for the subscription to Master Bond. 'Serving man.'

STOWE—Master [John1] Robert Newtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; [inst.<sup>5</sup>] 14 Aug., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; l. he has to exhibit. s.t.B.

SHALESDEN—Master John Bursie, rector; ord. by the bp. of Dover, suffragan of the archip, of Canterbury, 24 [blank], 1580; inst. and subs. 13 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

TWIFORD—Sir Edward Whitehead, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, I Nov., 1576; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the

schools.

THORNBOROWE—Sir John VpRichard, vicar; ord. pr. by the bishop of Gloucester, 18 March, 1563; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

THORNTON—Master Thomas Elward, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 6 Sept., 1568; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. [M.6]A.

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TURWESTONNE—Sir John Padie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 Mar., 1561; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

TYNSWICKE—Master John Longland, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; l. 8d.

Westburgh—Sir Richard Maior, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 23 Feb., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

2 Struck out, probably by a mistake.

<sup>2</sup> 'Tetley' in Reg. xxviii, fo. 70. 'Tetlow' in Comp., under date 18 May, 1565.

Perhaps a mistake for dedit.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> See L.R.S. ii, p. 30. The present manuscript shews that Bishop Cooper's Act Book is wrong in making this institution refer to Stow in the archdeaconry of Lincoln. 6 The corner of the leaf has been torn off. Cp. Alumni Oxonienses, s.v. Elwood.

WATERSTRATFORD—Sir W. Badlesey, rector; he has capacity; i. 8d.; t, he has to exhibit. Monk.

Sum 32s. 4d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 30s. 4d.

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### MURSLEY.

CHOLESBURIE—Sir Thomas Castle, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 18 Sept., 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'A paris clarke.'

Coblingtonne—Master Hieronimus Lee, rector; ord. by [blank]; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; [t. by dominus Smith<sup>1</sup>]. M.A. Chirdingtonne—Sir Thomas Clarke, rector; o., i. and t.—absent.

Sir Rowland Heblethawaghte, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 17 Sept., 1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Draytonne Paslowe—Sir Thomas Tailour, rector; ord. pr. by the bp.

of Coventry, 17 April, 1557; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

DUNTONNE—Master [John1] Thomas Cocke, rector; ord. by the bp. of  $\lceil blank \rceil$ ; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Drayton Bichampe—Master John Laughton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 Oct., 1571; i. —; t. —. He is dead. M.A. Sir [blank] Pattie—he is not curate; o. and a. [he has to exhibit].

Eddisburgh—Sir John Goodhand, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Sodor, [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. He is sick. Bred in the schools.

GROVE, LITTLE-Sir John Facer, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 3 Sept., 1575; inst. and subs. 21 Aug., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HARWOOD, GREAT—Sir Hugh Whitacres, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 Oct., 1582; o. —; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. [M.A.1].

Master John Chaundeler, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i., plur. and t. 5s. in all; proxy 4s. 8d. s.t.b.

HARDWICKE-Master Richard Harris, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 30 Nov., 1563; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Haggesdon—Sir W. Wright, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 20 Apr., 1538; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HAWDRIGE—Sir John Walwine, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, II Apr., 1568; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; [t. he has to exhibit]. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher. Folio 38.

IVINGO—Sir Evans Rogers, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 18 Feb., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d., appropriated to the king; it is worth 4ol. Bred in the schools.

KIRCHLAND—none.

Morsley-Sir W. Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Oct., 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

Masford2—Sir [IV. Salesbury1] John Ducke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 23 Sept., 1525; o., i. and plur. he has to exhibit. S.T.B.

Sir W. Howe, curate there; ord. by [blank]; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A mistake for 'Masworth.'

MENTMORE—Sir Evans Davisse, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Bangor, 15 Feb., 1561; i. 8d. Thomas Wigg, appropriator. It is worth 3ol. Bred in the schools.

PICHLESTORNE—Sir Evans Joones, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 27 May, 1575; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

SLAPTON—Master Robert Norwood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Mar., 1555; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation; t. 8d.

Sir Gabriell Greene, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 10 Apr., 1566; o. 8d.; d. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

SWANBORNE—Sir Thomas Lownes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 11 Mar., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

STUKLEY—Master W. Prestwood, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 24 Apr., 1577; inst. [blank¹] 10 April, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sulberie—Sir W. Mylward, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 9
Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Waddonne—Sir John Sidon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Oct., 1577; i. paid; t. paid. Bred in the schools.

WHITCHURCH—Sir W. Coventree, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 21 Sept., 1574; inst. and subs. 30 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

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WINGRAVE—Master Robert Nixon, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 15 Feb., 1561; i.—; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

WINGE, GREAT—Sir Robert Graves, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 3 June, 1542; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Linslade—Sir William Ridge, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 30 Sept., 1577; o. 8d.; licence 8d. Licensed preacher.

Sum 36s.; therefrom 3s. 4d.; there remains 32s. 8d.

### NEWPORTE PANNEL.

Astwood—Sir Richard Richardsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Bradwell—Sir Thomas Haberley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 19 Dec., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BRICKLE, GREAT—Sir John Whitacres, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 Aug., 1560; i. 8d.

BROUGHTONNE—Sir Thomas Kente, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Dec., 1563; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BOLBRICKLE—Sir W. Watsonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

BRICKLE, LITTLE—Sir Thomas Lewes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff [blank]; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BLETSLEY—Master Thomas Sparke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit.  $[s.t.^2]$ D.

<sup>2</sup> The corner of the leaf has been torn off.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Perhaps the words 'and subscribed' were intended to be inserted here.

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Calvertonne—Master Matthew Pigott, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 Sept., 1572; inst. 15 June, 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Castlethorpe chapel—Sir Henry Traford, curate; o. and a.—absent. Cliftonne—Master Thomas Thaccame, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 23 Oct., 1552; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

CHETISLEY—Sir Thomas Gardiner, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Mar., 1573; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools. [s.t.p.<sup>1</sup>]

Crawley—Master John Garbraie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t.—[absent<sup>1</sup>]. s.t.d.

Sir Morgan Davisse, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. David's, 29 Sept., 1576; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

EMERTONNE—Master John Prestman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

FILGRAVE—Sir Thomas Negoose, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t.—absent.

GOTEHURST — Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] Henry Woodland, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Hanslappe—Sir Henry Trafford, curate; o. and a.—absent.

HAVERSHAME—Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] John Birde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 26 Jan., 1575; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 19 Feb., 1584, and subs.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HARDMEAD—Richard Rainesford, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Nov., 1560; i. 8d. 'Mercer.'

LOTHEBERIE—Thomas Weller, vicar; o., i. and t.—absent.

Sir W. Fones, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 11 May, 1585; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

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Lynforde, Little—Sir Thomas Wood, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

Lawendon—Sir Thomas Newtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Hereford, 20 May, 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. he has not got one, nor did he pay. Bred in the schools.

LOUGHTONNE—Sir James Cadwell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 25 Jan., 1559; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

LINFORD, GREAT—Master John Longland, rector; see for orders in Tinswicke<sup>2</sup>; *i.* 8*d.*; *i.* 8*d.* 

Sir Thomas Woode, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

MYDLETONNE KEYNES—Sir Hugh Charnocke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 27 Apr., 1551; i. and i.—. He is dead.

MULSO—Sir Henry Wilcox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8

Mulso—Sir Henry Wilcox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s., 20 miles; l. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Newporte—Master Thomas Yarrowe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 3 Mar., 1575; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

NEWTON cum Blossomfeld—Sir John Price, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 11 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See page 166.

NEWINTON LONGVILE—Master Sextus Quarterman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank], 18 Dec., 1557; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

OLDNEY—Sir Martin Purrier, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 1 May, 1575; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

RAVESDEN—Sir Thomas Philipps, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 27 Sept., 1572; inst. 7 May, 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit; flur. he has none. Bred in the schools.

STOKEGOLDINGETON—Sir W. Yomans, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1563; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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Sheringtonne—Sir John Martine, rector; ord. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1581; *i.* and *t.*—absent.

STOKEHAMON—Master Charles Langford, rector; proxy 4s. 8d.; o., i., plur, and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Sir John Deyos, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sympsonne—Sir Thomas Taverner, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Hereford, 21 Dec., 1561; dispensed 6 July, 1567; qualified by the lady Greye, late wife of lord Greye of Wilton; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation; qualification 8d. 'Husbandman.'

STAINTONBERIE—Sir John Yorke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

11 Nov., 1576; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Shenley—Master Richard Edmunde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Jan., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; plur., 26 miles,

TERRINGAM—Laurence Haule, [rector]; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank];

o. 8d.; proxy 4s, 8d.; plur.—absent.

Woughtonne—Sir Anthony Greneacres, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] Chester, 4 Mar., [1578<sup>1</sup>] 1564; i. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit; plur., 20 miles, 3s. Bred in the schools.

WAUNDON—Master Richard Edmunde, rector; see for orders in Shenley;

i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Waltonne—Sir John Joones, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t.—absent.

WOLVERTON—Sir Ralph Langford, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Wolston, Great—Sir John Glover, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Sidon, 9 Feb., 1555; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Wolston, Little—Sir Henry Wilcox, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 April, 1562; o. 8d.; i. he has to exhibit; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Willinge—Sir Thomas Potter, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 9 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. [Scholar<sup>1</sup>]. 'Apprentice.' Licensed preacher.

Sum 63s. 8d.; therefrom 9s.; there remains 54s. 8d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Called 'Hall' in P.D. 1586, no. 30, and 'Halleus,' 'Hally' in the Bishops' Transcripts of Brocklesby Parish Register (L.R.S. ii, p. 20n.).

- ASHTONNE SANDFORD—Sir Francis Haule, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; plur. none, 3s.; t. 8d. B.A.
- ASHENDEN—Sir Robert Penkethman, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Hull, the last of Feb., 1555; o. —; a he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.
- Brill-Sir Hugh Davisse, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. and a. he has to exhibit. B.A.
- BORSTELL—Sir [Bartholomew Price] Roger Owen, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.
- CHERSLEY—Sir George Higge, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 4 Oct., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.
- CRENDON, Long—Sir W. Philipps, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 21 Sept., 1578; o. 8d.; a. lie has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.
- DORTONNE—Sir [blank], curate; o. and a. [blank].
- ESTCLAYDON—Sir Owen Gwynne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 13 Oct., 1582; inst. and subs. 24 Oct., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.
- FLETMERSTONNE—Sir John Hitchcocke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 20 Mar., 1569; inst. and subs. 28 Nov., 1581; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 22 Nov., 1581; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; flur. 3s., 20 miles; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.
- GRENDON UNDERWOOD—Sir W. Marbecke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 15 Oct., 1551; i. 8d.; proxy 4s. 8d. Bred in the schools.
- Grendon—Sir Edmund Osborne, vicar; ord. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t.—he is sick, he has to exhibit.
- HICKFORD—Sir Robert Evans, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 25 Mar., 1562; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., none. Absent. Bred in the schools.
- Hodgeshawe—none.

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- ILMER—Sir [Thomas<sup>1</sup>] Martin Wright, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 24 May, 1566; o. 8d.; i. 8d. Appropriator, Master Robert Dormer; it is worth 101. Bred in the schools. [M.A.1].
- Kingesley—Sir John Branguen, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Exeter, 25 Nov., 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Appropriator, Mistress Gamage, 131. 'Serving man.'
- LUDGERSALL—Sir W. Knight, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 11
- Feb., 1564; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. MIDLECLAYDON—Sir Richard Askewe, rector; ord. pr. by [the bp.] of Chester, I June, 1575; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.
- NORTHMERSTONNE—Sir Philipp Langstonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 20 Dec., 1567; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.
- NETHER WINCHINDON—Sir Kenelm Woodford, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 15 Jan., 1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

OVINGE—Sir W. Marckam, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

Okeley—Sir Thomas Griffitte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 31 Oct., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

PITCOTE—Sir Robert Walkeden, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Dec., 1570; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools.

QUEYNTON—Master Thomas Blauncher, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 28 Mar., 1544; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; l. he has to exhibit. [M.A.] S.T.B. Licensed preacher.

SHILTONNE—Sir [blank], curate; o. and a.—absent.

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Shobbingtonne—Sir James Langley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 21 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Wadesden, first part—Master Gabriel Goodman, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i., plur. and t.—absent. s.t.d.

Wadesden, second part—Sir Robert Leven, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 11 Mar., 1583; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Wadesden, third part—Master John Purefey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 23 July, 1581; inst. and subs. 6 June, 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

WORMINALL—Sir Robert Evans, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; i.—absent. Bred in the schools.

WINCHINDEN, UPPER—Sir John Tailour, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 4 June, 1558; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Appropriator, Sir John Goodwin; it is worth 2ol. Bred in the schools.

WOTTONNE—[Sir Riccus Roberte, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 28 Jan., 1575; o. —; a. —.1] Sir Trianore Goodhand, reader; tol. 8d.

Sum 40s. 8d.2; therefrom 5s. 4d.; there remains 35s. 4d.2

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### WENDOUER.

Awsten Clynton—Master Thomas Wetherhead; ord. pr. by [blank]; proxy 4s. 8d.; o., i., t. and plur.—absent. M.A.

Sir Thomas Harper, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 May,

1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Stipend 131. 6s.

BLEDLOWE—Sir James Smyth, vicar; he has capacity; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 28 Mar., 1570; qualified by Francis earl of Bedford, 4 Jan., 1 Eliz. [A.D. 1558-9]; i. 8d.; l. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation; qualification 8d. Monk.

Dyntonne—Sir Edmund Pulter, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford,

DYNTONNE—Sir Edmund Pulter, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Oxford, 14 Mar., 1567; i. 8d. Appropriator, John Duncum, esq., it is

worth [?x]li. Bred in the schools.

EILESBURGH—Sir Riceus Guynne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 18 Dec., 1557; i. 8d.; l. 8d. B.A.

HALTONNE—none.

HARTWELL CUM HADDON—Master Matthew Jening (, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Mar., 1572; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> These amounts seem to be too much by 8d.

HORSINGTONNE—Sir John Thomas alias Smyth,2 rector; ord. pr. by the [suffragan bishop of Lydda, 11 Mar., 1528<sup>1</sup>] bp. of Llandaff, 19 Mar., 1579; inst. and subs. 11 Aug., 1583; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

HADENHAM—Master John Grene, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank];

i. 8d.; 1. 8d. M.A.

Sir Robert Owen, curate; o. and a.—absent.

HALCOTE—Sir John Longe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GREAT HAMDON—Sir W. Davisonne, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 14 Sept., 1543; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GREAT KYMBLE—Master Thomas Prowd, [vicar\*]; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 13 Oct., 1581; i. 8d.; i. 8d. Appropriator, Master Griffin Hamden; it is worth 201. M.A. Licensed preacher.

LITTLE KYMBLE—Master Thomas Prowd, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; *i.* 8*d.*; *plur.* 3*s*, 6 miles; *t.* as above. It is worth 16*l.* 

LEA-Sir Miles Hodsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 24 May, 1571; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'A parish clarke.'

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Myssenden, Great—Sir Christopher Medcoffe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 24 Dec., 1559; o. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Myssenden, Little—Elias Ridley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; *i.* 8*d.* Bred in the schools.

RISBRODGE—Sir [Thomas Lecke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 6 July, 15781 Ellis Rothwell, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

STONES—Sir Bartholomew Pusey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 6 Mar., 1573; i., l. and l. [sic] 2s. He has a sequestration. Bred in the schools.

Wendover—Master Thomas Gibsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 16 Apr., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WESTONNE TURVIL-Sir John Hanson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. —; i. —; plur. —; t. —.

Sir Luke Watte, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Jan., 1575; o. 8d. Licensed preacher.

Sum 29s. 4d.; therefrom 3s. 4d.; there remains 26s.

### WYCOMBE.

Bradmam—Sir Nicholas Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 11 Apr., 1568; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

FALLEY—Sir Richard Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. B.A. Licensed preacher.

HEDSORE—Sir Nicholas Sheffeld, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 6 Oct., 1578; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

HAMELDON—Master William Daie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. 3s. s.t.d.

Sir Thomas Wilsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 3 Apr., 1557; o. 8d.; a. —. Stipend 6l. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Called 'John Smith' in L.R.S., ii, p. 54. <sup>3</sup> This word has been omitted, cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 53.

Hugendon—Master Hugh Lane, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 19 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

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MARLOWE, LITTLE—Sir W. Tilbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

MARLOWE, GREAT—Sir Thomas Browne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 26 Sept., 1573; subs. 25 July, 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

MEDENHAM—Sir Georg Hyde, vicar; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

RADNAGE—Sir W. Sire, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 24 June, 1564; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Saundertonne—Master Richard Raynolde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

TERFELD—Sir Roger Gibsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 26 Apr., 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

TINGRIFT—Sir Peter Rider, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 24 Sept., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WYCOMBE—Sir Thomas Barnard, vicar; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and l.—absent. Note.

Sir [George Melle<sup>1</sup>] Robert Good, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Balh and Wells, 3 Mar., 1569<sup>1</sup>] Leighlin, 1[6?] June, 1584; o. dispensed with (dis').

WOBORNE—Sir Hugh Roberte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 23 Nov., 1572; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Westwicam alias Hauering—Sir W. White, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 9 Sept., 1571; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Wyrardesbury—Sir George Eales,<sup>2</sup> vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. and subs. 21 June, 1580; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Sum 18s.  $4d.^{\circ}$ ; therefrom 12d.; there remains 17s.  $4d.^{\circ}$  Folio 43d. [blank].

1 Struck out,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Called 'George Witnall alias Yeales, M.A.' (L.R.S., ii, p. 92), 'John Witnall alias Yeales, M.A.' (ibid., p. 52), and 'George Eyles' (p. 48 above). See also p. 115.

<sup>3</sup> These amounts are too little by 2s. 8d.

# [ARCHDEACONRY OF] BEDFORD.

Folio 44.

#### BEDFORD.

BEDFORD, St. Paul's—Sir Edward Nokes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1577; inst and subs. 4 Sept., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Belonging to the queen; it is worth 10l. Bred in the schools.

BEDFORD, St. Peter's—Master Robert Linford, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.  $[M.A.^1]$  S.T.B.

Bedford, St. John's—Master Robert Linford, master of the hospital; 8d. [M.A.<sup>1</sup>] S.T.B.

BEDFORD, St. Mary's—Sir Martin Adams, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BIDDENHAM—Sir Francis Applebie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 27 May, 1574; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CARDINGTONNE—Master Thomas Wattes, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln, 10 Apr., 1574] Chester, 6 Aug., 1576; he appeared at Lincoln; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

COPLE—Sir Roger Hodsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 Aug., 1570; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Christofer Church2; it is worth 20l. Bred in the schools.

Dunstable St. Paul's<sup>3</sup>—[blank].

DUNSTABLE ST. MARY AND ST. PETER'S3-[blank].

Dunstable St. Cuthbert's -- Master Thomas Yarwell'; ord. pr. as in Nuport Pannell; inst. and subs. 29 Apr., 1585; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. none. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Elmestowe—Sir John Stevens, [curate<sup>1</sup>] reader; tol. he has to exhibit. Goldington—Sir Oliver Roberte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 6 Oct., 5 1577; inst. and [blank6] 20 Jan., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t.—. B.A.

HOUGHTON CONQUEST—Master Thomas Page, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; i., plur. and t. he is sick and has to exhibit.

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Houghtonne Gildable—Sir Thomas Page, rector; i, and t, he is sick and has to exhibit.

MERTONNE—[blank]—absent.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>2</sup> Perhaps he was the appropriator.

3 These are churches in the town of Bedford. 'Dunstable St. Paul's' is probably the same as 'Bedford, St. Paul's 'above.

4 A clerical mistake for 'Yarrowe' (see p. 119; also L.R.S., ii, pp. 48, 85).

5 '9 April' in L.R.S., ii, p. 64.

<sup>6</sup> The space is probably left for the insertion of 'subscribed.'

Kempstonne—Sir Richard Wheler, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Apr., 1570; i. 8d. B.A.

WOTTONNE—Sir Richard Leverocke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lin-

coln, 7 Sept., 1581; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

WILLISHAMPSTED—Sir Thomas Aldrege, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher.

WILLITONNE—Sir W. Smyth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, as in St. Neot's<sup>1</sup>; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. none. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sum 12s. 8d.

Folio 45.

### CLOPHAM.

BLETTISHO—Sir W.<sup>2</sup> Orme, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 7
April, 1566; inst. and subs. 14 Nov., 1582; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.
Bred in the schools.

Bromhame—Sir Henry King, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1562; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., none; l.—. Bred in the schools.

CLOPHAME—Sir Thomas Grosse, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 20 Apr., 1567; Master Roe [appropriator]; it is worth 20l.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Carletonne—Sir Thomas Welles, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CHELLINGTONNE—Sir Thomas Welles, rector; dispensed 5 Dec., 1576; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 20 miles; t. —. Bred in the schools.

Fulmershame—Sir Edward Still, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 24 July, 1573; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. none; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Farnedishe—Master John Jonson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank];

i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

HAROLD—Sir Marmaduke Pullen, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and i. —. He is dead.

[blank], curate; o. 8d.

KNOTTINGE—Sir Robert Griffittes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 26 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; plur. none; i. he has to exhibit.

Sir Ralph Pyott, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Llandaff, 10 Sept., 1580; o. —; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

MILTON HARNYS—Sir Robert Suttonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Oct., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Appropriator, Master Francklin; it is worth 3ol. Bred in the schools.

OKELEY—Sir Henry Kinge, vicar; see for orders in Bromhame; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

ODELL—Master Edmund Buckley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. s.t.d.

Sir Richard Madocks; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 4 Oct., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

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Puddingtonne—Francis Woodmansey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1561; i. 8d.; Mr. Pane [appropriator]; it is worth 30l. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> See below, folio 52.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A mistake for 'John' (L.R.S., ii, p. 63; Comp., 24 Jan., 1582-3).

SHARNEBROKE—Sir Richard Cosin, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 6 Sept., 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

SULDROPP—Sir John Heminge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

19 Feb., 1563; i. 8d. 'Serving man.'

STEVENGTON—Sir Ralph Culchett, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Feb., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

STAGDON—Sir John Borowin, vicar; ord. pr. by [blank]; o. he has to

exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 'Draper.'

SHAKERSTONNE—[blank]—absent.

TURVIE—Sir Thomas Buccocke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

15 Apr., 1565; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

WYMINGTON—Sir George Chatterton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 15 Feb., 1561; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum 21s.  $4d.^2$ ; [therefrom] 2s.; there remains 19s.  $4d.^2$ 

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### DUNSTABLE.

BADESDONNE—Sir Michael Emoute, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Philadelphia, 2 Sept., 1543; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BARTONNE—Sir Samuel Fouks, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 13 June, 1571; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Cuddingtonne—Riceus Roberte, vicar; ord pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 28 Jan., 1575; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 14 Nov., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Chalgrave—Sir John Bellamey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blauk];

o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Dunstable—Sir James Tidie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Oct., 1572; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

EYTONNE—Master Jeremy Radclif, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]: inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 4 July, 1584, and subs.; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. It is worth by the year 6ol.; appropriator, Trinity College, Cambridge. s.T.B.

ESTBURY PREBEND [sic]—[blank].3

HOCKLYVE—Sir Lewis Price, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 10 Apr., 1546; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t 8d. Bred in the schools.

HOUGHTONNE REGIS—Sir George Midletonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp.

of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1564; i. 8d. B.A.

HIGHAM GOBEON—Walter Gyles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 29 June, 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LUTONNE—Master W. Horne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 22 Dec., 1566; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A mistake for Hemington (Reg. xxviii, fo. 114; P.D., 1590, no. 22; Comp., 23 July, 1566).

These amounts are too little by 2s.

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<sup>3 &#</sup>x27;Estbury' is probably a mistake for 'Eston' i.e., Easton in the deanery of Leightonstone, co. Huntingdon. The prebend referred to is Stow Longa [co. Huntingdon] in Lincoln Cathedral, and the confusion seems to have arisen from the fact that Stow Longa and Easton were often served by the same curate. Perhaps the curate appeared at the visitation of the deanery of Dunstable, which would account for the entry here. There is no entry for Stow Longa and Easton under the the head of the deanery of Leightonstone.

MILTONNE BRIANE—Master Thomas Collins, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Aug., 1567; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. M.A.

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Pottesgrave—Sir Henry Wattes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Canterbury, 1559; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Studham—Sir Francis Hodgkine, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester,

21 Sept., 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Bred in the schools. Sondon—Sir Mark Watte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

22 Apr., 1570; *i.* 8*d*. Bred in the schools.

STRETLEY—Sir W. Eame[s1], vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug., 1574; Harlington, flit<sup>2</sup>; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Totternall—Sir John Wade, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 19 Dec., 1556; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

TILLESWORTHE—Sir W. Caley, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 16 May, 1577; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Todington, first part—Master W. Sage, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 26 Nov., 1564; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

SECOND PART-| blank]. THIRD PART—[blank].

Whipsnade—Sir Alban Plumtrey, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 2 Apr., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WOBORNE—Master John Jonson, curate; ord. by the bp. of London, 2 Feb., 1568; donative. o. 8d. M.A.

Master Lawrence Prichard, schoolmaster; licensed by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Sept., 1582; licence 8d.

Sum 21s. 8d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 20s. 8d.

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### ETON.

BARFORD-Master John Clarke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, the last day of Feb., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Bolnhurst—Sir [Francis Forthwatte<sup>1</sup>] Edmund Battie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 26 Mar., 1558; o., i. and t.—absent. M.A. Sir John Taylor; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

Colmorth—Master Edward Moosley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 3 Apr., 1547; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Cayso—Sir Thomas Masonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 12 Mar., 1572; i. and t.—he is sick and has to exhibit.

Deane—Master John Dodd, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 23 May, 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

ETONNE—Master Peter White, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 17 April, 1557; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

MELCHBORNE—Sir Thomas Booker, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The reference is to Harlington in the deanery of Fleet (see below, folio 48).

PARTNALL—Sir Edmund [Dodd<sup>1</sup>] Todd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

ROXTONNE—Sir John Havericke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

19 Sept., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

RAVESDEN—Sir Edmund Leg, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 21 Sept., 1555; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

RISLEY—Sir John Tompsonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24

Dec., 1576; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

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RONALL—Sir Edmund Leg, vicar; see for orders in Ravensden vicarage; i. 8d.

STOUGHTON, LITTLE—Master Robert Condall, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Sir Anthony Lancaster, curate; ord pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 11 July, 1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

SHELTONNE—Master W. Beridge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; o. 8d.; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

THURLEY—Sir W. Forclif, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Sodor, 4 June, 1558; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

TILBROKE—Sir Robert Clappam, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Aug., 1569; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WILDOX—Sir Richard Worsley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 18 Mar., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

YELDONNE—Sir George Ridley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sum 19s.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 18s.

## FLETE.

Asplegise—Sir W. Stone, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Dover, 5 Feb., 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

AMPTILL—Sir Alexander Stockwell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Durham, 7 Mar., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 'Gentleman.'

CRAWLEY—Sir Richard Harvey, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 Mar., 1568; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Appropriated; it is worth 20l. in the schools.

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CLOPHULL—Sir John Broune, rector: ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 12 May, 1570; i. 8d.

Cranfeld—Master W. Absolon, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 19 Oct., 1572; i. and t.—absent. M.A.

Sir Edmund Shawe, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 6 Mar., 1568; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

EVERSHOLTE—Sir John Gibson, rector; ord. pr by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed preacher.

FLITWICKE—Sir Ralph Bates, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8

June, 1566; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. FLITTONNE—Sir Thomas Faulee, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

Gravenhurst—Sir John Kitcheuere, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 Nov., 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. schools.

HAWNES—Sir W. Burrell, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Thedford, 29 Nov., 1576; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HARLINGTONNE—Sir W. Eames,2 vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Aug, 1574; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HULCOTE—Master Richard Parker, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Sept., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; plur. 3s. M.A. Licensed preacher.

LITLINGTONNE—Sir Nicholas Parson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Mar., 1576; sequestrator by the archbp. of Canterbury, 5 Aug., 1584; o. 8d.; sequestration 8d. Bred in the schools.

MALDEN-Master Edmund Hewett, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Winchester, 12 June, 1557; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 30 miles; t. 8d. B.A.

Marston—Master Edward Snag, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. —; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

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Melbroke— $[Sir^1]$  Master Edmund Hewett, rector; see for orders in Malden; i. 8d.

Sir [blank], curate.

POLLOXHILL—Sir John Collins, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Oct., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Appropriator, Thomas [B...<sup>3</sup>]; it is worth 201. 'Senescall.'

RICHMOND cum Segnowe—Sir Humphrey Hewett, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 19 Dec., 1574; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

SALFORD—Sir Michael Lem, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 27 Mar., 1578; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 23 Apr., 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d Bred in the schools.

STEPINGLEY—Sir Edward Sutton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 25 Mar., 1562; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

TINGRIEF—Master Paul Gother, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Mar., 1576; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

WESTONINGE—Sir Robert Highid, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Sept., 1571; i. 8d. Appropriator, [Lady Sawnders<sup>1</sup>] Ralph A[ston?], esq.; it is worth 70l. Merchant (mercartor[sic]). Sum 29s. 4d.; therefrom 2s.; there remains 27s. 4d.

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### SHEFFORDE.

ASTWICKE—Sir Henry Moodie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Arlesby—Sir Charles Bronne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. 8d. Gentleman.

<sup>3</sup> Illegible.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Eame' (see page 128; also L.R.S., ii, pp. 59, 84).

Blunham—Master Thomas Nortonne, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

BARKFORD-Master Leonard Nitingale, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 23 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; l. 8d. M.A.

CAMPTONNE—Sir Fitz Harris,2 rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; i. 8d. Gentleman.

CLIFTONNE-Master John Snell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwige, 13 Mar., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

COCKINGHATLEY—Sir Nicholas Risley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 July, 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

DUNTON-Master Jeremiah Darnell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 21 Oct., 1580; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

EYWORTH—Sir Robert Darnell, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Jan., 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

EDWORTH—Master Robert Condall, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of  $\lceil blank \rceil$ ; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

HENLOWE—Master John Morgane, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] London, 25 Apr., 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; Appropriator, the queen; it is worth 50l. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Hartley—Sir Nicholas Risley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 July, 1575; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Holwell—Sir John Henlowe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Ely, 7]April, 15801 London, 20 Dec., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

LANGFORD—Master Henry Howe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Dec., 1584; inst. and subs. 1 Jan., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Appropriator, Master Winch; it is worth 50l. M.A.

MEPERSALL—Sir [Robert<sup>1</sup>] Richard Renier, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

NORTHILL—Sir Anthony Hogkett, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Winchester, 25 May, 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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POTTONNE—Master John Clarke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 7 May, 1573; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

SHILLINGTONNE—Master W. Boocher, vicar; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Dover, I Dec., 1550; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A.

Southill—Master John Abies, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; proxy 2s.; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit.

Stotfold—Master Philip Manfeld, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

5 Nov., 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Suttonne—Master James Bill, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Oct., 1570; o. 8d.; i. 8d. [M.A.<sup>1</sup>] S.T.B.

SONDIE—Master Thomas Nooke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, I Feb., 1561; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., 22 miles; t. he has to exhibit.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The christian name has been omitted. He is called Robert Fitzhenry in Reg. xxviii, fo. 80; P.D. 1586, no. 38; and Robert Fitz Harry in Comp., 12 June, 1567.

Called 'Butcher' in L.R.S., ii, p. 59.

Stondon—Sir John Adingsall, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t.—absent.

TEMESFORD—Master Thomas Nooke, rector; see for orders in Sondie<sup>3</sup>; i. 8d.

Sir [Thomas] William Clarke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 Apr., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. [B.A.]. M.A.

WARDEN—Sir George Ditche, curate; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Thetford, 8 Feb., 1562; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

Wrastlingworth—Sir David Price, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 Apr., 1568; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

Gravenhurst, Upper—Sir Edward Smyth, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 7 Mar., 1567; o. —; a. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

Sum 27s. 8d.; therefrom 20d.; there remains 26s.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Called 'Odingzell' in L.R.S., ii, p. 59. <sup>3</sup> See p. 131.

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#### BARKEHAMSTED [co. HERTFORD].

ALDENHAME—Sir Thomas Bartilmewe, vicar; ord. pr. by [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d. Monk.

Alburie—Master Matthias Watte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

BOVINGTONNE—Sir Thomas Wilcox, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of

[blank]; o. and a.—absent.
BARKHAMSTED PETER'S—Master Nicholas Claytonne, rector; ord. by the bp. of Coventry, 19 Sept., 1556; inst. and subs. 262 July, 1579; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 3 Apr., 1575; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation, he has to exhibit; t. 8d. s.t.b.

BARKHAMSTED MARY'S-Master John Bullocke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and i. he has to exhibit. s.T.B.

FLAMSTED—Sir Firmian Adams, curate; ord.  $[pr.^{1}]$  deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1560<sup>3</sup>; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

FLAUNDEN—Master [blank] Kitchiuer, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. and a.—absent.

Gaddesden Magna—Sir Leonard Stepneth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 13 Apr., 1561; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GADDESDEN PARVA—Sir Thomas Windesor, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, on the feast of St. Andrew, 1565; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit at the feast of All Saints. Bred in the schools.

HARPEDEN—Sir Mark Stubbinge, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Oct., 1583; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HEMILHAMPSTED—Master Richard Gawtonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwige, 1 Apr., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

KENESWORTH—Sir Leonard Tuke, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Oct., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LANGLEY—Sir W. Coo, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d.; t he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

LONGMERSTONNE—Sir John Facer, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 3 Sept., 1574; o. and a.—absent.

NORTHMYMS—Sir Henry Peckhame, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Peterborough, 14 April, 1575<sup>1</sup>] London, 25 Mar., 1578; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> '27 July in the record of institution (L.R.S., ii., p. 70).
<sup>3</sup> Or possibly '1564.'

<sup>4</sup> Perhaps James Kerchever of Peterhouse, Cambridge, who proceeded B.A. in the spring of the year 1585-6 (Venn & Venn, The Book of Matriculations and Degrees, p. 398). This date is later than the Liber, and it is difficult to explain why Kitchiuer is styled " master."

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PUTTENHAM—Sir John Fisher, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 27 Oct., 1561; proxy 4s. 8d.; t. 8d.

Sir Michael Alexander, ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 30 Mar.,

1572; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'Singinge man.'

Shenley—Master W. Armitage, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 9 Apr., 1584; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

TRINGE—Sir Thomas Norfolke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 3 Sept., 1574; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

WHETHAMSTED—Master Nicholas Tooke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Bath, 13 Mar., 1561; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sir Stephen Cockinge, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Carlisle, 21 Feb., 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher. Bred in the schools.

WIGGINTON—Sir W. Wilkinsonne, curate; tolcration—absent.

Sum 29s.; therefrom 3s. 8d.; there remains 25s. 4d.

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#### BALDOCKE [co. HERTFORD].

Ashwell—Master W. Dakins, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 15 May, 1552; i. —. M.A. Licensed preacher.

ASHTONNE—Master W. Butler, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 13 Dec., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

ASPEDON—Sir Ralph Tomlin, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 July, 1574; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Baldocke—Sir W. Chatborne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Beningtonne—Sir W. Midletonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BIGRAVE—Master John Stearne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, II Jan., 1573; plur. 3s., the fee paid, but he has to exhibit; t. 8d.; i. 8d. s.t.b.

Sir Nicholas Whittle, curate; o. and a. none.

CLOTHALL—Master W. Lucas, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 7 Sept., 1569; proxy, i., plur. without limitation, and t. 9s. 8d. in all.

Master Christopher Goffe, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

CALCOTE—Sir Robert Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 [blank], 1565; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

CODERITH—Master Thomas Bushe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lin-

coln, 13 Feb., 1581; i. 8d.; i. 8d. M.A.

HINCKESWORTH—Sir John Mickle, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 7 Jan., 1573; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Kellishull—Master Edward Franckline, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 15 Apr., 1576; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

Mundon, Great—Sir W. Curlewes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Canterbury, 9 Apr., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Mundon, Little—Sir Humphrey Wulstenholme, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 30 May, 1545; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

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RADWELL—Master Richard Parker; see for orders in Hulcote<sup>2</sup>; inst. and subs. 28 Aug., 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher. Rushdox—Sir James Kinge, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19

Sept., 1563; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.
SANDON—Master W. Cox, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 30 Nov., 1579; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 23 Oct., 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

Throckinge—Sir Roland Heringg, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 21 Dec., 1571; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

THERFIELD—Master W. Chapman, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Oct., 1562; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 13 Oct., 1572; plur. 3s., without limitation; i. 8d.; qualification 8d.; he paid the fee, but has to exhibit; t. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher.

Sir John Ellertonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 1 Nov.,

1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A. WOLCORNE—Sir Edward Howe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 7 July, 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WILLEN-Sir John Philipps, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. 'Serving man.'

Wallington—Master Henry Leddysham, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he exhibited for the curate and he has to exhibit [for himself] (cx' cu' ct ha' ad ex'). S.T.D.

Sir Richard Sawyer, curate; o. and a.—absent.

WESTONNE—Sir John Beesbrowne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Westmill—Sir Thomas Chambers, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

Sir James Crofte, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 26 May, 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Yardley—Sir Robert Tottersall, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank], 17 Mar., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sum 42s. 4d.; therefrom 4s. 4d.; there remains 38s.

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## HARTFORD [co. HERTFORD].

AIOTT LAWRENCE'S—Sir Thomas Porter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [Lincoln<sup>1</sup>] Peterborough, 9 Apr., 1571; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

AIOTT PETER's—Sir John Bussie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 29 Sept., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BARKHAMPSTED, LITTLE—Sir Rolland Hewes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Jan., 1571; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Licensed preacher. Bred in the schools.

BARFORD—Master Nicholas Took, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t.—absent.

Sir W. Hewes, curate; ord. by the bp. of Gloucester, 3 Mar., 1582; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See page 130.

Bramefeld—Master Richard Stones, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Oct., 1580; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher. Bengeo—Sir Richard Halie, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8

Apr., 1562; i. 8d. [Bred in the schools<sup>1</sup>]. 'Serving man.'

DAXWORTH—Sir Thomas Rud, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 17 [blank], 1570; proxy 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.

Dixwell—Sir [Thomas1] John Metreuers, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

[blank]; o., i. and i.—absent.

Essinden—Master Nicholas Tooke, rector; see for orders in Barford<sup>2</sup>; proxy 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s. Bred in the schools.

HATFELD—Sir Robert Abbott, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 June, 1582; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 29 Oct., 1584, and

subs.; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

HARTINGFORDBERIE—Master John Shurfield, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 25 Nov., 1578; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury, 9 July, 1584; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

HARTFORD, NICHOLAS'—Master Thomas Fell, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, I Dec., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; tlur. —. M.A.

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HARTFORD, ANDREW'S—Master Thomas Fell, rector; see for orders in

Hartford Nicholas'; it is united to St. Nicholas. Hartford, All Saints'—Sir Thomas Noble, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Jan., 1582; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

STAPLEFORD—Sir John Stuke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 6 Oct., 1577; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

SACOMBE—Sir Richard Wood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 15 Apr., 1576; proxy 4s. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.; t. he has to exhibit. Sir Francis Stones, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 16 Apr.,

1585; v. 8d; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

TUYNGE-Master Thomas Mownford, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Jan., 1571; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 20 Jan., 1584; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s., 20 miles. S.T.B.

WATTONNE—Master Robert Porter, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed

Welwine-Master George Lewes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Apr., 1570; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Licensed preacher.

TOTTRIGE—Sir Ralph North, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Canterbury, 10 Mar., 1559; proxy and o. 2s. 6d.; a. he has to exhibit. Sum 44s. 10d.; [therefrom] 8s. 3d.; there remains 36s. 7d.

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## HITCHIN [co. HERTFORD].

Graveley—Master Benedict Quarles, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 15 May, 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

HITCHINE—Master Richard Chambers, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, on the feast of All Saints, 1575; i. 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 135.

ICLESFORD—Sir John Butterfield, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 16 Apr., 1568; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

IPOLLITY—Sir John Stretton, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank], 8 June, 1566; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

KYMPTONNE—Sir James Aldred, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 26 Nov., 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Knebworth—Sir [Richard<sup>1</sup>] Robert Hodgkyns, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 4 June, 1558; i. 8d.; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

LILLIE—Master John Potkins, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 22 Jan., 1571; i. 8d. Licensed preacher. Bred in the schools.

LECHEWORTH—Master Henry Hamond, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 21 Sept., 1570; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 7 Nov., 1583; qualified by the lord bp. of London, 5 Oct., 1583; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit; plur. 3s., 30 miles; qualification 8d. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Offley-Sir Roger Henlie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 2 July, 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

PIERTONNE—Sir John Dune, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 16 Apr., 1585; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. B.A.

STEVENAGE—Master Robert Pattenson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 6 Sept., 1576; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

WYMLEY, GREAT—Master Nicholas Craven, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Rochester, 25 June, 1584; inst. and subs. 15 June, 1583; o. 8d.;

i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

WYMLEY PARVA—Sir [James Stones<sup>1</sup>] Nicholas Whittle, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 10 Sept., 1576; o. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WALDEN, KING'S—Sir Thomas Richardson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 3 June, 1571; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sum 15s. 8d.; therefrom 12d.; there remains 14s. 8d.

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## LEIGHTONSTON [co. HUNTINGDON].

AWCONBURIE—Master Richard Williams, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 14 Dec., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Licensed

BRYNCKTON—Master Ambrose Dorrington, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. (without limitation) and t. 5s. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Sir Thomas Clappam, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 4 Mar., 1581; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

BUCKWORTH—Sir John Cooksonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1583; inst. and subs. 30 June, 1583; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BITHORNE—Sir George Watsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Apr., 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Altered from 'Hodgsonne.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 'July' in the record of institution (L.R.S., ii, p. 72).

COVINGTON—Sir John Mounton, rector; ord. pr. by the suffragan bp. of Kildare (Dariensis<sup>2</sup>) 19 Sept., 1534; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Sir Robert Clarke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 16 Oct., 1584; o. and a. —. B.A.

CATWORTHE-Master John Alwood, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., t. and proxy 6s. 8d. B.A.

Sir Henry Bacon, curate; ord.  $[pr^{1}]$  deacon by the bp. of Coventry,

10 Feb., 1576; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

COPMANSFORD—Sir Richard More, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Sodor, 11 Mar., 1535; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Sir George Prestland, curate; ord. [deacon1] pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,  $[28 \text{ Mar.}, 1580^1]$  2 May,  $1580^3$ ; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

ELLINGTON—Master Thomas Nutte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 23 Sept., 1575; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

GRAFFAME—Master Samuel Hunte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 20 Nov., 1564; inst. and subs. 15 Jan., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

GIDDINGE, LITTLE—Sir Thomas Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 31 Mar., 1577; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

GIDDINGE, GREAT—Sir Edward Higbie, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 31 Aug., 1579; inst. and subs. 2 Oct., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HAMERTONNE-Master Anthony Elcocke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 31 Jan., 1579; inst. and subs. 12 Mar., 1579; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

KYMBALTONNE—Master Thomas Dawsonne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 8 Apr., 1584; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

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KEVESTONNE—Master W. Bate, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 9 Feb., 1571; dispensed by the archbp. of Canterbury, 4 Nov., 1583; qualified by the earl of Essex, 5 Nov., 21 Eliz. [A.D. 1579]; qualification, o., i., t. proxy, and plur., without limitation, 10s. 4d. M.A.

Sir W. Fox, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Coventry, 29 Sept., 1581; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Mollesworthe—Master Thomas Stevens, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Feb., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

OLDWESTONNE—Sir Thomas Clappam, curate; see for orders in Brinckton<sup>4</sup>; a. he has to exhibit.

SWINSHED—Master Laurence Sanders, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 24 June, 1567; i. 8d. B.A.

STEPLEGIDDINGE—Sir Henry Beridge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 4 Mar., 1570; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The correct form is *Darensis*. Derry would be *Darrhiensis* or *Derensis*. William Barnett, bishop of Kildare, was a suffragan of York, 1530, 1533, 1535 (Stubbs, Registrum Sacrum Anglicanum, 2nd. ed., p. 206; L.R.S., ii, pp. 179, 221).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> A mistake for 1581 (*L.R.S.*, ii, p. 93).

<sup>4</sup> See page 137.

THURNINGE—Sir John Worsley, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 16 Apr., 1568; i. 8d. B.A. Licensed preacher.

WYNWICKE—Sir [George Beamonte<sup>1</sup>] Richard Pyrce, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 18 Dec., 1579; inst. and subs. 8 June, 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. BA.

Wolley—Sir Anthony Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit; the fee has been paid, 2s. Bred in the schools.

Sum 46s. 8d.; therefrom 4s. 8d.; there remains 42s.

Folio 54d.

## ST. IVES [co. HUNTINGDON].

Blunshame—Master John Parker, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; proxy, o., i., plur, and t., in all gs. 8d. s.t.b.

Master Thomas Heron, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 11 Mar., 1581; o. and a. —. M.A. Licensed preacher.

Broughtonne—Master Thomas Younge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, I Apr., 1571; v. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. [M.A. Licensed preacher<sup>3</sup>].

BERRIE—Sir Robert Braie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 16 Apr., 1568; o. 8d.; a. 8d. [Serving man<sup>3</sup>].

HOUGHTONNE—Master Thomas Lilliarte; ord. pr. by the bp. of Salisbury, 18 Aug., 1560; i. 8d.; plur., without limitation, 3s. [? M.A.3]

HARFORD—Sir Christopher Key, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 June, 1566; i. 8d.; plur. none. 'Serving man.'

Hollewell—Master Bartilmew Chamberlaine, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit; the fee has been paid, 5s.

Sir George Cooke, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 3 June, 1583; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

RAVELEY—Sir Thomas Curties, [rector<sup>1</sup>] reader; tol. —. Bred in the

RIPTONNE REGIS—Sir W. Amber, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 20 Sept., 1561; i.—. Bred in the schools. RAMSIE—Sir Robert Cox, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 22 Sept., 1574; o. 8d.; a. 8d.

RIPTONNE ABBATS—Master Thomas Smythe, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 24 Oct., 1578; i. 8d.; plur. he has to exhibit; t. 8d.

Sir John Morris, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Bangor, 28 July, 1583; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Somersham—Master Andrew Pearne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., plur., i. and t. 9s. 8d.4 St.D.

Sir Thomas Robotham, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 25 May, 1567; o. and a. he has to exhibit. Stipend 10l. Bred in the schools.

St. Ives—Sir Maurice Burnell, vicar; ord. pr. by [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Pearse' in L.R.S., ii, p. 92.

The margin of the leaf is damaged and the reading is doubtful.
This amount evidently includes 4s. 8d., the fee for appearing by a proctor.

STUKELEY, GREAT—Master [Nicholas Gedney<sup>1</sup>] Christopher Lewis, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 5 Feb., 1577; inst. and subs. 13 July, 1585; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. M.A.

STUKELEY, LITTLE—Master W. Hall,2 rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. and subs. 24 July, 1581; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.;

*t.* 8*d.* s.T.B.

Sir Edward Swindell, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 31

Aug., 1567; o. and a. none.

Warboies—Master Francis Doringtonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit by Master Kent. s.T.D.

WISTOWE—Master Stephen Wakefeld, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of

Lincoln, 8 Apr., 1562; i. 8d. Licensed preacher.

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COLME—Sir William Broune, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of York, 10 Mar., 1574; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

OLDHURSTE—Sir John Brett, curate; o. and a. none.

PIDLIE—Sir W. Poulter, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 1 Dec., 1573; o. 8d.; a. 8d. Bred in the schools.

UPWOODE—Sir Edward Makernest, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 30 Nov., 1565; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Stipend 8l. [Bred in the schools1]. B.A.

WOODHURST—Sir John Brett, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough,

22 Sept., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. 'A webster.' Holme—Sir [Thomas Herd<sup>1</sup>] Simon Marrett, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, [11 May, 1581] 28 Sept., 1577; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

Sum 48s.; therefrom 8s.; there remains 40s.

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## ST. NEOTS [co. HUNTINGDON].

AYNESBERIE—Master Richard Joanes, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; proxy 4s. 8d.; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit. S.T.D.

Sir William Parrie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of St. Asaph, 25 Apr., 1582; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Abbottesley—Sir John Aspenall, vicar; ord. by the bp. of Lincoln, 9 Mar., 1565; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Dodingtonne—Sir Henry Mariatte, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 26 Sept., 1572; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

EVERTONNE—Sir Thomas Ruddierd, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

FENYSTANTON—Sir Robert Palmer, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 15 Apr., 1566; i. and t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools. Licensed preacher.

GOMONCHESTER—Master Ambrose Dorrington, vicar; see for orders in Brinckton<sup>3</sup>; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.* M.A.

<sup>3</sup> See p. 137.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Halls' in L. R. S., ii, p. 71; and Comp., 28 July, 1581.

Sir Edward Andrewe, curate; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

GRAVENSDER, GREAT—Sir W. Harrisonne, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 14 Sept., 1544; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

HILTONNE-Sir Robert Palmer, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 19 Dec., 1572; o. and a. —.

HEMINGFORD ABBATS—Master Arthur Yelderd, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of  $[Lincoln^1]$  [blank]; proxy 4s. 8d.; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit by Mr Kent. s.T.D.

Master<sup>2</sup> Christopher Lewes, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln,

5 Feb., 1577; o. and a. none.

HEMINGFORD GRAIE—Sir James Roo, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Oct., 1578; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

HAILEWESTONNE—Sir Matthias Saunderson, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 26 May, 1583; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

OFFORD CLUNY—Master John [Atkin<sup>1</sup>] Atkinson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Mar., 1575; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A. Licensed preacher.

OFFORD DARCY—Sir Marmaduke Fulnetbie, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 23 Oct., 1573; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.8 Sir Marmaduke Fulnetby, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peter-

borough, 23 Oct., 1573; o. and a. —. PAXTON, GREAT—Sir W. Walp[ole<sup>4</sup>], vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Dec., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

PAXTON, LITTLE—Sir Humphrey Wildine, curate; o. and a. none.

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Southo-Master Henry Ince, vicar: ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur and t. he has to exhibit.

Sir Matthias Saunderson, curate; o. and a. none.

STOUGHTON, LITTLE—none.

St. Neots-Master W. Smyth, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 16 Oct., 1579; inst. and subs. 2 June, 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.

STOUGHTON, GREAT—Sir Robert Skofeld, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of  $\lceil blank \rceil$ ; o., i., plur. and t.—it is vacant.<sup>5</sup>

Toseland—Sir Humphrey Wilden, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i. and t.—absent.

Sir John Birchall, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit.

WYRESLEY—Sir George Hall, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 29 Mar., 1561; i. 8d. 'Parishe clarke.'

Yelinge—Master John Tayler, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit; proxy 4s. 8d.

<sup>2</sup> Corrected from 'Sir.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>3</sup> This entry has been made by another hand. The following entry is probably the original entry, and the fact that it is a little lower down the page than the name of the parish, which thus has a blank space opposite to it, probably led to its being overlooked and repeated when, at a later date, it was necessary to record that the clerk had paid 8d.

There is a hole in the leaf. See above, p. 57.
5 I.e. the benefice was vacant. Another clerk, Thomas Wilson, compounded for the firstfruits, 18 Oct., 1585 (Comp.).

Sir John Robothome, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Chester, 3 Mar., 1576; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. Stipend 9l. Bred in the schools.

Sum 31s. 4d.; therefrom 5s. 4d.; there remains 26s.

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## YAXLEY [co. HUNTINGDON].

ALWALTONNE—Master John Bill, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 22 Nov., 1580; i. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Sir W. Acrod, curate; o. and a. —.

AILESTONE—Master W. Dickonson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 19 Apr., 1564; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

BOTILBRIGE—Sir Nicholas Chesilden, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. 8d. 'A parishe clarke.'

CHESTERTONNE—Master Baldwine Esdale, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of London, 12 June, 1569; i. 8d.; plur. 3s., without limitation; i. he has to exhibit. s.t.b.

CALCOTE—Sir John Hunte, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 22 Sept., 1571; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

Conington—Master W. Roo, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; proxy 4s. 8d.; o., i., plur. and t. he has to exhibit. M.A.

Master W. Garfeld, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar.,

1583; o. 8d.; a. he has to exhibit. M.A.

DENTONNE—Sir Bartholomew Linton alias Clarke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; i. 8d.; l. 8d. Attorney (atternat').

FLECTONNE—Sir W. Booker, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Monk.

FOLKESWORTH—Sir Clement Cooke, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

GLATTONNE—Sir Alexander Wuttonne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 10 May, 1578; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

HOLME—Sir Simon Mariatt, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 28 Sept., 1567; o. and a. none.

Haddonne—Master W. Bolinge, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 17 Aug., 1571; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit. B.A. Licensed preacher.

MORBORNE RECTORY—Sir [Robert Townescud—he is dead<sup>1</sup>] Henry Forrest; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 May, 1585; inst. and subs. 26 May; o. 8d.: i. 8d.; l. 8d.—B.A.

Sir Nicholas Browne, curate; ord. pr. by the bp. of Norwich, 5 May, 1577; o. 8d.; d. he has to exhibit.

OVERTON WATERVILE—Master Baldwin Esdale, rector; see for orders in Chesterton; i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

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OVERTONNE LONGVILE—Sir Dennis Warde, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 7 Feb., 1560; i. 8d. Bred in the schools.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out. See L.R.S., ii, p. 329 and note 3.

STAINGROUND—Sir W. Longe, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 29 July, 1565; i. 8d.; l. he has to exhibit. Bred in the schools.

STEPINGTON—Master Thomas Smyth, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Ely, 23 Mar., 1566; i. 8d.; t. 8d. s.t.b.

STILTONNE—Sir Peter Abithorne, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d. 'Merchant.'

Sir Thomas Lenton, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of SAWTRE BANIES Lincoln, 27 July, 1560; i. 8d.; plur. and t. he has to exhibit. He is sick. Bred in the schools.

SAWTRE MOIGNES ) i. 8d.; t. he has to exhibit.

Wodestonne—Sir Ralph Bent, rector; ord. pr. by [blank]; he has capacity, dated 4 Dec., 1538; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Monk.

WATERNEWTONNE—Master Samuel Willingam, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Peterborough, 4 Mar., 1579; i. 8d.; t. 8d. B.A.

WOODWALTONNE—Sir Robert Hutchinson, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 26 Mar., 1558; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

WHASSHINGLEY—[blank]—absent.

YAXLEY—Sir John Savage, vicar; ord. pr. by the bp. of Gloucester, 29 Mar., 1575; inst. and subs. 28 Oct., 1583; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. Bred in the schools.

Sum 29s. 8d.; therefrom 2s. 4d.; there remains 27s. 4d.

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#### HUNTINGDON.

St. Mary's—Sir Christopher Key, vicar; see for orders in Hartford<sup>1</sup>; i. he has to exhibit.

St. Benedict's—Sir W. Garland, curate; tol.—absent.

St. John's—Sir Thomas Wolf, curate; o. and a. he has to exhibit.

ALL SAINTS'—Sir Thomas Wolf, rector; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 19 Sept., 1560; *i.* he has to exhibit.

St. Andrew's—Sir Thomas Wolf, warden (custos), sequestrator; sequeslration he has to exhibit.

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## [PLURALITIES.]

Wallescrofte—Robert Hanson, vicar of Reason Drax, of which the fruits [? do not exceed<sup>8</sup>] the sum of eight pounds a year, obtained a plurality, dated xx[vi Elizabeth<sup>8</sup>], 23 November, 1584, to possess the said vicarage and a church [of which<sup>8</sup>] the fruit does not exceed 81. a year, and etc.; and, being without one of the two (sine alterutro4), [one other3], within twenty miles.

LOVEDEN—John Barefote, 5 s.t.p., obtained from [the lord John 8] archbishop of Canterbury a plurality to possess two ecclesiastical bene-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 139. <sup>2</sup> See page 92.

<sup>3</sup> The right hand corner of the leaf has perished.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> A somewhat ellipticall expression signifying the vacating of one of the two benefices. The usual phrase was 'Ut alterutrum dictorum beneficiorum, quando tibi opportunum videbitur, dimittere, ac loco illius sic dimisi unum aliud quodcumque beneficium similiter recipere, libere et licite, valeas.'

5 See p. 68.

fices, which are not in any wise more than thirty miles distant from each other; 17 March, [15841] A.D. 1585; it is confirmed 29 April, 1585.

MANLACKE—Richard Jaques, clerk, B.A., obtained from Edmund archbishop of Canterbury a grace to possess the church of Ashen *alias* Esse in the diocese of London and the rectory of Althorp in the diocese of Lincoln and, being without one of the two (sine alterntro<sup>3</sup>), only one other, being not more than twenty miles distant from each other, on the condition of preaching in each of them thirteen sermons yearly, and that he shall exercise in them hospitality for two months every year. Dated 10 June, 1572<sup>4</sup>; confirmed by the lady, queen Elizabeth, 2 July, in the twenty-fourth year of her reign [A.D. 1582]; qualified by Edmund lord Sheffeld, 16 May, 1582.

LOVEDEN—Richard Laing<sup>5</sup> obtained from John archbishop of Canterbury a dispensation to possess the vicarage of Hogh, and with it any other benefice whatsoever, being not more than twenty miles distant from each other; and, being without one of the two (sine alterntro<sup>8</sup>), one other, being not more than the above-mentioned distance, with a monition that he shall in each of them have sixteen sermons, and exercise hospitality for two months. Dated 12 May, 1584; confirmed by the lady the queen, 14 May, 1584; qualified by Edward Fynes, knight of the order of the garter, lord Clynton, earl of Lincoln, etc., 9 May, 1584.

HILL—William Simons, 6 clerk, M.A., obtained from John archbishop of Canterbury [a dispensation] to possess the church of Langton by Partney and one other, being not more than twenty miles distant from each other; and, being without one of the two (sinc alterutro<sup>8</sup>), only one other, distant as above; with a monition that in each church as above. Dated 6 July, 1585; confirmed by the lady the queen, 9 July, 1585; and qualified by Sir Peregrine Willughbie, lord Willughby of Willughby and Eresby, etc.

Folios 58d.—60d. [blank].

Folios 61—66d. [collated with the earlier part of the manuscript; see Introduction].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out; but 1584 (i.e. 1584-5) is probably right. Possibly the confusion has been caused by the confirmation falling in the next year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See page 97.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> A somewhat ellipticall expression signifying the vacating of one of the two benefices. The usual phrase was 'Ut alterutrum dictorum beneficiorum, quando tibi opportunum videbitur, dimittere, ac loco illius sic dimisi unum aliud quodcumque beneficium similiter recipere, libere et licite, valeas.'

<sup>4</sup> An obvious mistake for 1582.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> See page 68.

<sup>6</sup> See page 79.

# [SUBSIDY OF ARMOUR, A.D. 1590]

Cover.

#### ACTA CURIE

Inside of cover. [Writing of the eleventh or twelfth century, much faded, and mostly illegible.]

Folio 1.

# The Armor and Warlike Furnitur

PROUIDED BY THE

## Clergie Within the Diocesse of Lincoln

[MUNIMENT ROOM OF THE DEAN AND CHAPTER OF LINCOLN, MS. A, 2, 10.]

#### ECCLESIA CATHEDRALIS LINCOLNIENSIS

Mr Radulphus Gryffyne, Decanus	a Launce.
Mr Dr [Johannes] Barefoote, Archidiaconus	a Launce.
Mr Dr [Johannes] Robinsonn	a La:
Mr Gregorius Garthe	a La:

#### CHUITAS LINCOLNIENSIS

Marie Magdalene rectoria—Christopherus Digles	a Petro:
Sancte Marie vicaria—Jo: Hoarde	a Bowe.

#### COMITATUS LINCOLNIENSIS

#### GRAFFOE DECANATUS

Bassingham rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Vaux	a Lighte horse.
Thorpe rectoria—Mr [Ezechielis] Tailer	Qua:
Northscarle rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Griffynne	a Petronell.
Awburghe vicaria—Mr [Alexander] Gee	a Bill.
Norton Disney vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Wilsonn	a Bill.
Swynderbye vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Caperne	a Din.
Boltham vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Devyas	a Bowe.
Carletonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Kellitt	a Bowe.
Doddingtonn rectoria—Mr [Radulphus] Bethell	a Bowe.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The items enumerated are lances, light horses, petronels (i.e. large pistols used especially by horsemen), muskets. corslets, calivers (i.e. light muskets or harquebuses), bows, bills and halberds.

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#### LONGOBOBYE DECANATUS

LUNGUBUBTI	DECANATOS	
Brauncetonn rectoria—Mr [Johanne Navenbye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus Waddingtonn rectoria—Mr [Alexar Hanworthe rectoria—Mr [Riceus] Ellanckney rectoria—Mr [Riceus] Ellanckney rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Gramel Welborne rectoria—Mr [Franciscus Boothbye rectoria—Mr [Richardus Billingaye vicaria—Mr [Radulphus Norton vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Ellancetone vicaria—Mr [Constantin Colbye vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Laskynande rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Folio 1d.	] Pore ider] Southiack Bedforde   Banes   Bammon s] Trigge ] Holdesworthe ] Palfreman brooke Ston us] Harrisonn ange Nelsonn	a Lighte horse. a Qua: a Qualiter. a Qualiter. a Muskett. a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe.
Scopewicke vicaria—Mr [Hugo] B		a Bowe.
Metheringham vicaria—Mr [Robert	tus] Walker	a Bill.
LAFFORDE	DECANATUS	
Burtonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] I Lessingham borealis rectoria—Mr [Ingosbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Aswarbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Asgarbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Howell rectoria—Mr [Carolus] Wheckingtonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas Lessingham australis rectoria—Mr Sylkwilloughbye rectoria—Mr [Hu Ashbye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Sch Eveden rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Hoale vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Bro Kirkbye dionisii, rectoria—Mr [Hu Rowston—Mr [Franciscus] Beristo Raucebye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Scredingtonn vicaria—Mr [Henricus Anwicke vicaria—Mr [Johannes] I Awnesbye rectoria—Mr [Franciscus Dygbye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Pa Durringtonn vicaria—Mr [Radulph Helpringham vicaria—Mr [Radulph Helpringham vicaria—Mr [Rober Ruskyngtonn vicaria—Mr [Rober Ruskyngtonn vicaria—Mr [Willelm Swarbye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Bo	Georgius] Cockett ffisher Carre Garstonn neldale ] Moreley [Thomas] Noke go] Tuke ochie Glenne wne go] Devyas ord, vicarius Talbote lus] Rotchford   Holdesworthe cillingtonn s] Somersall dfreman us] Bowyer ( s] Larke ( tus] Hitchcocke cus] Willerton (	a Bill. a Petro; a Cor: a Qua: a Mu: a Bowe. a Bill.
Folio 2.	DECANATUS	

## LOVEDEN DECANATUS

Caythrope rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] Babingtonn Lednam rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Lange

a Muskett. a Lighte Horse.

<sup>1</sup> A mistake for 'Nocton'.

Claypoll australis rectoria—Mr [Martinus] Crosfeilde	a Petro:
Benningtonn vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Bromheade	a Corslett.
Hougham cum Merston rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Nelsonn	a Cor:
Claypoll borealis rectoria—Thomas Townerowe	a Mu:
Carletonn scroope rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Pointell	a Qua:
Normanton rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Warner	a Muskett.
Stubtonn rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Brownley	a Qua:
Ancaster vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Gace	a Qua:

#### GRAUNTHAM DECANATUS

Beltonn rectoria—Mr [[ohannes] Perte <sup>1</sup>	a La:
Harlaxstonn rectoria—Mr [Radulphus] Caluerley	a La:
Grauntham vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Brian	a Qua:
Barkeston rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Battye	a Qua:
Barroughbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Kynge	a Cor:
Dentonn rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Whiteheade	a Mu:
Hayder vicaria—Mr [Leonardus] Towen	a Mu:
Boothbye pannell rectoria—Mr [Ambrosius] Ward	a Qua:
Paunton magna rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Welbye	a Qua:
Roppesley rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Askewe	a Qua:
Sedgbrooke diaconatus—Mr [Willelmus] Markham	a Qua:
Somerbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Bawtrie	a Qua:
Willesforthe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Stevens	a Qua:
Welbye rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Gace	a Qua:
Woolstrope rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bennett	a Qua:
Allingtonn rectoria—Mr [Simon] Buttrye	a Bowe.
Pauntonn parua rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Gryffynne <sup>2</sup>	a Bowe.
Sedgbrooke ecclesia—Mr [Robertus] Gibsonn	a Bowe.
Stroxtonn rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Handsonn	a Bill.
Saperton rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Turnebull	a Bowe.

#### BELTISLOWE DECANATUS

Birtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Pollard Carebye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Browne Colsterworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Hodgkyns <sup>3</sup> { Stoke australis Creetonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Nicholls	a Petro: a Qua: a Petro: a Qua:
Folio 2d.	~
Lavingtonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Dale Swayfeilde rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Memmys <sup>4</sup> Bassingthorpe vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Russell Gunbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Richardsonne North Witham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Sandes Stevenbye rectoria—Mr [Matthacus] Browne Bitham rectoria—Mr [Petrus] Rowthe Bitchfeild vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Edwarde Corbye vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Elame	a Qua: a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bill. a Bowe.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Pratt' at p. 69.
2 'Griffith' at p. 69.
3 'Hotchken' at p. 70.
4 'Mehnyes' at p. 71.

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Southwitham rectoria—M Withame vicaria—Mr [ I Skillingtonn vicaria—Mr Castlebytham vicaria—M Stoke borealis—Mr [ Nic	Robertus] Crosdale [Johannes] Parker \ Ir [Willelmus] Idle \	a Bowe. a Bill. a Bill. a Bowe.
STA	AMFORDE DECANAT	`US
All saincte ibidem eccles Sancti Michaelis ibidem Sancti Georgii ecclesia il Sancti Johannis ibidem e	ecclesia—Mr [Thomas] bidem—Mr [Richardus]	Shorthose a Bill.
]	NESSE DECANATUS	
Uffingtonn rectoria—Mr Markette Deepinge rector Braceburghe rectoria—Mr Thurlebye vicaria—Mr [ Westedeepinge rectoria— Carlebye rectoria—Mr [ Langtofte vicaria—Mr [ Baston vicaria—Mr [Hu Deepinge Jacobi vicaria-	oria—Mr [Willelmus] Co Mr [Georgius] ffroude [Willelmus] Baker —Mr [Anthonius] Hunto Thomas] Bagulye Robertus] Gregge [go] Standishe	a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe.
	ELANDE DECANAT	•
Folkinghame rectoria—I Billingburghe vicaria—M Dunsbye rectoria—Mr [ Dowsbye rectoria—Mr [ Pickworthe rectoria—M	Mr [Richardus] Foster Mr [Johannes] White Willelmus] Boltonne [Robertus] Buckberye	a Lighte horse. a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua:
Folio 3.		
Aslackbye vicaria—Mr	Richardus] Harrisonn hannes] Jacksonn Edwardus] Bordman [acobus] Mountcreif Thomas] Francke [r [Milo] Whale [Richardus] Tomlynson Alexander] Mayborne [Robertus] Collingwoo	a Bowe.
SOUT	HOLLANDE DECAN	ATUS
Pinchbecke vicaria—Mr Suttonn vicaria—Mr [M Moultonn vicaria—Mr [Mc Fleete rectoria—Mr [Mc Whaplede vicaria—Mr	lilo] Barkwithe Robertus] Leache	a Lighte horse. a Lighte horse. a Cors: a Mu:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Snawdon was rector of both the parishes (see p. 72; Bishops' Certificates, 30 Dec., 1588).

a Mu:

a Mu:

Whaplode vicaria—Mr [Clemens] Freckingham

Tydde Marye rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Wake

Holbeche vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Weste	a Bill.
Gedneye rectoria—Mr Dr [Johannes] Deye	a Cors:

#### NORTHOLLANDE DECANATUS

Beningtonn rectoria—Mr [Stephanus] Brittaine   Bostonn vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Worshipp	a Lighte horse.
Doningtonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Browne ( Suttertonn vicaria—Mr [Josua] Flower	a Lighte horse.
Tofte rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Ingosbye	a Petro:
Kirtonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Tukney	a Cor:
Bicker vicaria—Tho: Butler	а Ми:
Doningtonn—Mr [Johannes] Prior concionator ibidem	a Mu:
Framptonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Johnsonne!	a Mu:
Leuertonn australis—Mr [Willelmus] Will'ms, rector	a Mu:
Leuertonn borealis rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Peachame	a Mu:
Quadringe vicaria—Mr [Timotheus] Copinger	a Qua:
Swinshede vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Balderston	a Qua:
Wigtofte vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Billingesley	a Qua:
Folio 3d.	
Wrangle vicaria—Mr [Nicholaus] France	a Bowe.
Butterwicke vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Clerke Gosbertonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Addister	a Bowe.

#### HORNCASTLE DECANATUS

Thymblebye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Conyers	a Lighte horse.
Haltham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Samon <sup>2</sup>	a Mus:
Kirkbye bayne rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Nailer	a Qua:
Marome rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Corey	a Qua:
Skrevelsbye rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Lorde	a Qua:
Morebie rectoria—Mr [Gilbertus] Woodclyf	a Bowe.
Marton rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Thackwrave	a Bowe.
Dalderbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Hodgsonn	a Bill.
Edlingtonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Corbridge	a Bowe.
Langhton rectoria—Mr [Urianus] Kirke	a Bill.
Thorneton vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Greene	a Bill.
Roughton rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Easwood	a Bowe.

#### HILL DECANATUS

Fulletbye rectoria—Mr [Samuelis] Allerin³	a Cor:
Greethame rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Cockborne	a Cor:
Langhton iuxta partney rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Simons	a Petro:
Tetforthe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Keye	a Mu:
Hagworthingham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Fairefaxe	a Qua:
Harringtonn rectoria—Mr [Andreas] Burnett	a Bowe.
Southormesbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Johnsonn	a Bowe.
Ashbye puerorum vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Allerin <sup>4</sup>	a Bowe.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A mistake for 'Howson.' John Howson was vicar in 1585 (see p. 75), and he was buried 24 Feb., 1590-1.

2 'Salmon' at p. 77.

3 'Allen' at p. 78.

4 'Allen' at p. 78.

Brinckle rectoria—Mr [Marmaducus] Thornes	a Bowe.
Claxbye rectoria—Mr [Augustinus] Fitzwilliams	a Bowe.
Hameringham rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Hunterhooe	a Bowe.
Oxcombe rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Boothe	a Bowe.
Scrafeilde rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Maxwell	a Bill.
Somerbye rectoria—Mr [Silvester] Shaxtonn	a bowe.
Wincebye rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Siluester	a Bowe.
Sacombe <sup>1</sup> rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Tipler	a Bowe.

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GARTREE DECANATUS	
Horsingtonn rectoria—Mr [Theodorus] Tansey \ Waddingworthe—Allex' Tansey, rector Doningtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Kente Hemingby rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Barkwithe	a Petro: a Mu: a Mu:
Folio 4.	
Golcebye vicaria—Mr [Petrus] Holden	a Bowe.
Bucknall vicaria—Mr [Arthurus] Wrighte	a Bowe.
Stirtonne vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Seamer (Calkewell vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Blackwell <sup>2</sup> )	a Bowe.
Stangote rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Alleley	a Bill.
Asterbye ecclesia—Mr [Richardus] Greene	a Bill.

#### BULLINGBROOKE DECANATUS

Keale rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Jacksonn	a Lighte horse.
Haltonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Howsonne	a Petro:
Lusbve rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Downes	a Petro:
Thorpe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Clyffe	a Corslett.
Myningesbye rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Vstwhaite	a Mu:
Enderbye rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Metcaulf	a Qua:
Sybsey vicaria—Mr [Christopherus] Ryley	a Qua:
Toyntonn petri rectoria—Mr [Michaelis] Weste	a Qua:
Asgarby prebenda—Mr [Johannes] Southouse	a Qua:
Harebye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Elvinge	a Bowe.
Hundlebye vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Rawles <sup>8</sup>	a Bowe.
Kirkbye vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Raysinge	a Bowe.
Bullingbrooke rectoria—Mr [Raphaelis] Throckmorton	a Bowe.
Rathbye rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Vaughan	a Bill.
Stickforthe vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Abram	a Bill.
Stickney rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Morrisonne	a Qua:

## CANDLESHOE DECANATUS

Crofte vicaria—Mr [Carolus] Bingham	a Cor:
Friskney vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Turpyne	a Mu:
Srembye [sic] rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Maude	a Mu:
Waynefeete [sic] rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Foster	a Mu:
Ardlethorpe rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Mottrame	a Qua:
Ingalmells rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Kitchman <sup>4</sup>	a Petro:

A mistake for 'Salmonby', to which Tipler was instituted 20 Aug., 1588 (Bishops' Certificates).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Blake' in P.D., 1589, no. 31; 'Blak' in Bishops' Transcripts, 1588-92. <sup>3</sup> 'Rawlins' at p. 81.

<sup>4</sup> Kitchingman in Comp. under date 21 Nov., 1590.

Borroughe vicaria—Mr [Alexander] Cooke	a Qua:
Drybye rectoria—Mr [Martinus] Holden	a Qua:
Frisbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Kyngsey	a Qua:
Orbye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Sharpe	a Qua:
Askebye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Englishe	a Bowe.
Candlesbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Devias <sup>1</sup>	a Bowe.
Folio 4d.	
Gunbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Burley	a Bill.
Winthorpe vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Wade	a Bill.
Steepinge rectoria—Mr [Alexander] Throckmorton	a Petro:

#### CALCEWATHE DECANATUS

Gaytonn rectoria—Mr. [Jacobus] Kaye   Rathbye rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Dale	a lighte horse.
Witherne rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Maddisonn ) Ashbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Hewood	a Lighte horse.
Willoughbye rectoria—Mr [Libeus] Sadler	a Cor:
Mablethorpe Marie rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Veale	a Musc:
Thedlethorpe Helene rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Alleyne	a Mu:
Thrustrupe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Pattisonn <sup>2</sup>	a Mu:
Anderby rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Plumptonn	a Qua:
Beesbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Somerscall	a Mu:
Billesbye vicaria—Mr [Franciscus] Vaughan	a Qua:
Cumberworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Parker	a Qua:
Hellowe rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Rowthe	a Qua:
Maltbye rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Martyne	a Qua:
Swabye rectoria—Mr [Paulus] Balgaye	a Qua:
Vlcebye vicaria—Mr [Franciscus] Gonnas	a Qua:
Alforde vicaria—Mr [Josephus] Ouertonne	a Bowe.
Cawthrope vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Leake	a Bowe.
Falstrope vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Scarboroughe	a Bowe.
Mumbye vicaria—Mr [Alanus] Fryer	a Bowe.
Tottill rectoria—Mr [Fulk] Warden	a Bowe.
Thoresbye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Myles	a Bowe.
Well rectoria—Thomas Williamsonn <sup>3</sup>	a Bowe.
Claxbye vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Munnys <sup>4</sup>	a Bylle.5
Calcebye vicaria—Mr [Christopherus] Dennys	a Bowe.
Hotofte vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Partridge	a Bill.
Hoggesthorpe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Shawe	a Bill.
Southreston rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Wenesley	a Bill.
Salebye vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Thorpe	a Qua:
Staine rectoria—Mr [Samuel] Willinghame	a Bowe.
Folio 5.	

#### LOUTHESKE LUDBURGHE DECANATUS

Salteflettbye omnium sanctorum rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Leonard a Qua: Somercotte petri rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Sparke a [blank]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This name should, no doubt, be written 'Devius' at p. 82, and 'Deaues' in L.R.S., ii, p. 317.

<sup>2</sup> 'Paddison' in *Comp.* under date 25 Sept., 1582.

<sup>3</sup> 'Williamson alias Fowler' in *Comp.* under date 15 Mar., 1587-8, and *P.D.*, 1587,

no. 43.

4 'Moning' at p. 84, and 'Munnynge' in P.D., 1583, no. 16,

5 Altered from 'Bowe,'

Ludbrughe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Graye	a Cor:
W <sup>th</sup> call rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Bradley	a Cor:
Couenham Bartholomei rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Bucke	a Mu:
Fareforthe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Hill	a Qua:
Grimolby rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Dale	a Õua:
Yarburghe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Johnsonn	a Q̃ua:
Couenham Marie rectoria—Mr [Randolphus] Wade	a Qua:
Louthe vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Doughtye	a Q̃ua:
Tathwell vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Handsonn	a Õua:
Weltonne rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Keighley	a Õua:
Carleton rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Lackwthi	a Bowe.
Calestrope rectoriaMr [Richardus] Thornehili	a Bowe.
Mucktonne rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Beckringe	a Bowe.
Salteflettbye petri rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Squyere	a Bowe.
Stewton rectoria—Mr [Hugo] Askewe	a Bowe.
Wyame rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Mumbye	a Bowe.
Awthrope rectoria—Mr [Simon] Lynne <sup>2</sup>	a Qua:
Carletonn magna rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Hindmarshe	a Bowe.
Louthe—Mr Alleyne, concionator ibidem	a Mu:
Conisholme rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Porter	a Bill.
Cockeringtonn Leonardi vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Routhe	a Bill.
Fotherbye vicaria—[blank]	a Bill.
Hawgham vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Cooe ]	a bili.
Fulstowe—Mr [Georgius] Clerke, vicar	a Bowe.
Gaitone rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Bartillmewe	a Bill.
Kelsterne vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Varley	a Bill.
Northelkingtonn vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Wickham	a Bowe.
Ormesbye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Kelke	a Bill.
Reston vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Dyon	a Bill.
Saltefletbye Clementis rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Creamer	a Qua:
Southelkingtonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Reade	a Bill.
Castle Carelton vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Thornedyke	a Bowe.
Skidbrooke vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Coldcoll	a Petro:
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#### GRIMESBYE DECANATUS

Coate maga rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Southe Lacebye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Bradley	a Lighte horse. a Lighte horse.
Folio 5d.	
Barnoldbye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Todde	a Mu:
Northcote rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Westwoode	a Mu:
Newtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Pickingtonn <sup>8</sup>	a Mu:
Walthame rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Baynes	a Mu:
Beelesbye rectoria—Mr [Edmundus] Varley	a Qua:
Brigesley vicaria—Mr [Hugo] Modye	a Õua:
Grimesbye vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Hundlebye	a Õua:
Hatcleif rectoria—Mr [Oliverus] Waters	a Õua:
Scarthoe rectoria—Mr [Hamo] Hanserte	a Õua:
Bradley rectoria—Mr [Johannes] More	a Bowe.

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  'Lathwet' in  $\mathcal{L}.\mathcal{R}.S.,$  ii, p. 21.  $^2$  Lyme at p. 85, and also in  $\mathcal{L}.\mathcal{R}.S.,$  ii, pp. 187, 238.  $^3$  'Pilkingtonne' at p. 89.

Graynesbye—Mr [Alanus] Holdernes	a Bowe.
Healinge rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Hartinge	a Bowe.
Swallowe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Andrewe	a Bowe.
Hawerby rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Atkinsonn	a Bill.
Coxwolde rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Handsonn	a Bowe.
Swynthorpe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Swinscoe	a Bowe.
Kealbye vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Lorde	70.111
Tetney vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Lacebye	a Bill.

## YARBURGHE DECANATUS

Meltonn—Mr [Thomas] Bullingham, prebendarius Bartonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Reade Nettletonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Portington North kelsaie prebenda—Mr [Edwardus] Archpoll Somerbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Tailer Bigbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Silvester Barrowe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Cook Croxton rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Sugden Ferebye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Staynehouse Gouxhill rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Sedgwick Haltonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Boothe Saxbye rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Richardsonn Wrawbye vicaria—Mr [Alexander] Andersonne	a Cor: a Mu: a Mu: a Mu: a Mu: a Qua: a Mu: a Qua:
Vlcebye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Chalesworthe <sup>1</sup> Barnetbye vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Baitman Girsbye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Allanbie Habroughe vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Collingwoode	a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe.
Folio 6. Immyngham vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Epworthe Limber vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Garlande Worlettbye vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Hurste Searbye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Leache Caudney vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Tincke Bondbye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Crother Elshame vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Julyan Harkestowe vicaria—Mr [Hugo] Gelder Kirnington vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Langley Ribye vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Pape  Broclesbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Cuthberte \ Thornetonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Walkingtonn Wottonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Newtonn Stallingburghe vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Welles Northkelsey vicaria—Mr [Clement] Elshame	a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bowe. a Bill. a Bowe. a Bill. a Bowe.

## WALLESCROFTE DECANATUS

Linwood rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Foxe	a Muskett.
West Raysen rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Stockham	a Lighte horse.
Waylesbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Northende	a Petro:
Kyn <sub>5</sub> erbye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Bell	a Bill.
Thorganbie rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Feilde	a Mu:

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Charesworth' at p. 91.

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Bynbrooke marie rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Addamsonn	a Qua:
Claxbye rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Codde	a Qua:
Kelsaye marie rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Foster	a Qua:
Kelsaye Nicholai rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Bilclyf	a Qua:
Normanbye rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bilclyf	a Qua:
Oweresbye vicaria—Mr [Ambrosius] Weste	a Qua:
Thoreswaie rectoria—Mr [Davidus] Hatclyf	a Qua:
Tofte rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Crowther	a Qua:
Kirkbie vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Featherstone	a Bowe.
Newtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Lowsonn	a Bowe.
Raisen Draxe vicaria—Mr [Franciscus] Rawlingsonn	a Bowe.
Raisen Tuph: vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Heaton	a Bowe.
Willingham vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Wrighte	a Qua:
Croxbye rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] Kettlewell	a Bowe.
Easte Raisen vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Hooke	a Bowe.

## Folio 6d. WRAGHOE DECANATUS

Eastbarkworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Skeltonn	a Lighte horse.
Hatton rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Wharf	a Muskett.
Leggesbye vicaria—Mr [Hamlet] Marshall	a Cors:
Wickenbye rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Boothe	a Mu:
Burghe vicaria—Mr [Eustacius] Doughtye	a Qua:
Estterringtonn rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Chapman	a Qua:
Lyssingtonn vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Huttonn	a Qua:
Snellande rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Pell	a Qua:
Westbarkworthe rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Meltonn	a Qua:
Willingham rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Bancrofte	a Qua:
Biskerthorpe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Swyfte	a Bowe.
Ludforthe vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Depliche	a Bowe.
Rande rectoria—Mr [Humphridus] Barlowe	a Bowe.
Sottbye rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Greaves	a Bowe.
Beningworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Hearne	a Cor:
Bardney vicaria—Mr [Walterus] Shepperd	a Bill.
Ludford parua rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Naler	a Bill.
Langhton vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Rowston (	a D:11
Westerringtonn—Mr [Willelmus] Nayler	a Bill.
Wragbye vicaria—Mr [Simon] Lee	a Bill.
Saxhill vicaria—Mr [Humphredus] Harrisonn	a Bill.

## ARCHDEACONRY OF STOW

## LAWRES DECANATUS

Burton iuxta Linc' rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Huddlestonn	a Petro:
Faldingworth rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Pitman	a Mu:
Willingham rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Richardsonn	a Mu:
Aystrope rectoria—Mr [Stephanus] Luddingtonn	a Mu:
Sudbrook rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Wrighte	a Qua:
Scamptonn rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Clerk	a Qua:
Broxholme rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Lynall	a Bowe.
Cherywillingham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Welche	a Bill.
Martonn vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Newtonn	a Bill.

a Qua:

Newtonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Bee Repham vicaria—Mr [Vincentius] Soare Vptonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Damporte <sup>1</sup> Weltonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Hallydaye Saxilbye vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Smithe Kettlethorpe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Beck	a Bill. a Bowe, a Bill. a Bill. a Mu;
Folio 7.	
Fiskertonn rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] Road	a Qua;
ALSLACKHOE DECANATUS	
Ounbye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Wrighte	a Petro:
Fillingham rectoria—Mr [Edmundus] Lilley	a Cors:
Blibroughe rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Hill	a Mu:
Spridlingtonn rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Shawe	a Qua:
Hacthorne vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Nelsonn	a Bowe.
Hanworthe rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Orame	a Bowe.
Willoughtonn vicaria—Mr [Nicholaus] Rylye	a Bowe.
Waddingham petri rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Banister	a Bowe
Caynebye rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Laminge	a Bill.
Corringham <sup>2</sup> vicaria—Mr [Simon] Arrowsmythe	a Bowe.
Ingham vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Walker	a Bill.
Saxbye—Thomas Watsonn, rector	a Bill.

#### MANLAKE DECANATUS

Nortonn Episcopi vicaria—[blauk]

Waddingtonne <sup>3</sup> Marie rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Turswe	
Althorpe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Jaques	a Lighte horse.
Epworthe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Harrisonn	a Lighte horse.
Hawltonn rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Forman	a Lighte horse.
Luddingtonn rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Younge	a Lighte horse.
Broughtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Robinsonn	а Сог:
Applebye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Sewarde	a Qua:
Burtonn vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Hall	a Qua:
Bottisforthe vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Gorrill	a Qua:
Croell vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Bawdwyne	a Qua:
Flixburghe rectoria—Mr [Humphredus] Browne	a Qua:
Froddingham vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Goodwyne	a Qua:
Messingham vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Rowbotham	a Qua:
Hebalstowe vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Tayletorthe	a Bowe.
Scabye vicaria—Mr [Seth] Shepley	a Bowe.
Wintertonn vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Wilbye	a Bowe.
Roxbye vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Dowsonn	a Bowe.
Rissbye vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Shawe	a Bill.
Redbourne vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Elustone	a Bill.
Folio 7d.	
Awkburghe vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Clyff	a Qua:
Kyrtonne vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Nayler	a Q̃ua:

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Dainporte' at p. 96; 'Davenporte' in L.R.S., ii, p. 77; 'Davenporte' in P.D., 1578. no. 59.

A mistake for Cammeringham, see p. 96, and cp. p. 156.

A mistake for 'Waddingham,' cp. p. 99.

## CORRINGHAM DECANATUS

Greingham rectoria—Mr [Christophe	erus] Wilsonn	a Lighte horse.
Haxaie vicaria—Mr [Johannes] New		a Lighte horse.
Scotter rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Day	wbnev	a Petro:
Gainesburghe vicaria—Mr [Johannes	[] [acksonn	a Cor:
Owestonne vicaria—Mr [Robertus]	Carletonn	a Bill.
Blittone vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Wra	aye	a Qua:
Lea rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Smyth	ne	a Qua:
Laughtonn vicaria—Mr [Robertus] I	Bull	a Qua:
Pilhame rectoria—Mr [Radulphus] V	Vraye	a Qua:
Hephame rectoria—Mr [Willelmus]		a Petro:
Woote [sic] rectoria—Mr [Robertus]	Dobsonne	a Qua:
Corringham rectoria—Mr [Richardus		a Lighte horse but
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b	by the LLs. of th	e Counsell

## COMITATUS LEICESTRIE

#### FRAMLANDE DECANATUS

Bottisforde rectoria—Mr [Samuel] Fleeminge	a Lighte horse.
Estwell rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Dodde	a Bowe.
Abkettlebye vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Neale	a Qua:
Wymondham rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Gulsonn	a Qua:
Scalforde vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Bincke { Stapleforde vicaria—Mr [Zacharias] Jenkinsonn }	a Qua:
Coston rectoria—Mr [Gylbertus] Wetherall	a Qua:
Sproxton vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Whiteheade	
Saltbye vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Rowse	a Qua:
Barkestonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Chessull )	
Somerbye vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Wrighte	a Bill.
Statherne rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Rudde	a Qua:
Thorpearnold rectoria—Mr [Zacharias] Hawforde	a Bowe.
Dalbye parua vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Inkersall (Pickwell rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Pocklingtonn)	a Mu:
Folio 8.	
Meltonn vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Turner	a Mu:
Wyfordebye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Hutchine	a Qua:
Garthrope vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Lorringtonn	a Qua.
Croxtonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Warde	a Qua:
Buckminster vicaria—Mr lloye <sup>1</sup>	
Broughton rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Smythe	a Qua:
Clawstonne vicaria—Mr Poole <sup>2</sup>	[blank]
Hose vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Hicklinge )	a Qua:
Eatonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Squyer ) Harebye rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Cleytonn	a Lighte horse
Waltham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Bringeste	a Lighte horse.
Wattham record—Mi [joindines] Dringeste	a Qua.

¹ This name appears in several forms—'Fluit' (p. 40, where 'Flint' should be 'Fluit'); 'Fletwyk' (p. 105); 'Flwyd' (Reg. xxviii, f. 58d.; Comp. under date 23 Aug., 1565); 'Flywet' (P.D., 1600, no. 12); 'lloyde' (see below, p. 158).
² 'Pale' at p. 110; 'Pole' in L.R.S., ii, p. 43.

Coldouertonn rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Cowper	a Mu:
Brauncetonn rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Grace	a Petro:
Redmell rectoria—Mr Dr [Johannes] Jeggon ) Edmundthorpe rectoria—Mr [Stephanus] Beauer	a Petro:
Harstonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Damporte <sup>1</sup>	a Qua:
Muston rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Searcotte	a zaa,

## GARTREY DECANATUS

Gumley rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Bingley	a Mu:
Halloughtonn australis rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Swaine Halloughtonn borealis rectoria—Mr [Harold] Patchett	a Petro:
Medbourne rectoria—Mr Dr [Johannes] Duporte	a Lighte horse.
Wystowe vicaria—Mr [Radulphus] Carter	a Bowe.
Burtonn Oueray rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Burdytte	a Mu:
Houghtonn rectoria—Mr [Christopherus] Pollarde	a Qua:
Glenn magna vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Clerk	a Qua;
Kibworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Berridge	a Lighte horse.
Stantonn wyvell rectoria—Mr [Edmundus] Tillev	a Mu:
Billesdenn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Chamberlaine	a Qua:
Galbye rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Saxbve	a Mu:
Carletonn rectoria—Mr [Hugonis] Westonn	a Mu:
Thurnebye vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Crosley	a Bowe.
Saddingtonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Hollande	a Mu:
Bringhurste vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Lee	a Qua:
Cranhoe rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Hill	
Scraptofte vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Stark	a Qua:
Euingtonn vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Hutchin	
Welham vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Lousbye	a Qua:
Slawstonn vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Wrighte	
Folio 8d.	
Shanckton rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Corney	
Knossingtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Leacock <sup>2</sup>	a Qua:
Foxton vicaria—	
Gloreston rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Talbye	
Loughtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Cotton }	a Qua:
Stockerstonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Clerk	a Qua:
Lubbenham vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Stronginarme	a Bowe.
Churchlangton rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Roos	a Lighte horse.
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## GOSCOTT ET ACKLEY DECANATUS

Thurcastonn rectoria—Mr [Brutus] Babingtonne	a Cor:
Ashby Folwell vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Fovell	a Qua:
Asfordby rectoria—Mr [Martinus] Hill	a Qua:
Hobye rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Reade	a Mu:
Rearesby rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Whitaphe	a Mu:
Waltonn rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Blonte	a Mu:
Loughborowe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Browne	a Lighte horse.
Kegworthe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Iretonn	a Mu:
Netherseale rectoria—Mr [Walterus] Royle	a Mu:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 'Daineporte,' at p. 111. <sup>2</sup> 'Laycocke' in *Bishops' Certificates*, under date 15 June, 1588.

Allaxtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Tunstalls Packingtonn vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Presburye ( Beltonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Barrs	a Qua: a Qua: a Bowe. a Qua: a Bowe. a Mu: a Bill. a Qua: a Powe. a Bowe.
Allaxtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Tunstall <sup>5</sup>	
Packingtonn vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Presburye   Beltonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Barrs   Castledoningtonn vicaria—Mr [Petrus] Wood	a Bowe.
Sheapeshead vicaria—Mr [Petrus] Olerenshawe <sup>6</sup>	a Bowe.
GOODLAXTONN DECANATUS	
Aylston—Mr [Willelmus] Heathecote, rector	a Petro:

Aylston—Mr [Willelmus] Heathecote, rector	a Petro:
Broughton Ashley rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] White	a Lighte horse.
Lutterworthe rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bancke	a Lighte horse.
Cleabrook vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Higginsonn	a Petro:
Glenfeild rectoria—Mr [Simon] Coxe	a Petro:
Blabye rectoria—	a Petro:
Foston rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Savidge \( \)	a reno:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See page 156, n. I.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This name is variously spelt—'Nylde' (p. 34); 'Neylde' (p. 109); 'Nilde' (Reg., xxviii, f. 286); 'Nelde' (Comp., under date 28 April, 1550); 'Neelde' (P.D., 1592, no. 35).

<sup>3</sup> Cp. p. 105. 'Kaye' in L.R.S., ii, p. 45.

<sup>4</sup> He elsewhere appears as 'Whitinge' (P.D., 1586, no. 66, and 1594, no. 37; Bishops' (P.D., 1 Whit', but it is uncertain whether the same clerk is referred to; for F. Whitinge was not

instituted until 1586-7.

5 'Tunstonne' at p. 104. 'Tunstall' is the right form (L.R.S., ii, p. 41; P.D., 1578, no. 67; Comp., under date 14 Nov., 1578).

6 'Allerenshawe' at p. 109.

Thurleston rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Sherwood¹ ) Crafte rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Shentonn Gilmorton rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Halford ) Southekilworth rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Vause ) Knaptofte rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Moore Narborowe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Browne ) Aston Flavyle rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Graye ) Stony stantonn rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Messinger Kylmecote rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Vittell Barwell rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Messinger ) Mistertonn rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Howe Asbye parua rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Brasgerdle )	a Petro: a Petro: a Cor: a Lighte horse. a Mu: a Petro: a Mu:
Leare rectoria—Mr [Alexander] Shepward	a Qua:
Folio 9d. Bruntingworthe² rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Clerke ) Sapcote rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Tompson ( Cottesbiche rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Dillingham ) Thorpthomas rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Lee	a Qua: a Qua:
Desford rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bonney Markfeild rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Brigge	a Qua:
Enderbye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Fryer   Elmesthorpe rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Crompton   Frolesworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Stearesworthe <sup>3</sup>	a Qua:
Peatlinge parua rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Siddall \ Ashbye magna vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Mason	a Qua: a Qua:
Peatlinge magna vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Pollard Northkillworthe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Morton	a Bowe.
Shawell—Mr [Johannes] Hodgkington, rector Swynford vicaria—Mr [Humphredus] Thomas	a Qua: a Bowe.
Odebye vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Andrewe	a Bowe.

## SPERKENHOE DECANATUS

Markett Bosworthe rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Pelsante Applebye rectoria—Mr [Hugo] Blythe Congeston rectoria—Mr [Julius] Watsonn Peckleton rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Davye Cadebye rectoria—Mr [Laurencius] Botte Fenydratonn rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Nutter Heather rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Ashe Shakerstonne vicaria—Mr [Johannes] More Hinckley vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Briscoe Higham rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Foxe Kirkbye mallerye rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bowden	a Lighte horse. a Cor: a Qua: a Petro: a Mu:
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Kirkbye mallerye rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bowden	a Mu:
Nortonn rectoria—Mr [Edmundus] Cleytonn Newbold rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Lynney	a Qua: a Bowe.
Shepey australis rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Savage	a Qua:
Shepey borealis rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Tailor	a Õua:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 'Sherard' in *Bishops' Certificates*, under date 4 Jan., 1587-8.

<sup>2</sup> A mistake for 'Bruntingthorpe'.

<sup>3</sup> A mistake for 'Stearesmore' or 'Staresmore' (cp. pp. 37, 102; *Reg.*, xxviii, f. 59).

<sup>4</sup> 'Hodgekinsonne' at p. 103.

Thorneton vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Marvyn a Bowe. Orton<sup>1</sup> vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Spencer a Bowe. Folio 10.

#### COMITATUS BUCKINGHAMIE

#### BURNEHAME DECANATUS

Agmondesham rectoria—Mr Dr [Robertus] Chaloner	a Lighte horse.
Burneham vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Wrighte	a Mu:
Beckonsfeilde rectoria—Mr [Simon] Lee	a Petro:
Chessam magna vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Saunders	a Qua:
Chalfonte Petri—Mr [Hugo] Johnes, vicar \	a Qua:
Edgley rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Roberte 5	a Qua.
Datchett vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Bangor	a Bowe.
Denhame rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Bagley	a Mu:
Farneham Ryall rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Browne	a Qua:
Hietham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Hall)	a Oua.
Pen vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Blower \( \)	a Qua:
Iver vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Atkyns	o. Oug.
Wraysberye vicaria—Mr [Georgius] Gales <sup>2</sup>	a Qua:
Cheneys rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Launder	a Ouas
Chesham boys rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Harneyes	a Qua:
Taploe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Kynge	a Qua:
Chalfonte Sancti Egidij rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Smith	e a Qua:
Wexame rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Ratelyff	a Bowe.
Dorney vicaria—	a Bowe.
Stokepoges vicaria—	a Bowe.
Uptonn vicaria—	a Bowe.
Latimers rectoria—	a Bowe.
Hortonn rectoria—litigiouse.	
DUCKINGHAM! DECANATIS	

#### BUCKINGHAM' DECANATUS

Addingtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Staninghoe <sup>3</sup> { Steepleclaidon vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Pare	a Qua:
Adstock rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Edgertonn	a Qua:
Ackley rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Pricharde \	a Qua:
Foxcotte rectoria—Mr [David] Powell	a gua.
Edgcotte rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Feilde	a Qua:
Prestonn rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Tetloe	-
Leckhampsted rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Wrighte	a Mu:
Lillingstonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Cade Ratclyff rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Foster	a Qua:
Marshe rectoria—Mr [Samuelis] Ryve	a Cor:
Mortonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Smythe	a Mu:
Stoo vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Newtonn	a Qua:
Thornetonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Elwood <sup>4</sup>	a Qua.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Overton' at p, 113.
2 This is evidently a clerical mistake for 'Eales'. This clerk's name appears in several forms—'Eales' (p. 124; L.C., 1614, f. 106); 'Yeales' (p. 115); 'Eyles' (p. 48); 'Witnall alias Yeales' (L.R.S., ii, p. 92; also ibid., p. 52, where the record wrongly calls him 'John Witnall alias Yeales'; P.D., 1580, no. 55); 'Yeeles' (P.D., 1626, no. 69); 'Liles' by a clerical mistake for 'Eiles' (L.C., 1603, f. 10 bis).
3 'Staninoughte' (P.D., 1587, no. 14; Comp., under date 25 Nov., 1587).
4 'Elward' at p. 116; cp. p. 50.

<sup>4 &#</sup>x27;Elward' at p. 116; cp. p. 50.

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Folio 10d. Shalston rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Bursey Turweston rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Paddye Tyngeswicke rectoria—Mr [Erasmus] Williams Waterstratford rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Badeslye Thorneborowe rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Johnsonn Cauersfeild vicaria— Padburye vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Read Westburye vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Maior	a Qua: a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Holberd. a Bill. a Bill.
MURSLEY DECANATUS  Cubbingtonn—Mr [Hieronimus] Lee, rector Draytonn parsloe rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Tailer Duntonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Loueringe Eddesborowe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Goodhande Ivynghoe vicaria—Mr [Evans] Rogers Grove rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Facer Wynge vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Greaves	a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua:
Stone vicaria—Mr [Bartholomeus] Pusye ) Hardwick rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Harrys Hawridge rectoria—Mr [Petrus] Bates Draytonn Becham rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Feild } Mursley rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Smythe ) Swanborne vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Lowns } Masworthe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Sedonn Wingrave vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Nixon Stewkley vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Prestwood Mentmore vicaria—Mr Evans¹ Whitchurche vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Caventrye	a Lighte horse. a Qua: a Qua: a Holberd. a Bill. a Holberd. a Holberd. a Bowe. a Bowe.
WADDESDONN DECANATUS	
Astonn sandford rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Prowde   Kyngshey vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Burgwyne   Fleetmerstonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Hitchcock   Hartwell rectoria—Mr [Mattheus] Jeninge   Hickford rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Evans   Shabbingtonn vicaria—Mr [Jacobus] Langley   Grendonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Marbeck	a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua:
Myddleclaydon rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Askewe Lurgesall rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Knighte Ovinge rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Markhame Pitchcotte rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Walkeden Quayntonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Blanchard Waddesden 3 portio—Mr [Johannes] Purefey Over winchenden vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Tailor Estcleydonn vicaria—Mr [Owinus] Gwynne Waddesden rectoria—Dr [Gabrielis] Goodman	a Qua: a Mu: a Qua: a Petro: a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. Chardged at Westminster.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Evan' or 'Evans' was the clerk's christian name. He appears as 'Evanus Davies' (p. 49); 'Evans Davisse' (p. 118); 'Evanus Davydes' (P.D., 1593, no. 48).

## WENDOVER DECANATUS

WENDOVER DECARATOS	
Aston Clyntonn rectoria - Mr [Johannes] Jones	a Cor:
Bledlowe vicaria Horsingtonn rectoria Mr [Johannes] Smythe <sup>1</sup>	a Qua:
Dyntonn vicaria—Mr [Edmundus] Pulter	a Qua:
Elesborowe rectoria—Mr [Riceus] Gwynne Hampdenn magna rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Woodcock	a Qua:
Hadnam vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Greene	a Qua:
Hulcott rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Longe	a Qua:
Westonn Turvyle rectoria—	a Cor:
Myssendenn parva—Mr [Elias] Wergley <sup>2</sup> Wendover vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Gibsonn	a Holberd. a Holberd.
	at Windsor.
WICOMBE DECANATUS	
Fawleighe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Clark	a Qua:
Radnage rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Syer	a Õua:
Saundertonn rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Reynolde	a Q̃ua:
Wycombe Marie vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Barnard	a Õua:
Bradnam rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Clark	a Bowe.
Owborne vicaria—Mr [Hugo] Roberte	a Bowe.
Hychendenn vicaria—Mr [Hugo] Lane	a Bowe.
Marlowe parua vicaria—	a Bowe. a Bowe.
Turvyle vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Gibsonn	a bowe.
NEWPORTE DECANATUS	
Brickhill magna rectoria—Mr [Lucas] Watte	a Mu:
Bowbrickhill rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Watsonn Folio 11d.	a Mu:
Caluertonn rectoria—Mr [Mattheus] Pigott	a Petro:
Clyfton rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Thackham	a Qua:
Crawley rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Hackett	a Cor:
Embertonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Prestman	a Petro:
Hauersham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Birde	a Qua:
Harmeade rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Ransforde	a Qua:
Astwood vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Richardsonn	a Qua:
Loughtonn rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Caldwell Mulsoe et Wolston rectorie—Mr [Henricus] Wilcocke	a Qua: a Cor:
Newnton blossamfeild rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Price	a Qua:
Stoke goldingtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Yeomans	a Q[u]a:
Stokehamonde rectoria—Mr [Carolus] Langforde	a Mu:
Symson rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Stone	a Qua:
Shenley et Wavenden rectorie—Mr [Richardus] Edmonde	a Petro:
Woodston <sup>®</sup> rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Greenacres	a Cor:
Miltonn Keynes rectoria—Mr [Radulphus] Smythe	a Cor:
Newnton Longvile rectoria—Mr [Sextus] Quarterman	a Cor:
Walton rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Jones Wolvertonn vicaria—Mr [Radulphus] Langforde	a Qua:

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;John Thomas alias Smith' at p. 123. Cp. L.R.S., ii, p. 54. On p. 122 above, line 12 from foot, 'James' should be 'John'.

2 See p. 48, and note there.

3 A mistake for 'Woughton' (see pp. 51, 120; L.R.S., ii, 51).

Bletchley rectoria—Mr Dr [Thomas] Sparke He is t	to attende the
L: Graye in p	erson whenso-
euer he shalbe	e imploied.
Linforde magna rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Sandye <sup>1</sup>	a Mu:
Bradwell vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Habberley)	0. 0.00
Willen vicaria—Mr [Thomas   Potter	a Qua:
Broughtonn rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Kente	a Bowe,
Tirringham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bradshawe	a Qua:

#### COMITATUS BEDFORDIE

#### BEDFORDE DECANATUS

BEDFORDE DECANATES	
Pauli vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Noke Cuthberti vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Foxcrofte Petri rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Linforde—et Johannis rectoria Marie Bedf' rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Barnes } Wilshamsted vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Aldrige } Houghton conqueste rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Archer Kempstonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Wheeler Wottonn vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Leverock	a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Mu: a Qua:
Folio 12.  Cardingtonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Watte Cople vicaria—Mr [Rogerus] Hodsonn Goldingtonn vicaria—Mr [Oliverus] Robert	a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe.
CLAPHAM DECANATUS	
Bletsoe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Orme	a Mu:
Burneham vicaria—[blank] Okeley vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Chamberlen Willington vicaria—[blank]	a Qua:
Carletonn rectoria et Chellington—Mr [Thomas] Wells	a Petro:
Felmersham vicaria—Mr [Edwardus] Štill \ Steventonn rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Kynge \( \)	a Qua:
Odell rectoria—Mr Dr [Edwardus] Bulkeley <sup>2</sup>	a Qua:
Knottinge rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Griffithe	a Qua:
Suldrope rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Masonn { Ferndishe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Johnsonn {	a Qua:
Turvey rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bullocke <sup>3</sup>	a Qua:
Wemington rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Chattertonn	a Qua:
Harrold vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Paule   Poddingtonn vicaria—[blank]   Stadgdonn vicaria—[blank]	a Qua:
Bidnam vicaria—	[blank]
Sharnebrook vicaria—	a Bowe.
Miltonn Ernys vicaria—	a Bowe.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Sandye alias Napers' in Cert., under date 12 March, 1589-90.

2 He is called 'Edward Bulkley' (L.R.S., ii, p. 56; Comp., under date 6 Mar., 1571-2; P.D., 1571, no. 52); 'Edmund Buckley' (above, p. 126; below, in Elections of Proctors for Convocation. Archdeaconry of Bedford, 1597 and 1601); 'Edward Bulkley' (L.C., 1603, f. 2); 'Edward Buckley' (Venn and Venn, Matriculations and Degrees, 1544-1659, p. 116).

3 'Buccocke' at p. 127; 'Buckcocke' in P.D., 1607, no. 46.

## DUNSTABLE DECANATUS

Battlesden rectoria—Mr [Michaelis] Emoute Barton rectoria—Mr [Samuelis] Fulke	a Qua: a Cor; and Qua:
Eytonn vicaria— ( Houghtonn Regis vicaria— )	a Qua:
Hoclyff rectoria—Mr [Lodovicus] Price	a Mu:
Luttonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Horne Myltonn Briam rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Collyns (	a Petro:
Pottesgrave rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Watte	a Qua:
Folio 12d.	
Toddingtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Sage Caddington vicaria—Mr [Riceus] Roberte Chalgrave vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Bellamye Higham gobyn rectoria—Mr [Walterus] Eves <sup>1</sup>	a Cor: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe.
Stretley vicaria—   Mr [Willelmus] Evans³	a Bowe.
Studham vicaria—	a Bowe.
Sunden vicaria—	a Bowe.
EATONN DECANATUS	
Bolnehurste rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Mawde Eatonn vicaria—Mr [Petrus] White Pertnall rectoria—Mr [Edmundus] Todde Sheltonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Berridge Tilbrooke rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Claphame Wilden rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Worsley Yelden rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Rydley Rysley vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Thompsonn ( Melchborne vicaria—[blank] ) Roxtonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Hauerocke Rauensden et Renold vicarie—Mr [Edmundus] Legge Thurlebye4 vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Farclyf5	a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Qua: a Mu: a Qua: a Qua: a Bowe. a Bowe. a Bowe.
	a Bowe.
FLEETE DECANATUS  Aspleguise rectoria – Mr [Willelmus] Stone Clophill rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Browne Cranfeilde rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Fones	a Mu: a Qua: a Petro:
Euershall rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Gibsonn Hulcott rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Parker Malden et Milbrooke rectorie—Mr [Edmundus] Hewet	a Qua: a Qua:
Folio 13.	
Marstonn rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Snagge	a Petro:
Amptill rectoria—Mr [Alexander] Stokwell Flittonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Fawle	a Bowe. a Bowe.
Apparently a mistake for 'Gyles' (see p. 127; also L.R.S., if. 3).	ii, p. 60; L.C., 1603,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Cp. p. 130. <sup>3</sup> A mistake for 'Eame' or 'Eames' (see pp. 128, 130; *L.C.*, 1603, f. 5; *P.D.*, 1574, nos. 31, 58).

<sup>4</sup> A mistake for 'Thurley'.

<sup>5</sup> 'Forclif' at p. 129; 'Faierclough' in *P.D.*, 1594, no. 8.

Gravenhurste—Mr [Johannes] Kytcheuer Stepingley rectoria—Mr [Edwardus] Suttonn	a Bowe. a Bowe.
Tingreef rectoria—Mr [Paulus] Gother	a Bowe.
Westninge rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Higbye <sup>1</sup> Polluxhill vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Collyns	a Bowe. a Bowe.
Crowley vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Haruey	a Bowe.
Salforde vicaria—Mr [Michaelis] Lemm	a Bowe.

#### SHEFFORD DECANATUS

Blunham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Nortonn	Thearle of Kent will
	furnishe him.
Barkeforde—Mr [Henricus] Ridley	a Qua:
Camptonn rectoria—Mr [Hugo] Standbridge	a Qua:
Clyfton rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Snell	a Cor:
Duntonn vicaria—Mr [Jeremias] Darnell \ Pottonn vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Clerke \	a Qua:
Mepersall rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Raynerd <sup>2</sup>	a Cor:
Suttonn rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Bill	a Mu:
Sandye et Temisford rectorie—Mr [Thomas] Nok	a Lighte horse.
Hatley rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Rysley	a Bowe.
Henloe vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Morgann	a Bowe.
Shitlingtonn vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Butcher	a Bowe.
Stondonn rectoria—	a Bowe.
Wrestlingworthe—Mr [Davidus] Price	a Bowe.
Langforde vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Howe	a Bowe.
Astwicke rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Moodye	a Bowe.
Southill vicaria—Mr [Willelmus] Ridge	a Qua:
Folio 13d.	

## COMITATUS HERTFORDIE

Therfeilde rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Chapman Archidiaconnus Hunt:—Mr Doctor [Robertus] Condall Barkhampstede Petri rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Clayton Barkhampsted marie rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Bullocke Alburye rectoria—Mr [Matthias] Watte	a Lighte horse. a Lighte horse. a Lighte horse.
Welwynn rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Lewys)	a Lighte [horse³].
Wallrama restoria Mr [Edwardus] Howa	a Lighte [horse <sup>8</sup> ].
Lilley rectoria Mr. (Johannes Potkynn )	a Lighte h[orse <sup>8</sup> ].
Munden magna rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Curleys (Kellishull rectoria—Mr Edwarde Francklyn)	a Lighte horse.
Hatfeilde Episcopi rectoria—Mr Onslowe, farmer \ Stevenage rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Pattinsonn	a Petro:
Barkhampsted parua rectoria—Mr [Rolandus] Howe <sup>4</sup>	a Petro:
Aldenham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bartilmewe { Willian vicaria—Mr [Johannes] Chapman	a Cor:

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Higbid' at p. 130.
2 'Renier' at p. 131.

The manuscript is damaged.

The Hewes' at p. 135; also in L.R.S., ii, p. 65, and P.D., 1571, no. 7.

Astonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Butler Radwell rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Parker Westmill rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Tayler	a Cor:
Hitchen vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Chambers	a Bill.
Offley rectoria—Mr [Rogerus] Henley Sandonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Coxe	a Bill.
Baldock rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Clerke	a Bill.
Hartford omnium sanctorum—Mr [Thomas] Noble ( Bengehoe rectoria—Mr [Richardus] Hayley	a Bill.
Langley Regis vicaria—Mr [Franciscus] Purifie	a Bill.
Ashwell rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Dakyns	a Mu:
Bigraue—Mr [Johannes] Stearne	a Mu:
Clothall rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Lucas	a Mu:
Cothered rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Bushe	a Mu:
Hinxworthe rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Mickley	a Mu:
Munden parua rectoria—Mr [Humphridus] Wolstenholme	a Mu:
Westonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Besborowe <sup>1</sup>	a Mu:
Wallingtonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Bill	a Mu:
Folio 14.	
Aspeden et Wakeley rectoria—Mr [Radulphus] Tomlyn	a Mu:
Wattonn at Stone rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Porter	a Qua:
Tewinge rectoria—Mr Dr [Thomas] Monford	a Q̃ua:
Brandfeilde rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Painter	a Qua:
Gaddesden parua rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Windsore	a Qua:
Puttenham rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Northfolk	a Qua:
Ayote Petri rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Bussey	a Qua:
Dixwell—Mr [Richardus] Stone	a Qua:
Hartingfordberye rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Scurfeild <sup>2</sup>	a Qua:
Stapleforde rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Stucke	a Qua:
Sacombe rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] Stone	a Qua:
Kymptonn rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Aldred	a Qua;
Lechworthe rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Hammond	a Qua:
Gaddesden magna vicaria—	a Qua:
Knesworthe rectoria—Mr [Leonardus] Tucke (	-
Hartforde sancti Andree—Mr [Thomas] Fell	a Qua:
Hemblehampsted vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Gawtonn	a Qua:
Yeardley vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Tattershall Calcotte vicaria—Mr [Robertus] Smythe	a Bowe.
Ayott Laurentii—Mr [Thomas] Portor	a Bowe. a Qua:
Graveley rectoria—Mr [Benedictus] Quarles	a Qua:
Whethampsted rectoria—Mr [Marcus] Stubbinge	a Qua:
Trynge rectoria—Mr [Timotheus] Fisher	a Čor:
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## COMITATUS HUNTINGDONIE

#### DECANATUS SANCTI IUONIS

Bluntisham rectoria—Mr [Milo] Bodleighe a Petro: Broughtonn et Riptonn Regis rectorie—Mr [Thomas] Younge a Lighte horse.

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  'Beesbrowne' at p. 135 ; 'Besbrowne' in Z.C., 1603, f. 18.  $^2$  'Shurfield' at p. 136,

Hallywell rectoria—Mr Dr [Bartholomeus] Chamberlay Somersham rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Robinsonn Stewkley parua et Wistowe rectorie—Dr [Willelmus] Harboyes rectoria—Mr Dr [Franciscus] Dorringtonn a Sancti Iuonis vicaria—Mr [Mauricius] Burnell Riptonn Abbatis rectoria—Mr [Tobias] Blande	a Lighte horse. Ialles¹a Petro:
Folio 14d. SANCTI NEOTI DECANATUS	•
Doddingtonn vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Marryatt   Fenstantonn vicaria—Mr [Nicholaus] Yelderd   Godmanchester vicaria—Mr [Laurentius] Barnewell Eanesburye rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Wilsonn Southoe vicaria—Mr [Henricus] Ince Hemingforde graie rectoria—Mr [Jacobus] Roe Offarde Cluney rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Atkinsonn Yellinge rectoria—Mr [Leonardus] Nitingale Stoughtonn magna vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Heron Paxtonn magna vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Atkinsonn Gransden magna—Mr [Willelmus] Harrisonn Euertonn vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Rudderd Wearesley vicaria—Mr [Thomas] Peachie	a Qua: a Bill. a Cor: a Qua: a Bill. a Qua: a Mu: a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill. a Bill.
LEIGHTONSTONE DECANATUS	
Brincktonn et Houghtonn rectorie—Mr [Ambrosius] Do	orringtonn
Couingtonn rectoria—Mr [Georgius] Prestlande Catworthe rectoria et Colmorth²—Mr [Johannes] Alwood Hamertonn rectoria—Mr [Anthonius] Elcock Steplegiddinge rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Berridge Thurninge rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Worsley Wolley rectoria—Mr [Franciscus] Sculthrope Mollesworthe rectoria—Mr [Augustinus] Piggott Winwicke vicaria—Mr [Richardus] Pears Swanshed rectoria—Mr [Laurentius] Saundersonn³ } Graffame rectoria—Mr [Samuelis] Hunt	a Launce. a Qua: a Lighte horse. a Cor: a Qua: & a Bill. a Qua: a Mu: a Qua: a Bill. a Qua: a Bill.
YAXLEY DECANATUS	
Ailtonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Dickensonn Bottlebridge rectoria—Mr [Nicholaus] Cheseldyne Chestertonn rectoria—Mr [Willelmus] Aycrod	a Petro: a Qua: a Qua:
Folio 15.	
Calcote rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Hunte Dentonn rectoria—Mr [Bartholomeus] Clark <sup>4</sup> Ouerton Watervyle rectoria—Mr [Baldwinus] Easdale Flettonn rectoria—Mr [Johannes] Ellys Morborne rectoria—Mr [Henricus] Forreste	a Mu: a Mu: a Qua: a Qua:

See p. I40, note 2.
 Colmorth is in co. Bedford.
 A mistake for 'Saunders' (see pp. 53, 138).
 Linton alias Clarke' at p. 142.

Orton longuyle rectoria—Mr [Dionisius] Warde a Qua: Stiltonn rectoria—Mr [Petrus] Abithorne
Sawtrye beans rectoria—Mr [Thomas] Lentonn ) a Qua: a Mu: Sawtrye Moyne rectoria—Mr [Milo] Hall Woodstonn rectoria—Mr [Walterus] Baker Wood Waltonn rectoria—Mr [Robertus] Hutchinsonn a Oua: a Qua: Folkesworthe rectoria—Mr [Clemens] Cooke a Õua: Launces. Muskettes. Cor: Qua: Bowes.

Launces. Lighte hor: Petronells. Muskettes. Cor: Qua: Bowes. 9 48 46 96 40 283 192 Bills. Holberdes.

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GULIELMUS LINCOLNIENSIS

Folios 15d. and 16-blank.

Folio 16d. Endorsement: L[INCOLN D]IOCES

FOR PROVISION OF ARMOURE &c.

<sup>1</sup>A Subsidy of Armour and military furniture provided by the Clergy in the diocese of Lincoln at some time between the years 1585 and 1590.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1-1</sup> By a much later hand. For the date see Introduction.

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# A NOTE OF THE MINISTERS THAT ARE OF THE CONTY OF BUCK. WTHIN MY L. BISSHOP OF LINCOLNES DIOCESE TAKEN IN AUG. 1595.

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

When they were made ministers & by whome

When instituted & admitted & by whome

Roger Browne parson of Farnham Ryall

13. octob. 1566 byBissh. Grindall thenBissh. of londonRoger Browne

1º Maij 1589 by Bissh. Wickham late of Lincolne

Roger Browne

John king parson of taplow and sturton

7° Julij et 24° novemb: 1560. by byshoppe coxe bysshoppe of ely John king instituted into sturton in commit: wilts 22° decemb: 1565 into taplow in commit: buck: 10° augusti 1567. my dispensation for ij benifices was sealed 20° Julij. 1567. being then sir nic: bacons chaplein, lord keeper of the great seale, whose letters testimoniall I have for the

same

John king

Randall wright vicar of Burnham

4° aprilis. a° M.D. Octogesimo secundo. By Bys Ouerton at Eccleshall. you did see my orders at the laste visitation

Randall wright

## [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1597-1600.]

## [Lincoln Diocesan Registry.]

Folio 1.

BARTON IN LUTO—Samuell Foulke, rector there. He was instituted 30 Sept., 1570. He was inducted 1 Oct., 1570.

MEPersall—Richard Revner, rector there; subscribed 3 May, 1574, in the presence of Thomas Cooper, bishop of Lincoln, as by certificate of Bishop William, made after search, 23 Sept., 1585. He was ordained priest 28 Sept., 1567, by the bishop of Peterborough.

Potegrave—John Raynes, rector there. He was ordained priest 19 May, 1592, by the bishop of 'Dorobor:'2

AMPTHILL—Alexander Stockwell, rector there. He was ordained priest by Adam, archbishop of Dublin, 7 Mar., 1557.<sup>3</sup> The same was instituted by Thomas bishop of Lincoln, 13 Jan., 1574.

Chalgraue—John Bellamie, vicar there; subscribed to the articles, 5 Sept., 13 Elizabeth.

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Folio 1d.

STEPINGLEY—Edward Sutton, rector there; was instituted 23 April, 1567, by Nicholas bishop of Lincoln. The same was ordained priest by Thomas bishop of St. Asaph, 25 Mar., 1562.

FLITTON—Thomas Fall, vicar there; was ordained priest 28 Sept., 1567,4 by Edmund bishop of Peterborough. The same subscribed to the articles 20 Nov., 1580.

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Folio 2.

the same was instituted the same day. Chaplain of John Sarum under seal dated 24 June, 1585. Dispensed 26 June, 1585.

SWANBURNE—Thomas Lownes, vicar there; was instituted by Thomas bishop of Lincoln, 5 Mar., 1578. The same subscribed to the articles the same day.

MURESLEY—William Smith, rector of Muresly, was instituted by Thomas Lincoln, 11 Sept., 1580.

Horwood Magna—William Swaddon, ordained priest 31 Aug., 1588, by John bishop of Sarum.

4 '1577' at p. 129.

<sup>1</sup> For the date see Introduction.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Durham' in L.C., 1614, f. 94. <sup>3</sup> Cp. p. 129, where a different account of his ordination is given.

## [ELECTION OF PROCTORS

## FOR

## CONVOCATION.]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

## [I. ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN, A.D. 1597.]

Public instrument [similar in form to the instrument of the clergy of the archdeaconry of Slow (see below), but less verbose] of the clergy of the archdeaconry of Lincoln, appointing Master Thomas Rands, M.A., commissary and official of the said archdeaconry, and Master Thomas Tailor, public notary, writer of the acts and registrar of the said archdeaconry, jointly and severally, as their proctors to appear before William bishop of Lincoln in the church of St. Mary in Stamford, on 30 September, 1597, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and there to elect, together with the clergy of the other archdeaconries of the diocese of Lincoln, two proctors for the whole clergy of the said diocese to appear at the city of Westminster on 24 October following. Sealed with the seal [missing] of the said Thomas Rands, official and commissary. Dated 27 September, 1597.

Endorsed: Nomina Cleri Lincolniensis Diocæseos.

## Folio 1.

#### LINCOLN

St Botulph's	Marshall, Sir W., curate
St Peter's at Gote	Tailor, Sir W., curate
St Mark's	Willie, Sir Henry, curate
St Mary's	Crowther, Mr W., vicar
St Benedict's	Halley, Sir John, curate
St Swithin's	Sergeant, Sir Robert, curate
St Peter's at Arches	Gartsidd, Sir Adam, rector
St Martin's	Lide, Sir John, vicar
St Michael's	Gartsid, Sir Adam, curate
St Paul's	Foster, Mr Richard, curate
St Peter's in Eastgate	Nicolsone, Sir Robert, curate
St Nicholas' in Newport	Sergeant, Sir Robert, curate
St Mary Magdalene's	Digles, Mr Christopher, rector
St Margaret's	Muttche, Sir George, curate

#### LONGOBOBIE

Armestone Harrisone, Sir Constantine, vicar Bothebie Prigeon, Mr Francis, rector Folio 1d.

Folio 2.

Bracebrige Braunceton

Blankney Billingaie Canwicke Colbie

Dunstone Hanworthe Kirkebie Methringham Noctone Naunbie

Scopewicke Skynnand Timberland Wadington

Welborne Whashingburgh Wellingor

Willie, Sir Henry, vicar Dale, Mr Cutbert, rector Barker, Sir John, curate Lownde, Mr W., rector Ionson, Sir William, vicar Tailor, Sir William, vicar Lange, Sir William, vicar Griffinne, Sir John, vicar Bedford, Mr Amos, rector Martine, Sir Nicholas, vicar Willsone, Sir Richard, vicar Howghton, Mr Robert, vicar Bradocke, Mr Thomas, rector Webster, Sir Richard, curate Bonde, Sir George, vicar Haworthe, Mr Michael, rector Humbleton, Sir Thomas, vicar Sowthaike, Mr Alexander, rector Vincent, Sir John, curate Trigge, Mr Francis, rector Browne, Mr Hugh, rector Niccolls, Sir John, vicar

## **GRAFFO**

Gee, Alexander, vicar Bawdwyne, Sir John, curate Barnes, Mr John, rector Devyas, Sir John, rector Kellett, Mr Richard, vicar Bithell, Sir Ralph, rector Blomley, Sir George, vicar Russell, Mr Thomas, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate Wilsone, Sir John, vicar Griffen, Sir Thomas, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate Alredd, Sir Edward, vicar [blank], Sir Robert, [blank]¹ Gee, Sir Alexander, rector Boothe, Sir John, curate

## LAFFORD

Wilsone, Sir Robert, vicar Carre, Mr Thomas, rector Norrys, Sir Nicholas, curate Somersall, Mr Francis, rector Williams, Mr William, rector Skochie, Sir Thomas, vicar Colsell, Mr W., rector Willertone, Sir W., curate Howldesworthe, Sir H., rector

Awborne

Basingham Bultham Carltone Dodington Egle Hikam

Northondisney Northscarle Stapleford Swinderby Skellingthorp Thorp Thurlbie

Amwicke Aswarbie

Awnsbie Asgarbie Ashebie

Folio 2d. Bloxame

Braunswell

<sup>1</sup> Robert Vaughan was incumbent of Skellingthorpe in 1603 (L.C., 1603, f. 45).

Burtone Cranwell Digbie Dirrington Eveden Howell Heckinton Hale Helpringham Iwarbie Ingoldesbie Kirkebie Peter's Sleaford, New Lessingam, North Lesingam, South Quarrington Rowston Ruskinton Ruskinton Rawcebie Skredington Swarbie Willoughbie

Evatt, Mr Richard, vicar Jonsonne, Sir Thomas, curate Palframan, Sir John, vicar Bower, Sir Ralph, vicar Glen, Mr W., rector Whelpdale, Sir Charles, rector Morley, Sir Thomas, vicar Browne, Sir Robert, vicar Larke, Sir Samuel, vicar Williamson, Sir John, vicar Fisher, Mr John, rector Carre, Mr Thomas, curate Duffeild, Mr Thomas, curate Newton, Sir Edward, vicar Morrys, Mr John, rector Noke, Sir Thomas, rector Hittchcocke, Mr Robert, rector Berisford, Mr Francis, vicar Willimott, Sir William, rector Willerton, Sir W., vicar Talbott, Sir John, vicar Rattcheford, Sir Richard, vicar Beare, Sir Thomas, vicar Tuke, Mr Hugh, rector

## Folio 3.

#### LOVEDEN

Ancaster Benington Beckingam

Brawghton

Caithorpe Carlton Scroop Claipoll, North Claiepoll, South Fulbecke

Folio 3d.

Houghe Hougham Normanton Stubton Lednam Westburghe Westburghe

Gace, Sir Richard, vicar Bromhead, Sir Edward, vicar Jegon, Mr John, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate Robineson, Mr John, rector Wrighte, Sir Thomas, curate Thorold, Mr Thomas, rector Pointell, Sir William, rector Towneroe, Sir Thomas, rector Crosfeild, Mr Martin, rector Robineson, Mr John, rector Watson, Sir John, curate Ruston, Sir Matthias, vicar Nelson, Mr Henry, rector Moore, Sir Henry, rector Bromley, Mr Henry, rector Lange, Sir Richard, rector Wilsone, Mr Christopher, rector Sharpe, Sir Andrew, vicar

#### GRAUNTAM

Buttrie, Mr Simon, rector Thornton, Mr James, rector Pratt, Mr John, rector Mapletofte, Sir W., curate Battie, Mr Edward, rector

Allington Barowghbie Beltone

Barkestone

Folio 4.

Boothebie Denton Grantam, North Grauntam, South Grantham, North Grauntam, South Gunerbie Harlaxtone

Honington
Heither
Londonthorp
Paunton, Great
Paunton, Little
Roppesley
Stroxton
Segbrooke church
Segbroke deaconship
Scistone
Sapertone
Somerbie
Willesforthe
Welbie
Wolstrop

Warde, Sir Ambrose, rector Whiteheade, Mr Anthony, rector Conwaie, Mr Abraham, rector Barkesdale, Mr William, rector Lodington, Mr Stephen, vicar Bryane, Mr Robert, vicar Atkinsone, Sir Richard, curate Calverley, Mr Ralph, rector Robineson, Sir Nicholas, curate Gace, Sir Richard, vicar Towne, Sir Leonard, vicar Mapletofte, Sir William, curate Gelstrop, Mr Francis, rector Griffithe, Sir James, rector Askewe, Sir John, rector Hanson, Sir James, rector Gibsone, Sir Robert, rector Buttrie, Mr Simon, deacon Roper, Sir John, curate Turnbull, Sir William, rector Bawtrie, Mr Robert, rector Stevens, Sir Richard, rector Gace, Sir Thomas, rector Thornton, Mr James, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate Nicolls, Sir John, rector

Folio 4d.

#### BELTISLOWE

Basingthorpe
Bitham, Great
Bitham, Little
Bittchefeild
Birtone
Carebie
Colsterworthe
Corbie
Creetone
Ednam
Gunbie

Wivell

Irneham

Lavington Northw/tham Sowthwitham Stevenbie Skillington

Folio 5. Skillington Stoke, South Stoke, North Swafeild Russell, Mr Thomas, vicar Idle, Sir W., vicar Rowthe, Sir Peter, rector Edwards, Sir Richard, vicar Pollard, Mr William, rector Browne, Sir William, rector Hodgkine, Mr William, rector Elame, Sir Richard, vicar Nicolls, Sir William, rector Milnes, Mr Robert, curate Richardsone, Sir John, rector Tune, Sir Simon, curate Hansone, Mr John, rector Bull, Sir John, curate Dale, Sir Thomas, vicar Sandes, Sir John, rector Smith, Sir Benedict, rector Browne, Sir Matthew, rector Parker, Sir John, vicar Hodgeson,1 Mr W., rector Walker, Mr Nicholas, rector Mennys, Mr John, rector

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Hotchkins' in L.C., 1603, f. 40.

Swinstead Withame

Nicolls, Sir W., vicar Crosedale, Sir John, vicar

#### STAMFORD

All Saints' St. George's St. Michael's St. John's St. Mary's

Hansone, Mr John, vicar Snawdon, Sir Richard, rector Shortehose, Sir Thomas, rector Snawdon, Sir Richard, rector Erdale, William, curate

#### NESS

Braceburghe Bastone Barholme Carlebie Deepinge, Guthlac's Grettford Langtofte Stowe Tallington Thurlbie Uffington

Westdeepinge

Aslackbie

Harryman, Mr Gawin, rector Cowper, Mr Henry, vicar Bull, Sir John, vicar Baguley, Mr Thomas, rector Colsell, Mr William, rector Stainton, Mr Lawrence Gregg, Sir Robert, vicar Gregg, Sir Hamlett, curate Wright, Sir Robert, curate Baker, Sir William, vicar Stainton, Mr Lawrence, rector Hunte, Sir Anthony, rector

#### AVELAND

Bourne Billingburgh Dunsbie Dowesbie Demelbie Folkingha*m* Horblinge Hacebie Haconbie Kirkebie Mortone Newtone Osborneby Pickworth Rippingale, two parts Sempringa*m* Swatone Spanbie Threkingam

Maborne, Sir Alexander, vicar Jacksone, Sir John, vicar Hill, Mr Anthony, vicar Boltone, Sir W., rector Buckbery, Sir Robert, rector Tomlinson, Sir Richard, rector Hoskins, Sir John, rector Savill, Sir John, curate Bradstreete, Sir Simon, vicar Bordeman, Sir Edward, rector Gamon, Sir Thomas, vicar Griffith, Sir James, rector Buttler, Sir Richard, curate Franke, Sir Thomas, vicar Gamon, Sir George, rector Whaley, Sir Miles, rector [blank], Sir [blank], rector Collingwoodd, Sir Robert Rippingale, the third part Collingwoodd, Sir Robert Lloyd, Sir James, curate Carrington, Sir Richard, vicar Carrington, Sir Edward, curate Tompsone, Mr Henry, vicar Whale, Sir Miles, rector Rocheford, Sir [blank<sup>2</sup>], curate

Willughbie Walcote

Folio 5d.

Folio 6.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Robert Cooke, the rector, was buried 27 Sept., 1597.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Robert' in L.C., 1603, f. 39.

Folio 6d.

## SOWTHOLLAND

Cowbitt Croyland Fleete Gedney

Gedney fenend
Holbeche
Luttonne
Moultone Chapel
Pinchbecke
Surflett
Suttone Mary's
Suttone Edmund's
Spaldinge
Sutton James'
Tidd Mary's
Whaplod

Whaplode Drove

Sellers, Sir Peter, curate Chapman, Sir Robert, curate Wiltone, Mr Moses, rector Daye, Mr John, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate Hodgkinsone, Sir William, curate Bradbury, Sir Ottiwell, vicar Dove, Sir Philip, curate Ashetone, Mr James, vicar Skarlett, Nicholas, curate Athertone, Mr Thomas, vicar [blank], Sir [blank], curate Key, Mr Francis, vicar Tailor, Sir James, curate Browne, Mr William, curate Claxton, Sir George, curate Fell, Mr Thomas, rector Frekingam, Sir Clement, vicar Odlinge, Sir Edward, priest Collier, Sir Robert, curate

#### NORTHOLLAND

Algarkirke

Westone

Butterwicke Benington

Bostonne Brothertofte Bicker

Folio 7.

Doningtone
Fossedicke
Frampton
Freestone
Gosbertowne
Kirtone
Levertone, South

Levertone, North Leake

Quadringe Swinshead Skirkbecke

Suttertone Tofte Wigtofte Wrangle Wiberton Graunte, Mr Edward, rector Wooll, Sir Thomas, curate Clarke, Mr W., vicar Britten, Mr Stephen, rector Warde, Sir Thomas, curate Wrighte, Mr Samuel, vicar Rawlett, Robert, curate Buttler, Sir Thomas, vicar Menithorp, Sir Roger, curate Pike, Mr George, vicar Ireland, Sir Francis, curate Shelley, Sir John, vicar Leake, Sir Thomas, vicar Hudsone, Sir Simon, vicar Tukeney, Mr William, rector Peachame, Mr Henry, rector Peachame, Mr Henry, rector Browne, Sir Thomas, vicar Harte, Sir James, vicar Abraham, Mr Adam, vicar Pratt, Mr John, rector Browne, Sir [blank], curate Ellyott, Mr Robert, vicar Ingoldsbie, Mr Anthony, rector Gartsid, Sir John, vicar Frauncis, Sir Nicholas, vicar Calverley, Mr Ralph, rector Tompson, Sir Robert, curate

## Folio 7d.

#### HORNCASTLE

Ashebie Bamburghe Coningesbie Dalderbie Edlington Horncastle Haltam Kirkbie Langton Maringe Morebie Marome Martone Roughtone Skrevelsbie Tointon Chapel Thimblebie Tointon Magna Thornton Tatteshall

Welbie, Sir Percival, curate Geaves, Sir William, curate Skeltone, Mr William, rector Hodsone, Sir John, rector Corbrig, Mr Thomas, vicar Hollinghedge, Mr Robert, vicar Salmon, Sir John, rector Clarke, Sir George, rector Kirke, Mr Urian, rector Silvester, Sir George, curate Woodlief, Sir Gilbert, rector Corey, Sir Thomas, rector Tailor, Sir Thomas, rector Hodgeson, Sir Clement<sup>1</sup> Hawghton, Mr John<sup>2</sup> Lake, Sir Richard, curate Conyers, Mr John, rector Cockborne, Mr George<sup>3</sup> Greene, Mr Thomas4 Woodd, Sir John, curate  $\lceil blank \rceil$ Hiron, Mr W., rector Kirke, Mr Urian, curate Greene, Mr Thomas, rector Hawes, Sir [blank], curate

Mylner, Sir John, curate

Folio 8.

Woodenderby Chapel Wadingworthe Wooddall Wilkesbie

Wispington

#### HILL

Aswarbie

Ashebie Puerorum Bagenderby Brinckle Claxbie Fulletbie

Folio 8d. Gretham Hameringham Hagworthinga*m* Harrington Kettisbie Langton Oxcombe Skrafeild

> Southormesbie Somersbie Salmonbie Sawcethorpe

Thorpe, Sir James, rector Bradley, Sir Thomas, curate Allen, Sir Robert, vicar Blackborne, Sir Anthony, rector Thornes, Sir Marmaduke, rector Fitzwilliam, Sir Augustine, rector Allen, Mr Samuel, rector Cockborne, Mr George, rector Hunterhowe, Sir Roger, rector Tansaie, Mr Theodore, rector Bewett, Sir Gabriel, rector Vacant Burtone, Mr Brian, rector Boothe, Sir George, rector Lake, Sir Richard, rector Jonsone, Sir John, rector Allen, Sir Robert, rector Phillipps, Mr Robert, rector

Fowler, Sir Thomas, rector

He was rector in 1603 (L.C., 1603, f. 53).
 He was rector in 1603 (L.C., 1603, f. 54).
 He was rector (p. 78; L.C., 1603, f. 54).
 He was instituted to the vicarage, 16 Mar., 1586-7 (Cert.).

Tettford Winceby

Asterbie

Key, Mr John, rector Silvester, Sir George, rector

#### GARTRE

Bucknall
Belcheford
Calkewell
Donington
Gawdbie

Golcebie Horsington

Myntinge Hemingbie Randbie Stainton Sturton Stanigote Stixwould Greene, Sir Richard, rector Wrighte, Sir Arthur, rector Conyers, Mr John, rector Greene, Sir H., vicar Kent, Sir Thomas, rector Tailor, Sir Robert, rector Beverley, Sir Richard, curate Howldon, Sir Peter, vicar Tansaie, Mr Theodore, rector Lawley, Sir Jolin, curate Beverley, Sir Richard, vicar Sturdevante, Mr Simon<sup>1</sup> Feild, Sir John, curate Feild, Sir John, curate Seamer, Sir W., vicar Allelay, Sir Robert, rector Travers, Sir Richard, vicar

Metcalf, Sir Roger

#### BULLINGBROOKE

Folio 9d.

Asgarbie
Bullingbrooke
Enderby
Easterkeale, North
Easterkeale, South

Haltone

Haghneby
Haireby
Hundleby
Kirkbie
Lusbie
Myningesbie
Raithbie
Spillesbie
Stickney
Steepinge, Little
Stickford
Sibsaie
Thorp

Tointon Peter's, South

Tointon Peter's, North

Tointon All Saints

Folio 10.

Throckmorton, Sir Raphael, rector Metcalf, Sir Roger, rector Jacksone, Mr George, rector Jacksone, Sir William, rector Howsone, Sir John, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate [blank] Airey, Mr Hugh, rector Rawlins, Sir Robert, vicar Risinge, Sir Richard, vicar Downes, Mr John, rector Vstwaite, Mr Edward, rector Willertone, Sir John, rector Ketridge, Mr Samuel, curate Price, Mr Meredith, rector Stubbs, Mr John, rector Abraham, Sir Thomas, vicar Ryley, Sir Christopher, vicar West, Sir Richard, vicar Turpine, Mr Richard, vicar Howsone, Sir John, rector [blank], Sir [blank], curate

#### CANDLESHOE

Ardlethorpe Askby

Westerkeale

Mottrame, Sir Thomas, rector Englishe, Sir John, rector

Jacksone, Mr George, rector

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> He was instituted to the rectory, 3 Dec., 1594 (Cert.).

Borowe Braitofte Candelsbie Dalby Dribie Friskney Firsbie Gunby

Folio 10d. Ingollmells Irby Orbie

Partney

Sutterby Skreimeby Skendleby Skegnes Stepinge, Great Winthorpe

Waineflete All Saints' Waineflete Mary's

Welton

Anderby

Cooke, Sir Alexander, vicar Ithell, Mr Leonard, rector Devyas, Sir Robert, rector Bingham, Mr Charles, vicar Ribie, Sir William, curate Houlden, Mr Martin, rector Turpine, Mr Richard, vicar Kinsaie, Sir John, rector Burley, Sir John, rector Clarke, Mr John, rector Parker, Sir Francis, curate Prior, Sir Richard, vicar Digley, Mr Christopher, rector Dynnys, Sir John, curate Houlden, Mr Martin, rector Foster, Mr Richard, rector Foster, Mr Richard, rector Coxon, Sir Hamon, rector Lord, Sir Henry, vicar Waade, Sir Thomas, vicar Foster, Mr Henry, rector Joyes, Sir Thomas, curate Enderbie, Sir John, curate

### Folio 11.

#### CALCEWAITH

Abie Alford Beesbie Billesbie Cawthorpe Cumberworth Claxbie Calcebie Farlesthorpe Gaitone Hanney Hotofte Hoggesthorpe Hellowe Folio 11d. Hawghe

Legborne Mablethorpe Peter's Mablethorp Mary's Mumby Mumby Chapel Maultbie Markebie

Lathewett, Sir William<sup>2</sup> Smythe, Sir William, curate Vawgham, Mr Francis, vicar Adamsone, Sir Edward, curate Overtone, Sir Joseph, vicar Smithe, Mr Robert, rector Vaugham, Mr Francis, vicar Fairebarne, Sir Henry, vicar Parker, Sir William, curate Wightman, Sir Gilbert, rector Dennys, Sir Christopher, vicar Skarburghe, Sir Thomas, vicar Pratt, Mr William, rector Whalley, Sir John, curate Skortrethe, Sir George, rector Shawe, Sir John, vicar Allen, Mr Richard, rector Miles, Sir William, curate Webster, Sir Edward, curate Salmon, Sir John, rector Veale, Sir Thomas, rector Fryer, Sir Alan, vicar Chapman, Sir William, curate Martine, Mr Henry, rector Marshall, Sir Richard, curate

<sup>1</sup> Diggles in P.D., 1585, no. 10, and P.D., 1601, no. 31.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was instituted to the rectory, 13 Sept., 1591 (Cert.).

Folio 12.

Reston, Sowth Sutton

Salebie Swabie Staine **Tottill** 

Thedlethorp All Saints' The dlethorp Helen's

Trustrop Thoresbie

Willughbie Witherne Ulcebie Well

Shepherd, Sir Baldwin, rector Sparke, Mr Thomas, rector Richardson, Sir [blank], curate Thorpe, Sir James, vicar Balgaie, Mr Paul, rector Willingam, Sir Samuel, rector Smithe, Sir Roger, rector Adamsone, Sir Edward, curate Marshall, Sir Ralph, curate Simons, Mr William, rector Pattinsone, Sir John, rector Myles, Sir William, rector Roodes, Sir Richard, curate Sadler, Sir Libeus, rector Madisone, Sir Nicholas, rector Gunnas, Sir Francis, rector Simons, Mr William, rector Rodes, Sir Richard, curate

Barrett, Thomas, curate

Lyme, Sir Simon, rector

Hewett, Sir Anthony, curate

Lathewett, Sir William, rector

Thorndike, Sir George, curate

Hindemarshe, Sir W., vicar

### LOWTHESKE

Alvinga*m* Awthorp Burwell

Carlton, Little

Carlton, Castle Folio 12d. Carltone, Great

Coningesholme

Conam Bartholomew's

Conam Mary's

Cockerington Leonard's Marshall, Sir Francis, vicar Cockerington Mary's

Calstrop Estwickam Farfourthe Fotherbie Fulstowe Grainthorp

Grymolbie Grymesbie, Little

Gaitone Haugham Hallington Jarburghe Kelsterne

Kedington Lowth

Ludburghe Marshe Chappell Manbie

Mucktone Northelkinton Ormesbie

Porter, Sir Richard, rector Bucke, Sir W., rector West, Sir Thomas, rector Barrett, Sir Thomas, curate Thornell, Sir Richard, vicar Thornell, Sir Richard, vicar Yates, Sir Thomas, rector Robinesone, Sir Thomas, vicar Clarke, Sir George, vicar Maultbie, Sir John, curate Dale, Sir Robert, rector

Robinson, Sir Thomas, curate Bartlemewe, Sir Richard, rector Coe, Sir John, vicar

Harrys, Sir Richard, curate Jonsone, Sir John, rector Pannott, Sir Robert, vicar [blank], Sir [blank], curate

Dowghtie, Sir Robert, vicar Allen, Mr David, rector Dawsone, Sir John, curate Downes, Mr John, rector

Beckeringe, Sir Robert, rector Wykame, Mr Robert, vicar

Kelke, Sir John, vicar

Folio 13.

Ruckland
Raithbie
Restone
Saltletbie All Saints'
Saltlettbie Clement's
Saltletbie Peter's
Skidbrooke
Somercote Mary's
Somercote Peter's
Stewtone
Southelkinton
Tathewell
Vtterbie
Wyame

Lever, Sir Ralph, rector Hambye, Mr Richard, rector Dyon, Sir Thomas, vicar Leonard, Mr Thomas<sup>1</sup> Cramer, Sir Henry, rector Squyer, Mr John, rector Die, Sir William, vicar Williamsone, Sir John, vicar Palmer, Mr John, rector Askewe, Sir Hugh, rector Reade, Mr Thomas, vicar Hattfeild, Sir Reginald, vicar Kelke, Sir John, curate Mumbie, Sir Thomas, rector Kighley, Sir John, rector Hanson, Sir George, rector

Folio 13d. Wyame Weltone

Withcall

Ailesbie

## GRYMESBIE

Aishbie Bradley Beelesbie Barnolbie Briggesley Cote, Great Cote, Little Clee Coxwould Caborne Grymesby James' Grainesbie Helinge HattCliff Humberstone Howton Hawerbie Irby Laceby Northcote Newtone Rothewell Skartho Swinhoppe Swallowe Thoresbie Tetney Waithe

Waltham

Folio 14.

Wimpraie, Sir Matthew, curate Parenchief, Mr Richard, rector Whittle, Mr Thomas, rector Kettlewell, Sir Francis, rector Todd, Sir William, rector Moodie, Sir Hugh, rector Forman, Mr Thomas, rector Whittle, Mr Thomas, curate Lacebie, Sir William, curate Hansone, Sir Robert, rector Hansone, Sir Robert, vicar Lord, Sir Robert, vicar Humphrey, Mr Thomas, rector Hartinge, Sir William, rector Waters, Mr Oliver, rector Atkinsone, Mr Thomas, curate Baildon, Sir William, vicar Mortone, Sir William, rector Lanley,2 Mr Thomas Clarke, Mr John, rector Stubbs, Mr John, rector Pilkinton, Mr Thomas, rector Marrys, Mr Robert, rector Goulsone, Sir Martin, rector Swinsco, Sir John, rector Andrewe, Sir W., rector Mapletofte, Mr Hugh, rector Odlinge, Sir Richard, vicar Baildon, Sir William, curate Baines, Mr Richard, rector

1 He was instituted to the rectory 13 Dec., 1586 (Cert.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Thomas Langley was instituted to the rectory 4 Jan., 1591-2 (Cert.).

### YARBURGHE

Folio 15.

Barrowe Barnetbie Folio 14d. Bondbie Bartone Brokelsbie Cadney Croxton Caister Elsham Ferebie Girsbie Gouxill Horkestowe Haburghe Haltone Imingham Kirnington Killingholme

Bigbie

Kelbie Limber Kelsaie, North Nettleton Ribie Serebie

Somerbie Saxbie Stallingburgh Thornton Wrawbie Worlettbie Wotton

Ulcebie

Silvester, Sir John, rector Cooper, Sir W., vicar Bateman, Sir Richard, vicar Keningtone, Sir William, vicar

Reade, Sir Richard, vicar Cutbert, Mr Robert, rector Tincke, Sir John, vicar

Tompsone, Mr Thomas, rector Spensley, Sir George, vicar Juliane, Sir John, vicar Cockeshott, Sir Roger, rector Leache, Sir Thomas, vicar Holland, Sir John, vicar Gelder, Sir Hugh, vicar

Rayner, Sir Marmaduke, vicar Boothe, Sir John, vicar Skamondyne, Sir John, vicar Lanley, Sir Richard, vicar Boothe, Sir John, vicar Tilstone, Sir Hugh, curate Paynott, Sir Robert, curate

Bancrofte, Sir Thomas, vicar Elsham, Sir Clement, vicar Hooke, Mr Henry, rector Rayner, Sir Robert, vicar Berrie, Sir Thomas, vicar Tailor, Sir Robert, rector

Richardson, Mr Richard, rector Wells, Mr Thomas, vicar Walkington, Mr Thomas, vicar Bynnes, Mr Richard, vicar Hurst, Sir Roger, vicar Newton, Sir Thomas, vicar

Killingley, Sir Henry, vicar

### WALLESCROFTE

Binbrooke Mary's Binbroke Gabriel's Croxbie Claxbie Raisine, East

Kirkebie Kingerbie Kelsaie, Mary's Kelsaie, Nicholas' Lynwoodd

Normanbie Owersbie

Adams, Sir Richard, rector Carter, Sir Hugh, vicar Nailor, Sir William, rector Codd, Sir Richard, rector Storr, Mr William, vicar Fetherstone, Sir Robert, vicar Clarke, Sir Nicholas, vicar Foster, Mr John, rector BilCliff, Sir George, rector Bownell, Sir Mardocheus, rector Slade, Sir Ethelbert, curate Lawsone, Sir Thomas, rector BilCliff, Sir Thomas, rector West, Mr Ambrose, vicar

Folio 15d. Newtone

Rasine Drax
Rasinne Tupholme
Stainton
Thoreswaie
Thorganbie, three parts
,, the fourth part
Tevelbie

Toft

Thornton

Westraisinne Walesbie Willingam Uselbie Rawlinson, Sir Francis, vicar Tippine, Sir Thomas, vicar Feild, Sir William, rector Hattelif, Mr David, rector Feild, Sir W., rector Feild, Sir W., rector Feild, Sir W., rector Wrighte, Mr John, vicar Waters, Mr Oliver, rector Pattinson, Sir Robert, curate Billeliff, Sir George, rector Billeliff, Sir Hugh, curate Stokhame, Mr Thomas, rector Northend, Sir John, rector Wrighte, Mr John, vicar [blank], Sir [blank], curate

## WRAGGO

Folio 16.

Appley
Burghe
Biskerthorpe
Beningworthe
Bardney
Terrington, Est
Eastbarkeworthe

Hainton

Hatton Howltone

Kirmond
Lissington
Langton
Leggesbie
Ludforthe Magna
Ludforthe Parva
Paunton
Rande
Stainton
Snelland
Sixill
Stainefeild

Folio 16d. Sixill

Sixill
Stainefeild
Sotbie
Wickenby
Wragbie
Westerrington
Westbarkworth
Willingam

 $\lceil blank \rceil$ , Sir  $\lceil blank \rceil$ , curate Dowghtie, Sir Eustace, vicar Jonsone, Sir Thomas, rector Hooke, Mr Henry, rector Knowles, Sir Edward, vicar Chapman, Sir Christopher, rector Skelton, Mr William, rector Baxter, Sir Adam, curate Dighton, Sir Roger, vicar Cashe, Sir [blank], curate Wharf, Sir Robert, rector Garthe, Mr Gregory, rector Duncalf, Sir John, curate Seele, Sir Robert, vicar White, Mr John, vicar Depleche, Sir Robert, vicar Marshall, Sir Hamlet, vicar Blanchard, Sir George, vicar Britten, Sir Peter, rector Shepherd, Mr Walter, rector Barlowe, Sir Humphrey, rector Marshall, Sir Hamlet, vicar Pell, Sir W., rector Harrisone, Sir Humphrey, vicar [blank], Sir [blank], curate Whashingtone, Mr Alan, rector Bouthe, Mr Robert, rector Burtone, Sir Christopher, vicar Marchell, Sir William, vicar Prestone, Mr Richard, rector Bancrofte, Sir James, rector

## [II. ARCHDEACONRY OF STOW, A.D. 1597.]

Be it known to all men by the presents that we the clergy of the archdeaconry of Stow, of the diocese of Lincoln, as well in places exempt as not exempt, whose names are severally written in the paper book (quaternio) annexed to the presents, have ordained, nominated, made and appointed our beloved in Christ Master Thomas Randes, master of arts, official of dominus the archdeacon of Stow, and John Harrys, public notary, writer of the acts and registrar of the same archdeaconry, jointly and each of them by himself severally and completely (so that the one who acts shall not occupy a better position, but what one has begun either of them shall be able to prosecute in like manner and complete), our true, certain, lawful and undoubted proctors, doers, performers and managers of our business, and our special messengers; and we give and grant to our same proctors jointly, as is afore-rehearsed, and to each of them by himself severally, a general power and special mandate to appear for us and in our names and in the name of the whole clergy of the said archdeaconry of Stow before the reverend father in Christ and lord the lord William by divine permission bishop of Lincoln, or his vicar general in spirituals or any competent commissary in this behalf, in the parish church of the blessed Mary in the town of Stamford in the said diocese of Lincoln, on Friday, namely, the last day of the present month of September, before the hour of nine in the forenoon of the same day, and there, together with the clergy of the other archdeaconries of the said diocese of Lincoln, to nominate, appoint and elect two fit and sufficient proctors for the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln to appear before the reverend father in Christ and lord the lord John by divine providence archbishop of Canterbury, primate of all England and metropolitan, or any his substitute or commissary in this behalf, at the city of Westminster, on the twenty-fourth day of the month of October next ensuing, with continuation and prorogation of days thence following and places, to treat upon most weighty and urgent affairs which concern the security and defence of the church of England and the peace, quietness, public good and defence of this kingdom, to be then and there seriously laid before them; and to communicate and treat with any others ordained and appointed, and to give their counsel in the said affairs in our place and names and in the names of the whole clergy of the said archdeaconry of Stow; and in our names and the names of the whole clergy of the said archdeaconry of Stow to consent to or, if needful, to dissent from, those things which shall then and there, by common advisement, be lawfully and by agreement ordered and settled touching the honour of God and the church of England and the welfare of the kingdom of England and the whole commonwealth; and, further, to do and receive what the quality and nature of such matters demand and require of them; 'and to treat, agree and appoint concerning and touching the expenses of the said proctors1; and to substitute another or other proctor or proctors in their place, and to recall those so substituted or to be substituted; and again to take upon

<sup>1—1</sup> In the instrument of appointment of proctors by the clergy of the archdeaconry of Bedford, 28 Sept., 1597, the phrase is 'also to grant stipends and salaries to the said proctors nominated for the whole diocese of Lincoln.'

themselves and either of them the office of proctor as often and at such times as shall seem to them or either of them to be most expedient; and generally to do, perform and expedite all other and singular things which shall be necessary or in any way soever convenient in and about the premises, even if they demand a special mandate beyond what is expressed in the presents. And we promise to ratify, allow and confirm in perpetuity all and whatever our said proctors or their substitutes shall do, or any one of them shall do, in the premises or in any of the premises upon a hypothecation and assignment of all our goods; and we give a bond in this behalf by the presents. In witness whereof we have procured the seal of the official of dominus the archdeacon of Stow to be affixed to the presents. And we the aforesaid official, at the special request of the said persons to be appointed and of the clergy of the archdeaconry of Stow, have caused our seal to be affixed to the presents. Dated the twenty-seventh day of the month of September in the year of the Lord one thousand, five hundred and ninety-seven.

#### THE NAMES OF THE WHOLE CLERGY WITHIN Folio 1. THE ARCHDEACONRY OF STOW, 1597

## ASLACCHO DEANERY

Camringham Caynbie Coate Fillingham Glentworth Harpeswell Hemeswell Hackthorne Hanworth Ingham Normanbie Ounbie

Blybrowgh

Saxbie Spridlington

Willerton

Waddingham Peter's

Aschowgh, Henry, rector Arrowsmyth, Symon, vicar Lamynge, Richard, rector

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Bennett, Robert, curate Catline, Robert, vicar Bulcocke, Thomas, curate Bulcocke, Thomas, curate Dale, George, vicar Oram, Robert, rector Walker, Thomas, vicar Wade, Thomas, vicar Wright, Philip, rector Watson, Thomas, vicar Shawe, Robert, rector Ryley, Nicholas, vicar Crowther, William, rector

## Folio 1d. Folio 2.

## CORRINGHAM DEANERY

Blyton Belton Butterwicke Epworth Greingham

Melton, John, curate Rodes, John, curate Massey, Richard, rector Barnard, Richard, curate Wilson, Christopher, rector Fisher, Richard, curate Jackson, John, vicar Farmarie, William, rector

Atkinson, Robert, vicar

Gaynsbrowgh Hepam

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The seal is indecipherable.

Haxaie Kyrton Lawghton Lea Northorpe Owston Pilham Springthorppe

Folio 2d.

Scottonne

Scottor Wroote Newland, John, vicar Nayler, James, vicar Bull, Robert, vicar Walpoole, Theodore, rector Robothom, Ralph, curate Carleton, Robert, vicar Wraye, Ralph, rector

Farmarie, William, rector Cooper, John, rector Barlowe, John, curate Dawbney, John, rector Dobson, Robert, rector

Folio 3.

#### LAWRES DEANERY

Aystroppe Buslingthorpe Burton by Lincoln Bratilbie Broxholme Cherywillingham Carleton, South Carleton, North Dunholme Fyskerton Faldingworth Fristroppe Gretwell Gaytburton Kettilthorpe Knathe Marton

Folio 3d.

Marton
Netlam
Newton
Repham
Rysolme
Sudbrooke
Scothorne
Snarford
Scampton
Saxilbie
Stowe
Torcksey
Vpton
Willingham by Stowe

Luddington, Stephen, rector Sleade, Ethelbert, rector Huddleston, George, rector Luddington, Stephen, rector Rymington, Francis, rector Tuttie, John, vicar Johnson, Robert, curate Johnson, Robert, curate Dawson, William, curate Rodes, Francis, rector Pitman, John, rector Diggles, Christopher, rector Leades, John, curate Walpoole, Theodore, rector [blank][blank]Woodd, Thomas, curate Newton, Roger, vicar Mutche, George, curate Jackson, Christopher, vicar Sore, Vincent, vicar Hearde, John, rector Wright, John, rector Hallidaye, Abraham, vicar Pell, William, rector Smyth, Giles, rector Knyght, Humphrey, vicar Beswicke, John, curate Storre, Thomas, curate Damport, Thomas, vicar Garland, John, rector

Folio 4.

#### MANLAKE DEANERY

Althorpe

Awckborowgh Applebie Burton by Stather Browghton Meriton, George, rector Greve, Thomas, curate Clyffe, Richard, vicar Seward, Thomas, vicar Hall, Robert, vicar Robinson, William, rector

Bottisforth Crowle Flyxbrowgh Frodingham Halton Hibalstowe Luddington Maunton Messingham Roxbie Risbie Redburne Scawbie Whitton Winterton Wintringham Waddingham Mary's Jeneuer, Henry, vicar
Baldwine, John, vicar
Browne, Humphrey, rector
Goodwine, Roger, vicar
Forman, Richard, rector
Taylefare, William, vicar
Good, Robert, vicar
Turswell, Richard, rector
Robothom, Richard, vicar
Dowson, Robert, vicar
Shawe, George, vicar
Elston, John, vicar
Shepley, Sethe, vicar
Woade, George, vicar
Welbie, Robert, vicar
Forman, Robert, rector
Turswell, Richard, rector

Folio 4d.

## IIII. ARCHDEACONRY

## September, 1597

Public instrument [the form being very like the one printed on pages 184-5] of Edmund Buckley, S.T.D., rector of the parish church of Odell in the archdeaconry of Bedford, Robert Condall, s.r.d., rector of the parish church of Edworthe in the said archdeaconry, Robert Linford, s.t.b., rector of the church of St. John, Bedford, John Chambers, M.A., rector of the parish church of St. Mary in the town of Bedford, Edward Snagg, M.A., rector of Marston, William Aldridge, vicar of Wilthamstede, Paul Gother, M.A., rector of the parish church of Tingriff, Edward Brockitt, perpetual vicar of the perpetual vicarage of the parish church of L[ut]on, with the rest of our brethren the ministers and clergy of the archdeaconry of Bedford, whose names, benefices and cures are contained in the book annexed to the presents, appointing Thomas Archer, clerk, M.A., and Edward Culture, LL.B., public notary, jointly and severally as their proctors to appear before William bishop of Lincoln, or his vicar general in spirituals, or his commissary, in the parish church of the blessed Mary within the town of Stamford, on 30 September, 1597, at the hour of nine in the forenoon, and there to elect, together with the clergy of the other archdeaconries of the diocese of Lincoln, two proctors for the whole elergy of the said diocese, who shall appear in the name of the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln, on the day and in the place named in the queen's writ, etc. (see p. 184 and note). Sealed with the seal [missing] of Master William Smith, LL.D., official of the said archdeaconry. Dated 28 September, 1597.

> The names of the Clergy of the Archdeaconry of Bedford with their benefices and cures

## BEDFORD DEANERY

Bedford, St. Cuthbert's St. John's St. Peter's 3 4 St. Mary's

St. Paul's

. 5 6 Biddenham

Cardington

Cople Elstow

9 Goldington 10

Houghton Conquest ΙI

Houghton Gildable 12

Kempston 13 Willington 14

Wilshamstead 15

Wootton 16

## September, 1597

Foxcroft, William, rector Linford, Robert, s.T.B., rector Linford, Robert, s.T.B., rector Chamberlen, John, M.A., rector Noke, Edward, vicar Johnson, William, curate Watte, Thomas, M.A., vicar Hodson, Roger, vicar Ryseley, Robert, M.A., curate Robberte, Oliver, vicar Archer, Thomas, M.A., rector

Wheler, Richard, vicar Topcliffe, Augustine, M.A., vicar Aldridge, Thomas, M.A., vicar Levorock, Richard, M.A., vicar

## OF BEDFORD.]

## October, 1601

Public instrument [the form being very like the one printed on pages 184-5] of Edmund Buckley, s.t.d., rector of the parish church of Odell, Richard Neale, s.t.d., rector of the parish church of Tuddington, Nathaniel Gilbey, S.T.P., William Mawde, rector of Clifton, William Stone, rector of Aspley, and George Ridley, rector of the parish church of Yealden, in the archdeaconry of Bedford, and also of the whole clergy of the said archdeaconry, as well in places exempt as not exempt, whose names and surnames are contained in the book annexed to the presents, being assembled chapterwise (capitulariter), appointing Thomas Archer, S.T.P., rector of Haughton Conquest and Gildable, and Arthur Clauer, by sufficient authority public notary, jointly and severally, as their proctors to appear before William bishop of Lincoln, or his vicar general in spirituals, or his commissary, in the parish church of the blessed Mary in the town of Stamford, on Friday, 16 October, 1601, to appoint two proctors to appear and be present for them and for the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln, with the rest of the clergy of the whole kingdom of England, as well in the parliament of the queen's majesty, our supreme head, in the cathedral church of St. Paul in London, on 28 October next, or elsewhere, as also in the convocation of the church and of the whole clergy and ecclesiastical persons of this kingdom of England, etc. Sealed with the official seal [missing] of Master William Smithe, LL.D., commissary and official of the archdeaconry of Bedford. Dated 13 October, 1601.

March, 1603-4

The instrument appointing proctors for the election is missing, Interual evidence shows the date to be about the beginning of March, 1603-4, in view of the meeling of convocation on 20 Mar., 1603-4.]

## October, 1601

- Foxcroft, William, rector
- Gilbye, Nathaniel, rector Linford, Martin, rector
- Chambers, John, rector
- Dennis, Andrew, vicar
- Johnson, William, curate
- Watte, Thomas, vicar
- Hudson, Francis, vicar Bradley, Hugh, curate 9
- ΙΟ
- Roberte, Oliver, vicar Archer, Thomas, rector ΙI
- Archer, Thomas 12
- Wheeler, Richard, vicar 13
- Toplife, Augustine, vicar 14 Rislye, Robert, vicar 15
- 16 Totnam, Humphrey, vicar

## March, 1603-4

Foxcroft, William, rector Gilbie, Nathaniel, rector Linford, Martin, rector Chambere, John, rector Denis, Andrew, vicar Gowin, William, curate . atte . . . vicar . . . son, Robert, vicar Hunlebie, Robert, curate Roberte, Oliver, vicar Archer, Thomas, rector

Wheeler, Richard, vicar Topliffe, Augustine, vicar Riseley, Robert, vicar Totnam, Humphrey, vicar

## CLAPHAM DEANERY

- Bletsoe
- 2 Bromham
- 3 Carlton
- Chellington
- Clapham
- Farndish
- Felmersham c. Pavenham
- 7 Felmersl 8 Harrold
- 9 Knotting
- 10 Milton Ernest
- 11 Oakley
- 12 Odell
- 13 Podington
- 14 Sharnbrook 15 Souldrop
- 16 Stagsden
- Stevington
- 17 18 Turvey
- 19 Wymington

## DUNSTABLE DEANERY

- Barton le Cley (in Luto)
- Battlesden
- Caddington
- Chalgrave
- Dunstable Eaton Bray
- Higham Gobion
- Hockliffe
- Houghton Regis 9
- 10 Luton
  - ΙI Milton Bryan
  - 12 Pottesgrove
  - 13 Streatly
  - 14 Studham

  - SundonTilsworthToddington
  - 18 Totternhoe
  - Whipsnade 19

### EATON DEANERY

- Barford, Great
- 2 Bolnhurst
- 3 Colmworth

- Dean
- Eaton Socon 5
- Keysoe

## September, 1597

Barton, Nicholas, vicar Welle, Thomas, rector Welle, Thomas, rector Grosse, Thomas, vicar

Banister, Thomas, M.A., vicar

Paule, Robert, vicar

Alvey, Arthur, M.A., rector

Sutton, Robert, vicar

Chamberlen, Thomas, vicar Buckley, Edmund, s.T.P., rector

Woodmansey, Francis, vicar

Mason, Thomas, rector Payne, William, vicar Kinge, Henry, vicar

Buckock, Thomas, rector

Chaterton, George, rector

Foulke, Samuel, rector Emout, Michael, rector Roberte, Rice, vicar Bellamey, John, vicar

Houghton, William, vicar Giles, Walter, rector Bentam, Thomas, rector Rogers, Roger, vicar Brokett, Edward, vicar Collins, Thomas, rector Raynes, John, rector Eames, William, vicar

Watte, Mark, vicar Lawson, William, vicar Sage, William, rector Ward, John, vicar Twisell, W.,1 rector

Welch, William, vicar Joones, Lewis,2 rector Alwood, John, rector Burbeck, William, curate Linsell, William, curate White, Peter, vicar [blank], vicar

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Nicholas.' He was instituted 4 Aug., 1593 (Cert).
<sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Hugh' (see P.D., 1596, no. 35).

## October, 1601

- Orme, Robert, rector
- Barton, Nicholas, vicar
- Wells, Thomas, rector Wells, Thomas, rector
- 3 4 5 6
- Foxeroft, William, vicar
- Johnson, John, rector Craven, Nicholas, vicar
- 7 8
- Pawle, Robert, vicar
- Alvye, Arthur, rector 9
- 10 S... n, Robert, vicar
- Chamberleyn, Thomas, vicar ΙI
- 12
- Woodmansey, Francis, vicar 13
- Nortbye, Thomas, vicar 14
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- Mason, Thomas, rector Payne, William, vicar Kinge, William, vicar 16
- 17
- 18 Buckat, Thomas
- Chaterton, George, rector 19

  - Fulke, Samuel, rector Emot, Michael, rector
- Roberte, Rice, vicar
- Bellamy, John, vicar
- 4 5 6 Gale, Henry, curate
- Houghton, John, vicar
- Giles, Walter, rector
- 7 8 Bentham, Thomas, rector
- 9 Rogers, Roger, vicar
- Brocket, Edward, vicar 10
- Collins, Thomas, rector ΙI
- I 2
- Raynes, John, rector Eams, William, vicar 13
- 14 Dodkin, Thomas, vicar
- 15 Parkington, John, vicar
- 16 Lawson, John, vicar
- 17 18 Neale, Richard, rector
- Ward, John, vicar
- Twisell, Nicholas, rector 19
  - Welche, William, rector
  - Jones, Hugh, rector
- Alwood, John, rector Barber, John, curate Linsey, William, curate White, Peter, vicar

- Elinge, Robert, vicar

## March, 1603-4

Orme, Robert, rector Barton, Nicholas, vicar

Welle, Thomas, rector Welle, Thomas, rector

Cox, George, vicar

Johnson, John, rector Craven, Nicholas, vicar

Paulie, Robert, vicar

Alvey, Arthur, rector

Sutton, Robert, vicar Chamberlaine, Thomas, vicar

Buckley, Edmund, rector

Woodmansy, Francis, vicar Whitbie, Thomas, vicar

Mason, Thomas, rector Paine, William, vicar

King, Henry, vicar

Buckocke, Thomas, rector

Chadderton, George, rector

Foulke, Samuel, rector

Marshe, Richard, rector

Roberte, Rice, vicar

Bellamie, John, vicar

Richardson, John, curate

Houghton, John, vicar

Gyles, Walter, rector

Bentham, Thomas, rector

Roger<sub>f</sub>, Roger, vicar

Brockett, Edmund, vicar

Colline, Thomas, rector

Reynes, John, rector

Emes, William, vicar

Dodkin, Thomas, vicar

Partenton, John, vicar

Lawson, John, vicar Neale, Richard, rector

Ward, John, vicar

Twisell, Nicholas, rector

Welch, William, vicar Jones, Hugh, rector Lea, Henry, rector

Dillingham, Thomas, curate

White, Peter, vicar

Eling, Robert, vicar

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Henry'.

## September, 1597

7	Me	lch	bourne
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- Pertenhall
- Ravensden 9
- 10 Renhold
- ΙI Riseley
- 12 Roxton
- Shelton 13
- Staughton, Little 14

- Thurleigh 15
- 16 Tilbrook
- Wilden 17
- Yelden

## FLEET DEANERY

- Ampthill Ŧ
- Aspley Guise
- Clophill 3
- 4 Cranfield
- Crawley, Husbourne
- 5 6 Eversholt
- 7 8 Flitton
- Flitwick
- Gravenhurst, [Lower] 9
- 10 Harlington
- ΙI Haynes
- 12 Hulcote
- Lidlington 13
- 14 Marston [Morteyne]
- 15 Maulden
- Millbrook 16
- 17 Pulloxhill
- 18 Ridgmont
- Salford 19
- Steppingley 20
- 2 I Tingrith
- 22 Westoning
- Woburn (Owborne) 23

## SHEFFORD DEANERY

- Arlesey
- 2 Astwick
- 3 Barford, Little
- 4 Blunham
- Campton
- 56 Clifton
- Dunton
- Edworth

Dod, John, vicar Tod, William, rector Legge, Edward, vicar Legge, Edward, vicar Tomson, John, vicar Leverock, John, vicar Beridge, William, rector Condall, Mr Doctor, rector Cartwright, John, curate Fourd, Thomas, vicar Clappam, Robert, rector Worsley, Richard, rector

Stoockwell, Alexander, rector

Stone, William, rector Browne, John, rector Foones, William, rector Harvey, Richard, vicar Gibson, John, rector Fall, Thomas, vicar Bates, Peter, vicar Kitcheuer, John, rector Eames, William, vicar

Ridley, George, rector

Brightman, Thomas, vicar Plummer, Edward, rector Roo, William, curate

Snag, Edward, rector

Collyns, John, vicar Hewit, Humphrey, vicar Lem, Michael, vicar Sutton, Edward, rector Gother, Paul, rector Stirrey, William, vicar Wilcock<sub>e</sub>, Mr, rector

Smith, John, vicar

Ridley, Henry, rector Norton, Thomas, rector Stambridge, Hugh, rector Maunde, Henry, rector Hage, Christopher, vicar

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Edmund' or 'Edward' (see pp. 129, 164). <sup>2</sup> Rectius 'William' (see P.D., 1594, no. 8). <sup>3</sup> Rectius 'William' (see P.D., 1595, no. 27).

## October, 1601

- Dod, John, vicar
- Tod, Edward, rector
- Legg, Edmund, vicar 9
- Legg, Edmund, vicar 10
- Thomson, John, vicar Haveridge, Thomas, vicar 12
- Berrege, John, rector Condall, Robert, rector 13
- Cartwright, Edward, curate
- Forde, William, vicar 15
- 16 Cloppam, Robert, rector
- Dillingham, Francis, rector 17
- 18 Ridley, George, rector

## March, 1603-4

Dodd, John, vicar Todd, Edward, rector

Gist, Daniel, vicar Gale, Henry, vicar

Tomson, John, vicar

Wolstenholme, Joseph, vicar

Berridg, John, rector Condall, Robert, rector

Reeve, Hugh, rector

Stone, William, rector

Browne, John, rector

Fones, William, rector

Harvey, Richard, vicar Dutton, Thomas, rector

Wood, Richard, vicar

Ford, William, vicar Clopham, Robert, rector Dillingham, Francis, rector Barker, Thomas, rector

- Reve, John
- Stone, William, rector
- Browne, John, rector
- Fones, William, rector
- Harvi, Richard, vicar
- <del>1</del> 5 6 Gibson, John, rector
- 7 8 Wood, Richard, vicar
- Bate, Ralph, vicar
- Kitcheuer, John, rector<sup>1</sup> 9
- ΙO Eams, William, vicar
- Brightman, John, curate
- Plummer, Edward, rector 12
- 13 Woodwin, Ralph, curate
- Smyth, Thomas, rector 14
- 15 Hamond, John, rector
- Green, Gabriell 16
- Collins, John, vicar 17
- Hewet, Humphrey, vicar 18
- Bingley, Thomas, vicar 19
- Sutton, Edward, rector
- Gother, Pawle, rector 2 I
- Stirrye, William, vicar
- Walpole, John, curate 23

Kitcheuer, John, rector Emes, William, vicar Brightman, John, curate Plummer, Edward, rector Fox, John, vicar Smith, Thomas, rector

Bate, Ralph, vicar

- the rectory is vacant Greene, Gabriel, rector
- Collins, John, vicar Hewet, Humphrey, vicar
- Bingley, Thomas, vicar
- Sutton, Edward, rector
- Hill, Humphrey, rector
- Stirry, William, vicar
- Walpoole, Cæsar, curate
- Smyth, John, vicar
- Moodye, Henry, rector
- Ridlye, Henry, rector
- Norton, Thomas, rector
- Stanbrige, Hugh, rector
- Mawde, William, rector
- Hage, Christopher, vicar
- Condall, Robert, rector
- Smith, John, vicar
- Moody, Henry, rector
- Ridley, Henry, rector Norton, Thomas, rector
- the rectory is vacant
- Mawde, William, rector Hage, Christopher, vicar
- Condall, Robert, rector

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript, by a mistake, makes him rector of Upper Gravenhurst.

		September, 1597
9	Eyworth	Jeve, Thomas, vicar
10	Gravenhurst, [Upper]	Smith, Edward, curate
ΙI	Hatley Cockavne (Hatley	' '
	Port)	Maude, Gabriell, rector
Ι2	Henlow	Morgan, John, vicar
13		Henlo, John, rector
1.4	Langford	Fances, William, vicar
15	Meppershall	Reyner, Richard, rector
16	Northill	Hoggett, Anthony, curate
17	Potton	Crabtrey, Thomas, vicar
18	Sandy	Chamberlen, Mr Doctor, rector
	**	Ryseley, Nicholas, curate
19	Shillington	Totnam, Humphrey, vicar
20	Southill	Ridge, William, vicar
2 I	Stondon, Upper	Lawrence, Richard, rector
22	Stotfold	Fisher, John, vicar
23	Sutton	Bill, James, rector
24	Tempsford	Parker, Richard, rector
25	Warden, Old	Dych, George, vicar
26	Wrestlingworth	Reve, Robert, rector

## PECULIAR OF LEIGHTON BUZZARD

1 Billington2 Leighton Buzzard

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Gilbert' (Cert. under date 23 Oct., 1594).
2 Rectius 'John Francis' (see P.D., 1594, no. 1).

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- Ive, Thomas, vicar
- 10 Smyth, Edward<sup>1</sup>
- Mawde, Gilbert, rector ΙI
- Morgan, John, vicar Henloe, John, rector 12
- 13
- 14
- Francis, John, vicar Raynor, Richard, rector 15
- 16 Huget, Anthony, curate
- 17
- Crabtree, Thomas, vicar Buckley, Thomas, rector Riseley, Nicholas, curate 18.
- Purret, John, vicar 10
- Bostocke, John, vicar 20
- Lawrence, Richard, rector
- Wever, Richard, vicar
- Bill, James, rector 23
- Eland, George 24
- Dicke, George, curate 25
- 26 Reeue, Robert, rector

March, 1603-4

Jeeve, Thomas, vicar Smith, Edmund, curate

Mande, Gilbert, rector

Morgan, John, vicar Henloe, John, rector

France, John, vicar

Reyner, Richard, rector

Huckot, Anthony, curate

Crabtry, Thomas, vicar

. . ickley, Thomas, vicar [sic]

Purrat, John, vicar

Bostocke, John, vicar

Lawrence, Richard, rector

Weaver, Richard, vicar

Bill, James, rector

Eland, George, rector

Dike, . . . , curate

Reeve, Robert, vicar [sic]

Bingley, Thomas, curate<sup>3</sup>

Slater, Anthony, vicar<sup>3</sup>

Slater, Anthony, vicar

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript, by a mistake, makes him curate of Lower Gravenhurst.

Rectius ' John Bickley' (see P.D., 1600, no 39; L.C., 1603, f. 7).
 These names are entered at the end of the list of the clergy of the archdeaconry of Buckingham.

## IV. ARCHDEACONRY

## September, 1597

Public instrument [the form being very like the one printed on pages 184-5] of Thomas Sparke, s.T.D., rector of the parish church of Bletchley, Roger Hackett, s.r.d., rector of the parish church of North Crawley, Ralph Smith, s.r.B., rector of the parish church of Milton Keynes, Richard Sandey, M.A., rector of the parish church of Great Linford, John Bird, M.A., rector of the parish church of Haversham, Thomas Loveringe, M.A., rector of the parish church of Dunton, William Watson, B.A., rector of the parish church of Bowbrickhill, Richard Edmonde, LL.B., rector of the parish church of Shenley, with the rest of their brethren the ministers and clergy of the archdeaconry of Buckingham, whose names with their benefices and cures are contained in the book annexed to the presents, appointing John Martin, M.A., rector of Sherington, and Edward Cultre, LL.B., public notary, jointly and severally, as their proctors to appear before William bishop of Lincoln, or his vicar general in spirituals, or his commissary, in the parish church of the blessed Mary within the town of Stamford, on 30 September, 1597, at the hour of nine in the forenoon, and there to elect, together with the clergy of the other archdeaconries of the diocese of Lincoln, two proctors for the whole clergy of the said diocese, who shall appear, in the name of the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln, on the day and in the place named in the queen's writ, etc. Sealed with the seal [missing] of Master William Smith, LL.D., official of the archdeaconry of Buckingham, which he used for ecclesiastical causes. Dated 28 September, 1597.

> The names of the Clergy of the Archdeaconry of Buckingham with their benefices and cures

#### BUCKINGHAM DEANERY

- Addington
- Adstock
- 3 Akeley
- Barton Hartshorn
- 4 5 6 Beachampton
- Caversfield
- Chetwode
- Claydon, Steeple
- Edgcott 0
- Foscot 10
- Hillsden II

September, 1597

Staninought, William, M.A., rector

Egerton, Thomas, M.A., rector Pricharde, John, B.A., rector

[blank], curate Lea, Ralph, vicar Beverley, John, curate [blank], vicar Feild, John, M.A., rector

Court, Francis, curate

## OF BUCKINGHAM.]

## October, 1601

Public instrument [the form being very like the one printed on pages 184-5] of Robert Chalenor, S.T.D., rector of the parish church of Amersham, Thomas Sparke, s.t.d., rector of the parish church of Bletchley, Roger Hackett, s.T.D., rector of the parish church of North Crawley, Richard Harris, s.T.P., rector of the parish church of Hardwicke, Richard Pilkinton, s.T.P., rector of the parish church of Hambleden, Richard Bret, s.r.p., rector of the parish church of Quainton, in the archdeaconry of Buckingham, and also the whole clergy of the said archdeaconry, as well in places exempt as not exempt, whose names and surnames are contained in the book annexed to the presents, being assembled chapterwise, appointing Thomas Lovering, S.T.P., rector of Dunton, in the said archdeaconry, and Arthur Claver, by sufficient authority public notary, jointly and severally, as their proctors to appear before William bishop of Lincoln, or his vicar general in spirituals, or his commissary, in the parish church of the blessed Mary in the town of Stamford, on Friday, 16 October, 1601, to appoint two proctors to appear and be present for them and for the whole clergy of the diocese of Lincoln, with the rest of the clergy of the whole kingdom of England, as well in the parliament of the queen's majesty, our supreme head, in the cathedral church of St. Paul in London, on 28 October next, or elsewhere, as also in the convocation of the church and of the whole clergy and ecclesiastical persons of this kingdom of England, etc. Sealed with the official seal [missing] of Master William Smithe, LL.D., commissary and official of the archdeaconry of Buckingham. Dated 13 October, 1601.

March, 1603-4

[The instrument appointing proctors for the election is missing. Internal evidence shows the date to be about the beginning of March, 1603-4, in view of the meeting of convocation on 20 Mar., 1603-4.]

	October, 1601	March, 1603-4
I	Staninhoe, Mr Thomas,1 rector	, ,
	Marshe, Mr John, curate	, ,
2	Edgerton, Thomas, rector	, ,
3	Pritchard, John, rector	, ,
4	Beverly, Henry, curate	Beverley, Henry,
<del>4</del> 5	Morris, Benjamin, rector	Morris, Benjamin, rector
6	Lee, Ralph, vicar	Bateman, William, vicar
7 8	Beverlye, Henry, curate	
8	Baylye, Adrian, vicar	Baylie, Adrian, vicar
9	Feeld, John, rector	Field, John, rector
10	Powell, David, rector	Evans, Richard, rector
$_{\rm II}$	Court, Thomas, curate	Deane, [blank], curate

<sup>1</sup> Rectius ' William' (see L.C., 1603, f. 7).

## September, 1597

12	Leckhampstead	Wright, John, s.r.b., rector Wooddin, Thomas, curate
1.2	Lillingstone Dayrell	Cade, William, M.A., rector
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14	Maids Moreton	Smith, John, M.A., rector
15	Marsh	Reve, Samuel, M.A., rector
16	Padbury	Smith, Thomas, vicar
17	Preston	Tetlowe, Richard, rector
18	Ratclive	Foster, John, rector
19	Shalstone	Bursey, John, M.A., rector
20	Stowe	Newton, Thomas, s.r.B., vicar
2 I	Stratford, Water	Maior, Richard, rector
22	Thornborough	Jenkyns, William, vicar
23	Thornton	Elward, Thomas, M.A., rector
24	Tingewick	Williams, Erasmus, M.A., rector
25	Turweston	Paddey, John, rector
26	Twyford	Whitehed, Edward, curate
27	Westbury	Crockett, Richard, vicar
ΒU	URNHAM DEANERY	

## 1 Amersham

Beaconsfield

Burnham Chalfont St. Giles

Chalfont St. Peter

Chenies alias Isenhampstead Cheynes

Chesham

Chesham Bois

9 Colnbrook

Datchet OI

Denham 11

12 Dorney

Farnham Royal 13

14 Fulmer

Hedgerley 15

16 Hitcham

Horton 17

18 Iver

Langley Marish 19

20 Latimer alias Eastmanstead Latimer

Penn 21

22 Stoke Poges Chaloner, Robert, s.T.P., rector

Lea, Simon, M.A., rector Wright, John, M.A., vicar Smith, Richard, rector Jones, Hugh, vicar

Allebone, John, rector Saunders, William, vicar Harnesse, Robert, rector Emerie, H., curate Walker, William, vicar Bagley, William, rector Baker, Thomas, vicar Browne, Roger, rector Beuer, John, curate Robberte, John, rector Loyde, Francis, M.A., rector Langley, Robert, rector

Adkins, John, M.A., vicar Eeles, Thomas, curate

Daws, Joseph, rector Rudrop, Robert, vicar Kettridge, Samuel, vicar

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Robert' (see p. 116).
2 Rectius 'Robert' (see p. 116).
3 Rectius 'Randal' (see Cert. under date 10 May, 1594).
4 Rectius 'Peter' (see Cert., under date 1 Dec., 1592).
5 Rectius 'Robert' (see P.D., 1592, no. 25; L.C., 1603, f. 9). 'Fludd' in 1601 and 1603-4 is a variant of 'Lloyd'.

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#### Wright, John, rector I 2

Cade, William, rector 13

Smyth, John, rector 14

Reeue, Samuel, rector 15

16 Smyth, Thomas, vicar

Tetlowe, Richard, rector

17 18 Foster, Robert, rector

19 Bursey, John, rector

Newnton, Robert, vicar 20

21 Maior, Richard, rector

22 Jenkins, William, vicar Elwood, John, rector 23

Williams, Erasmus, rector 24

25 Paddye, John, rector

26 Whithead, Edward, curate

27 Crocket, Richard, vicar

## March, 1603-4

## Wright, John, rector

Cade, William, rector

Bate, George, rector

Reeve, Samuel, rector

Smith, Thomas, vicar

Tetloe, Richard, rector Daniell, Richard, rector

Bursey, John, rector

Marshe, John, vicar

Maior, Richard, rector

Jenkin<sub>e</sub>, William, vicar

Elwood, John,1 rector

Williams, Erasmus, rector

the rectory is vacant

Walles, Edward, curate

Crockett, Richard, vicar

## Chalenor, Robert, rector Hutton, John, curate

Lea, Simon, rector 2

Wright, Randal, vicar

Smyth, Richard, rector

Jones, Hugh, vicar 5

6 Alibone, Peter, rector

Sawnders, William, vicar

Hearon, Robert, rector

9 Emerye, John, curate

Foster, John, vicar 10

Baglye, William, rector Baker, Thomas, vicar ΙI

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13 Browne, Matthew, rector

14 Brigge, John, curate

Roberte, John, rector 15

Fludd,2 Robert, rector 16

Wickombe, Edward, rector 17 Coringbrooke, Henry, curate

18 Adkins, John, vicar

curate-vacant 19

Newman, John, curate

21 Rudrop, Robert, vicar

22 Duffeeld, John, vicar Challenor, Robert, rector

Lea, Symon, rector

Wright, Randal, vicar

Smith, Richard, rector Jones, Hugh, vicar

Allibone, Peter, rector

. . ., . . ., . . . . . ., . . ., . . .

it is vacant

Fos . . ., John, . . . Bag[1]ey, William, . . . Baker, Thomas, vicar

Browe [sic], Matthew, rector

Briges, John, curate

Roberte, John, rector

Fludd,2 Robert, rector

Wicombe, Edward, rector

Adkins, John, vicar

[see p. 201, n 1]

Lille, Trustram, curate

Rudrop, Robert, vicar Duffield, John, vicar

<sup>1</sup> Rectius · Thomas' (see p. 116; L.C., 1603, f. 8).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See p. 198, n 2.

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		September, 1597
23	Taplow	Kinge, John, rector
24 25 26 M	Upton Wexham Wraysbury URSLEY DEANERY	Joones, John, M.A., vicar Radcliffe, Richard, rector Eales, George, vicar
I	Cheddington	Robberte, [blank], rector
2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18	Cholesbury Cublington Drayton Beauchamp Drayton Parslow Dunton Edlesborough Grove Hardwicke Hawridge Hoggeston Horwood, Great Ivinghoe Linslade Masworth Mentmore Mursley Nettleden	Hall, Lewis, curate Breame <sup>r</sup> , John, <sup>2</sup> M.A., rector Feild, William, <sup>3</sup> M.A., rector Tayler, Thomas, m.A., rector Loveringe, Thomas, M.A., rector Goodhand, John, vicar Facer, John, rector Harris, Richard, M.A., rector Bate, William, <sup>4</sup> M.A., rector Deyos, George, rector Swaddon, William, s.r.B., rector Bostock, Robert, vicar Griffin, Morgan, curate Bourne, Osmund, vicar Knowles, Richard, vicar Smith, William, B.A., rector
19 20	Pitstone Slapton	Lanckester, [blank <sup>5</sup> ], rector
21 22 23 24 25 26 27	Soulbury Stewkley Swanbourne Whaddon Whitchurch Wing Wingrave	Miller, John, curate Prestwood, William, M.A., vicar Lownes, Thomas, vicar Allen, John, vicar Coventrey, William, B.A., vicar Bisshop, William, B.A., vicar Nixon, Robert, M.A., vicar

Richardson, George, vicar

Habberley, Thomas, vicar

Spark, Thomas, s.T.P., rector

Watson, William, B.A., rector

## NEWPORT DEANERY

Astwood 2 Bletchley 3 Bow Brickhill

Bradwell 4

Brafield, Cold Brickhill, Great

Watte, Luke, B.A., rector Brickhill, Little Lewis, Thomas, vicar Broughton Johnson, Thomas, rector.

1 Rectius 'Owen' (see P.D., 1589, no. 15).
2 Rectius 'Thomas' (see Cert. under date 16 Sept., 1594).
3 Rectius 'Edward' (see P.D., 1585, no. 24).
4 Rectius 'Peter' (see Cert. under date 3 Feb., 1587-8).
5 The clerk's christian name was 'John' (see Cert. under date 11 Aug., 1592).

## October, 1601

- Kinge, John, rector 23 Davis, John, curate
- 24 Jones, Owen, vicar
- Radlife, Richard, rector 25
- Eals, George, vicar 26
  - Roberte, David, rector Carpenter, John, curate
  - Halle, Lewis, curate
  - Breamer, Thomas, rector
- Feeld, Edward, rector
- Taylor, Thomas, rector
- 6 Loveringe, Thomas, rector
- 7 Goodhand, John, vicar
- Facer, John, rector
- Harris, Richard, rector 9
- 10 Bate, Peter, rector
- 11
- Dios, George, rector Swaddon, William, rector 12
- Bostocke, Robert, vicar 13
- Griffin, Mark, curate 14
- Cole, Nathaniel, vicar 15
- Noke, John,2 vicar 16
- Smyth, William, rector 17
- 18 Eblthauye, Rowland, curate
- Jones, Morgan, curate
- Lankester, Thomas, rector 20 Wilkinson, Ralph, curate
- Miller, John, curate 2 I
- Wildear, Nicholas, vicar Lownes, Thomas, vicar 22
- 23
- 24 Allen, John, vicar
- Coventrye, William, vicar Bishop, William, vicar 25
- 26
- 27 Nixon, Robert, vicar
  - Richardson, George, vicar
  - 2 Sparke, Thomas, rector
  - 3 Watson, William, rector
  - 4
  - Haberlye, Thomas, vicar Newnton, Thomas, curate 5
  - 6 Watte, Luke
  - Sage, Henry
  - Binge, Andrew, rector Redlore, Rowland, curate

March, 1603-4

King, John, rector

Jones, Owen, vicar Rateliff, Richard, rector Eeles, George, vicar<sup>1</sup>

Roberte, David, rector

Hall, Lewis, curate Breamer, Thomas, rector Field, Edward, rector Hodges, John, rector Lovering, Thomas, rector Norton, William, vicar Facer, John, rector Harris, Richard, rector

. . . , . . . , . . . . . . , . . . , rector

Bostocke, R . . ., vicar Griffen, Morgan, curate Cole, Nathaniel, vicar Noke, Thomas, vicar Smithe, William, rector Eblethwith, Rowland, curate Jones, Morgan, curate Firth, Emor, rector

Evans, Morris, curate Wildiere, Nicholas, vicar Lownes, Thomas, vicar Allan, John, vicar Coventrie, William, vicar Bishope, William, vicar Nixon, Robert, vicar

Richdson, George, vicar Spark, Thomas, rector Watson, William, rector Haberley, Thomas, vicar Newnton, Thomas, curate Charlet, John, rector Collins, Thomas, vicar Bing, Andrew, rector

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Vicar of Wirardesburie cum Langley.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' (see Reg., xxx, f. 127).

<sup>3</sup> The clerk's christian name was 'John' (see Cert. under date 11 Aug., 1592).

		September, 1597
9	Calverton	Pigott, Matthew, M.A., rector
10 11 12 13 14	Castlethorpe Chicheley Clifton Reynes Crawley, North Emberton	Gardne <sup>r</sup> , Thomas, vicar Joones, William, rector Hackett, Roger, S.T.D., rector Preestman, John, M.A., rector
15 16	Filgrave Gayhurst	Woodland, Richard, <sup>2</sup> rector
17 18 19 20	Hanslope Hardmedd Haversham Lathbury	Raynsford, Richard, rector Bird, John, M.A., rector
21 22 23 24 25	Lavenden Linford, Great Linford, Little Loughton Milton Keynes	Evans, Walter, curate Newton, Thomas, vicar Sandey, Richard, M.A., rector Thomas, Aquila, curate Sedon, John, M.A., rector Smith, Ralph, S.T.B., rector
26 27 28 29	Moulsoe Newport Pagnell Newton Blossomville Newton Longville	Bingley, Thomas, curate Willcocke, Henry, M.A., rector Yarrow, Thomas, M.A., vicar Lucas, William, M.A., rector Quaterman, Sextus, M.A., rector
30 31 32 33 34 35 36	Olney Ravenstone Shenley Sherrington Stantonbury Stoke Goldington Stoke Hammond	Purrier, Martin, vicar Trickett, Richard, vicar Edmonde, Richard, Ll.B., rector Martin, John, M.A., rector Whelock, John, vicar Yeomans, William, rector French, R., curate
37 38 39 40 41	Stratford, Stony, St. Mary Magdalene's Stratford, Stony, St. Giles' Sympson Tyringham Walton Wavendon	Hill, Humphrey, B.A., curate Lingard, Robert, rector Bradshaw, Thomas, rector Ibotson, John, rector Edmonde, Richard, rector
42 43 44 45 46 47 48	Weston Underwood Willen Wolverton Woolston, Great Woolston, Little Woughton on the Green	Whelock, John, curate Porter, William, curate Potter, Thomas, vicar Reynolde, Richard, vicar Bineon, Lawrence, rector Keynoe, William, rector Greneacres, Anthony, M.A., rector

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1595, no. 6).
2 Rectius 'Henry' as in 1601 (see p. 119; L.C., 1603, f. 12).
3 Rectius 'Henry' as in 1601 (see P.D., 1593, no. 62).
4 Rectius 'Robert' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1596, no. 32).

#### October, 1601

- Doulton, Francis, rector Nutter, John, curate
- Lingard, William, curate Gardiner, Thomas, vicar 10 ΙΙ
- Iones, Thomas, rector
- Hacket, Roger, rector 13
- Prestman, John, rector 14
- Bradshawe, Thomas, rector Woodland, Henry, rector 15
- 16
- Lingard, William, curate 17
- 18 Raynsford, Richard, rector
- Burd, John, rector [blank], vicar 19
- 20 Evans, John, curate
- Newnton, Thomas, vicar 21
- Sandye, Richard, rector 22
- Kirkeland, Joel, curate 23
- Seadon, John, rector 24
- Smyth, Ralph, rector 25
- 26 Wilcox, Henry, rector
- Yarrowe, Thomas, vicar 27
- 28 Lucas, William, rector
- Quaterman, Sextus, rector 29
- Purrier, Martyn, vicar 30
- Tricket, Henry, vicar 31
- Edmonde, Richard, rector 32
- Martyn, John, rector 33
- Wheelocke, John, vicar Yeomans, William, rector 34
- 35
- Langford, Charles, rector 36 Frenche, Ralph, curate
- Gee, George 37
- 38 Gee, George
- Lingard, Robert, rector 39
- Bradshawe, Thomas, rector 40
- Pix, Wiliiam, rector 41
- Stone, William, rector 42
- Porter, Humphrey, curate 43
- Vnderhill, Thomas, vicar 44 45 Reignols, Robert, vicar
- Byneon, Lawrence, rector 46
- Keynoe, William 47
- 48 Hughes, Edward, rector Lews, Griffin, curate

# March, 1603-4

[blank], rector

Lingard, William, curate Gardner, Thomas, vicar Jones, Thomas, rector Hackett, Roger, rector Prestman, John, rector

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. , ., John, . . . . . ., Walt . ., . . .

Newton, Thomas, . . . Sandey, Richard, rector Durant, Richard, curate Seadon, John, rector Smithe, Ralph, rector

Wilcoxe, Henry, rector Yarrow, Thomas, vicar Lucas, William, rector Quaterman, Sextus the vicarage is vacant Johnson, John, vicar Edmonde, Richard, rector Martin, John, rector Wheelocke, John, vicar Yeomans, William, rector Langford, Charles, rector

Gee, George, curate

Bradley, Ralph, rector Bradshaw, Thomas, rector Pix, William, rector Stone, William, rector

Porter, Humphrey, curate Vndrhill, Thomas, vicar Reynolde, Robert, vicar Clarke, Humphrey, rector Keynoe, William, vicar [sic] Hughes, Edward, rector

4	ELECTION OF	PROCTORS
WAI	DDESDON DEANERY	September, 1597
I	Ashendon	Ingbey, Richard, curate
2	Aston Sandford	Proude, Thomas, M.A., rector
3	Boarstall	Smith, [blank], curate
4	Brill	[blank], curate
5	Chearsley	Barten, [blank], curate
3 4 5 6 7 8	Chilton	Eaten, Ralph, curate
7	Claydon, East	Guyn, Owen, vicar
8	Claydon, Middle	Askew, Richard, M.A., rector
9	Crendon, Long	Osborne, Edward, curate
IO	Cuddington	
11	Dorton	Richardson, William, curate
12	Grendon Underwood	Marbeck, William, rector
		Gandey, William, curate
13	Ickford	Evans, Robert, rector
1+	Kingsey	Branguin, John, vicar
15	Ludgershall	Knyght, William, rector
16	Marston, Fleet	Price, Thomas, rector
17	Marston, North	Cowdall, Thomas, curate
18	Oakley	Grigorie, Jeremy, vicar
19	Oving	Marckham, William, rector
20	Pitchcott	Walkeden, Robert, rector
21	Quainton	Brett, William, M.A., rector
2.2	Shabbington	Osborne, Edmund, vicar
23	Waddesdon, 1st and 2nd po	
3		Griffith, Jasper, curate
24	Waddesdon, 3rd portion	, 3 1
25	Winchendon, Nether	Benson, George, curate
26	Winchendon, Over	Tayler, John, vicar
27	Wootton Underwood	Hobson, William, curate
28	Worminghall	Phillippe, William, vicar
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#### WENDOVER DEANERY

I	Aston Clinton	Farrand, Charles, M.A., rector
2	Bledlow	Seyer, Richard, vicar
3	Dinton	Poulter, Edmund, M.A., vicar
4	Ellesborough	Gwin, Riceus, M.A., rector
4 5 6	Haddenham	Grene, John, m.a., vicar
6		
7 8	Hampden, Little	Pricharde, Hugh, curate
8	Hartwell	Carwardyne, [blank], rector
9	Horsendon	Newell, William, rector
10	Hulcote	Stratfold, John, rector
11	Ilmer	Wright, Martin, vicar
12	Kimble, Great	Silvester, Henry, vicar

Rectius 'Richard' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see Comp. under date 6 Apr., 1596).
 Rectius 'William' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1592, no. 13).

# October, 1601

- Ingbye, Richard, curate
- 2 Prowde, Thomas, rector
- Pimme, John, curate
- Gregorye, Jeoramy, curate 4
- Barton, Nicholas, curate
- 5 Eaton, Ralph, curate
- 7 8 Gwinn, Owen, vicar
- Askew, Richard, rector
- 9 Osborne, Edward, curate
- Fincher, John, curate 10
- Richardson, William, curate ΙI
- Howe, Thomas, rector 12
- Seller, John, rector 13
- 14 Brangwin, John, vicar
- Knight, William, rector 15
- 16 Lea, Robert, rector
- 17 Cowdall, Edward, curate
- 18
- Gregorye, Jeor.,¹ vicar Markham, William, rector 10
- Walkendine, Robert, rector 20
- 2 I Brett, Richard, rector Gandye, William, curate
- Osborne, Edward, vicar
- Wilkinson, Henry, [rector] 23 Evans, Hugh, curate
- Burges, John, rector Anson, Henry, curate 24
- 25
- 26 Taylor, John, vicar
- 27 Hobson, Robert,<sup>2</sup> curate
- 28 Phillips, William, vicar

March, 1603-4

Ingebie, . . . , curate

Proud, Thomas, rector

Pinne, John, curate

Broome, Lawrence, curate

Barton, Nicholas, curate

Eaton, Ralph, curate

Gwin, Owen, vicar

Askewe, Richard, rector

Osburn, Edmund, curate

Richerdson, William, curate Howe, Thomas, rector

Seller, John, rector

Brangwin, John, vicar

Knight, William, rector

Lea, John, rector

Cowdall, Edmund, curate

Evans, Phillip, vicar Markham, William, rector

Walkenden, Robert, rector

Breet, Richard, rector

Osburn, Edmund, vicar Wilkenson, Henry, rector

Burges, John, rector

Hanson, Henry, curate

the vicarage is vacant

Hobson, William, curate Phillips, William, vicar

Farrand, Charles, rector

Farrand, Charles, rector I

Sier, William, vicar

Poulter, Edward, vicar 3

Gwin, Richard, rector

Greene, John, vicar

56 Woodcoke, Richard, rector

[blank], curate

Carwarden, Robert, rector

Newoll, Richard,5 rector 9

Strotfold, John, rector 10

Wright, Martin, vicar

Silvester, Henry, vicar

Sier, William, vicar Poulter, Edward, vicar Smith, John, rector Greene, John, vicar<sup>3</sup>

Woodcock, Richard, rector

Porter, Robert, rector<sup>4</sup>

Newoll, William, rector

Stratfuld, John, rector

Wright, Martin, vicar

Silvester, Henry, vicar

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Jeremy' as in 1597.
2 Query 'William' as in 1597 and 1603-4.
3 Vicar of Haddenham with Cuddington.

<sup>4</sup> Rector of Hartwell with Little Hampden.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Rectius 'William' as in 1597 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1592, no. 28; L.C., 1614, f. 112d.).

## September, 1597

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Missenden, Great 15

Missenden, Little 16

Risborough, Princes 17

18 Stone

Wendover IO

20 Weston Turville Medcalfe, Christopher, vicar

Wirgley, W.,1 vicar Reve, John, curate

Pusey, Bartholomew, vicar

Kelley, W., vicar Anson, John, rector Yerwood, Hugh, curate

#### WYCOMBE DEANERY

1	Bradenham
2	Fawley

Fingest

Hambleden

Hedsor

5 6 Hughenden

Marlow, Great Marlow, Little

Medmenham 9

Radnage 10 11

Saunderton Turville 12

Wycombe, High 14 Wycombe, West

13 Wooburn Mutlowe, William, rector Clerke, Richard, rector

Ryder, Peter, rector

Pilkinton, Richard, rector Hudson, William, curate Sheffeild, Nicholas, rector

Lane, Hugh, M.A., vicar Hearon, Thomas, vicar

Heath, Thomas, vicar Lewen, Robert, M.A., vicar Sier, R., rector

Reynolde, Richard, M.A., rector

Gibson, Roger, vicar Roberte, Hugh, vicar

Chamberlen, Philip, vicar

Whight, Peter, vicar

# PECULIAR JURISDICTIONS

#### Aylesbury-

1 Aylesbury

#### BIERTON-

2 Bierton

#### Buckingham—

3 Buckingham

Risborough Monks—

Halton

Owlswick 5

Risborough, Monks

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Elias' as in 1601 (see pp. 48 and 123).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'George' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1593, no. 21).
<sup>3</sup> Rectius 'Heape' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see P.D., 1596, no. 43).

<sup>4</sup> Rectius ' William' as in 1601 and 1603-4 (see p. 162).

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- Prowde, Thomas, rector 13
- Stile, Edward, curate 14
- Worgley, Thomas Worgley, Elias 15
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- Reaue, John, curate 17
- Passey, Bartholomew, vicar Keely, William, vicar 18
- 19
- Vintner, John 20

# March, 1603-4

Proud, Thomas, rector

Still, Edward, curate

Worgley, John, vicar

Worgley, Elias, vicar

Reeve, John, curate

Puesey, Bartholomew, vicar Keely, William, vicar

Vintner, John, rector

- Mutloe, George, rector I Clarke, Richard, rector
- Rider, Peter, rector
- Pilkinton, Richard, rector 4
- Shefeeld, Nicholas, rector
- 5 6 Laine, Hugh, vicar
- Hearne, Thomas, vicar Heape, Thomas, vicar Lewin, Robert, vicar
- 9
- Sier, William, rector 10
- Renolde, Richard, rector ΙI
- Gibson, Roger, vicar 12
- Roberte, Hugh, vicar 13
- Chamberlayn, Philip, vicar 14
- White, William, vicar 15

Mutlow, George, rector

Clarke, Richard, rector

Rider, Peter, rector

Pilkenton, Richard, rector

Sheffeeld, Nicholas, rector

Lane, Hugh, vicar

Hearon, Thomas, vicar

Heape, Thomas, vicar Lewin, Robert, vicar

Sier, William, rector

Reynolde, Richard, rector

Gibson, Roger, vicar

Roberte, Hugh, vicar Chamberlaine, Philip, vicar

White, William, vicar

Bell, Robert, vicar

Evans, David, vicar

Shepard, Ambrose, vicar

Harper, Thomas, rector

Saye, Thomas, curate

Clarke, George, rector

Bell, Robert, vicar

Evans, David, vicar

Sheapard, Ambrose, vicar

Clarke, George, rector

# V. ARCHDEACONRY OF HUNTINGDON, [A.D. 1597.]

[The instrument of the clergy appointing proctors for the election is missing.]

# [COUNTY OF HERTFORD]

#### THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO APPEARED

#### [BALDOCK DEANERY] Folio 1.

Ashewell Aston Benington Baldock Bygrave Clottall Calcott Hinxworth Munden Magna Munden Parva Rushden Weston Walcorne Westmill

Dakins, Mr William, vicar Butler, Mr William, rector Middleton, Mr William, rector How, Mr Henry, rector Warren, Sir Henry, curate Lucas, Mr William, rector Smithe, Mr Robert, rector Mickley, Mr John, rector Curlews, Mr William, rector Newton, Mr Richard, rector Kyng, Sir James, vicar Besbrowne, Mr John, vicar Howe, Mr Edward, rector Tailour, the venerable Mr Doctor

James, rector

Tattersall, Mr Robert, vicar Yardley

## [BARKHAMSTED DEANERY]

Aldenham Flamsted Gaddisden Magna Kennisworth Northmims Shenlie

Wheathamsted cum

Pratt, Mr [blank] curate Adams, Sir Firmin, curate Lillingston, Mr William, vicar Tuke, Mr Leonard, vicar Marshall, Mr Fulk, curate Whittell, Mr Nicholas, rector

Bartholomew, Mr Thomas, vicar

Fell, Mr F., curate Harpden

# [HERTFORD DEANERY]

Aiot St. Peter's Aiot St. Laurence's Bengeo Berkhamsted, Little Bramfield Dacheworth Dixwell Esendon cum Bayford Hartford All Saints' Hartingfordbury Sacombe Tuing

Bushee, Mr John, rector Porter, Mr Robert, rector Field, Mr Thomas, vicar Hewes, Mr Roland, rector Bird, Mr Robert, rector Rudde, Mr Clement, rector Chambers, Mr Richard, rector Hewes, Mr Rowland, rector Noble, Mr Thomas, vicar Scurfield, Mr John, rector Stones, Mr Francis, rector Mountfort, Mr James, rector Stanton, Mr William, curate Lewes, Mr George, rector

Tatteridg

Welwin

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' (see pp. 135, 166).

#### Folio 1d.

#### [HITCHIN DEANERY]

 $\lceil Hitchin \rceil$ Ikelford cum Pirton Ipollite Kimpton Offley Stephenage Wimmondlye, Great Wimlye, Little

Walden, King's

Burtbie, Mr Alverye,  $vicar^1$ Butterfeeld, Mr John, vicar Stratton, Mr John, vicar Aldred, Sir James, vicar Henlo, Sir Roger, vicar Pattensen, Mr Robert, rector Graven,2 Mr Nicholas Arraye, Mr Anthony, curate Richardson, Mr Thomas, curate

Folio 2.

# THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO WERE ABSENT [BALDOCKE DEANERY]

Aspeden Coderethe Kellishull

Radwell Bygrave

Sandon Therfield Throcking Willion Walcorn Wallington Montford, the venerable Mr, T., s.t.d., rector

Bushe, Mr Thomas, rector Frankelin, Mr Edward, rector

Parker, Mr Richard

The suffragan bishop of Colchester,<sup>8</sup>

rector Bramfield, Mr William, vicar Chapman, Mr William, rector Slowe, Mr Robert, rector Chapman, Mr John, vicar Moodie, Mr Thomas, curate Bill, Mr John, rector

# [BERKHAMSTED DEANERY]

Albery Barkhamsted Peter's Barkhamsted St Marv's Bovington Gaddisden, Little Hemilhamsted Langley Rege Longmarston Chapel Puttenham Tring Wheathamsted Wiggington

Watte, Mr Matthias, rector Newman, Mr Thomas, rector Hopkins, Mr Thomas,4 rector Walkwood, Mr Nathaniel, curate Windsore, Mr Thomas, rector Dike, Mr William, vicar Grove, Mr Gregory, vicar Wilkinson, Sir Ralph, curate Norfolke, Mr Thomas, rector Fisher, Mr Timothy, curate Stubbing, Mr Mark, rector Coney, Mr Robert, curate

# [HERTFORD DEANERY]

Esendon cum Bayford Harford, St. Andrew's

Hatfield, Bishop's Stapleford Watton at ston

Hewes, Mr William, curate Chambers, Mr Leonard, rector Turner, Mr William, curate Abbat, Mr Robert, rector Stuke, Mr John, rector Porter, Mr Robert, rector

Struck out (see below, p. 210).
 Rectus 'Craven' (see L. R. S. ii, p. 72; P. D., 1583, no. 23, and 1600, no. 28).

<sup>3</sup> I.e. John Sterne.

<sup>4</sup> Rectius 'John' (L.C., 1603, f. 18; L.C., 1614, f. 98d.).

Folio 2d.

[HITCHEN DEANERY]

Hitchin Knebworth Lilley Leachworth

Pyrton

Birtbie, Mr Alvery, vicar Hodgkins, Mr Robert, rector Potkins, Mr John, rector Bill, Mr John, rector Glover, Mr Nicholas, curate Moore, Mr Thomas, curate

Folio 3.

[COUNTY OF HUNTINGDON]

THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO APPEARED

YAXLEY DEANERY

Ailton Ailwalton Conington Denton Folkesworth Sawtrey, All Saints' Glatton

Stilton

Dickenson, Mr William, rector [blank] Roe, Mr William, rector Garfield, Mr William, rector Cooke, Mr Clement, rector Halle, Mr Miles, rector

Whutton, Mr Alexander, rector Murrey, Mr Edward, curate

LEIGHTONSTON DEANERY

Oldeweston Buckworth Covington Catworth Magna Ellington Steeplegidding Woolley Leighton Stowe Longa Spaldwike Esson Barham

Beridg, Mr Peter, curate Cookeson, Mr John, rector Presland, Mr George, rector Alwood, Mr John, rector Copman ford cum Upton Scott, Mr William, rector Armitage, Mr Anthony, vicar Beridg, Mr Henry, rector Sculthorp, Mr Francis, rector Webbe, Mr George, vicar Moseley, Mr [blank], curate Clarke, Mr Robert, vicar Burton, Mr Robert, curate Hill, Mr John, curate

ST. NEOTS DEANERY

Abbotisley Everton

Enisbury Fenistanton Godmanchester Hemingford Abbots

Hemingford Gray

Aspenall, Mr James, vicar Rudierd, Sir Thomas, vicar Cranbroke, Mr Thomas, curate Wilson, Mr Thomas, rector Smith, Mr Francis, vicar Barnewell, Mr Laurence, vicar Yeldard, the venerable Mr Doctor

Arthur, rector Cooke, Mr George, curate Shawe, Mr Hugh, vicar Atkinson, Mr John, rector Atkinson, Mr Thomas, vicar Walker, Mr Gervase, vicar

Folio 3d.

Offord Cluny Paxton Magna Sowtho cum Hailweston Ince, Mr Henry, vicar Stoughton Magna

Wearisley Yelling

Peachie, Mr Thomas, vicar Nightingale, Mr Leonard, rector

#### ST. IVES DEANERY

Broughton Bery cum Hippingrove Pidley Ripton Abbates Stewklie Magna Somersham

Upwood Wistow

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Young, Mr Thomas, rector Bray, Mr Robert, curate Poulter, Sir William, curate Bland, Mr Tobias, rector Foster, Mr Thomas, vicar Caesar, the venerable Mr Doctor Henry, rector Potterton, Mr William, curate Evans, Mr Henry, curate Halle, the venerable Mr Doctor

William, rector Johnson, Mr John, curate

#### HUNTINGDON DEANERY

Huntingdon,

St. Benedict's Huntingdon, All Saints' St. John Baptist's

Androwes, Mr Edward, curate Wolfe, Mr Thomas, rector Bolton, Mr William, rector

# Folio 4. THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO WERE ABSENT

# [YAXLEY DEANERY]

Alwalton Bottlebridg

Chesterton Caldecott Flecton Haddon Morborne Orton Longavill

Stanground cum Farcet Stibington Stilton

Woodston Water Newton

Woodwalton Yaxley

Miller, Mr Robert, rector Cheselden, Mr Nicholas, rector Thorne, Sir Henry, curate Acrod, Mr William, rector Hunt, Mr John, rector Ellys, Mr John, rector Esdall, Mr Baldwin, rector Forrest, Mr Henry, rector Digbie, Mr Everard, rector Thorne, Mr Francis, curate Long, Sir William, vicar Smith, Mr Abell, rector Germin, the venerable Mr Doctor Edward, rector

Barnwell, Mr Robert, rector Willingham, Mr Samuel, rector Walter, Mr Joseph, rector Brodhurst, Mr Thomas, vicar

## [LEIGHTONSTONE DEANERY]

Brinketon Bythorne Groffeham Gidding Magna Gidding Parva Hamerton

Darington, Mr Ambrose, rector Smith, Sir John, curate Hunte, Mr Samuel, rector Higbie, Mr Edward, vicar Proude, Mr Thomas, rector Elcock, Mr Anthony, rector

Keyston Molysworth Swanishead Thurning Winwike Brampton

Bate, Mr William, rector Pigott, Mr Augustine, rector Dawson, Mr Thomas, rector Bignet, Mr John, rector Pierce, Mr Richard, vicar Poulter, Mr Robert, vicar

#### [ST. NEOTS DEANERY]

Dodington Hilton Granisden Magna St. Neots

Mariat, Sir Henry, vicar Neave, Sir William, curate Hamond, Mr John, vicar White, Mr Peter, vicar

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#### ST. IVES DEANERY

Bluntisham Colne worth Witton Hartford Oldehurst Ripton Abbots Stewklie Parva

Halywell cum Neding-Houghton cum Witton St. Ives

Bodleigh, Mr Miles, rector Robothom, Sir Robert, curate Rowbothom, Sir Thomas, curate Chamberlain, the venerable Mr Doctor Bartholomew, rector Darington, Mr Ambrose, rector Ramskall, Sir Thomas, curate Key, Sir Christopher, vicar Brett, Sir John, curate Inbie, Sir Thomas, curate Hall, the venerable Doctor William, rector Hearne, Mr Michael, vicar Dorington, Mr doctor Francis, rector Sampson, Sir Henry, curate

[HUNTINGDON DEANERY]

Huntingdon, St. Mary's

Warboyes

Key, Mr Christopher, vicar

# [VI. ARCHDEACONRY OF LEICESTER, A.D. 1601.]

To the reverend father in Christ, and lord, William by divine permission bishop of Lincoln or his vicar general in spirituals or commissary, John Chippingdale, LL.D., commissary and official of the archdeaconry of Leicester, lawfully deputed: with all manner of obedience and reverence and with the honour due to so reverend a father we received, on the second day of the present month of October, your mandate annexed to the presents, to be executed; by virtue and also by authority of which we caused and commanded the whole clergy within the archdeaeonry of Leicester to be cited to appear before us on the twelfth day of the present month of October aforesaid in the church of the blessed Mary of the town of Leicester. On which day the apparitors within the said archdeaconry came and appeared and made oath that they had cited the whole of such clergy, who being then and there preconized, there appeared all and singular whose names are specified in the schedule annexed to the presents, and with one assent and consent

elected certain William Hubbeck and William Rudyard, clerks, to be their proctors to appear before you or your vicar general or commissary in the parish church of the blessed Mary in the town of Stamford on the day and at the hour specified in your mandate annexed to the presents (as is premised), to elect two fit and sufficient proctors for the whole clergy of your said diocese of Lincoln, according to the effect mentioned in such your mandate; and moreover to do and receive what is right in that behalf. And they promised that they would ratify, allow and confirm in perpetuity all and whatever their said proctors should do in the premises or in any of the premises. Moreover we pronounced the rest of the clergy, who were preconized and did not appear, to be contumacious, and reserved their punishment to the feast of St. Andrew the Apostle next ensuing. And thus we have diligently executed such your mandate as much as in us is. In faith and witness of all and singular the premises we have caused them to be fortified and corroborated by the seal appended which we use in this behalf. Dated the fourteenth day of the month of October, 1601.

Mem, I.

# SCHEDULE OF THE CLERGY WITHIN THE ARCH-DEACONRY OF LEICESTER

#### FRAMLAND DEANERY

Bottisford Muston Redmell Plungar Harby Hose Claxton Broughton Kettleby Scalford Goodeby Eaton Braunston Waltham Stonesby Croxton Sproxton Buckminster Coston Edmondthorpe Saxbye Stapleford Garthorpe Wyfordby Coldoverton Withcocke Burrowe

Fleminge, Mr Doctor, parson Sircott, John, rector Giggon, Mr Doctor, rector Hickman, Mr [blank], vicar Snodon, Mr Doctor, rector Hickling, John, vicar Wrighte, Thomas, vicar Smithe, William, rector Neale, Thomas, vicar Bincke, William, vicar Bisshopp, John, rector Brian, George, vicar Grace, Robert, rector Bringhest, John, rector Hodgkin, John, vicar Neale, Richard, vicar Whitehead, John, vicar lloyd, William, vicar Wetherall, Gilbert, rector Beaver, Stephen, rector Lorington, John, rector Franck, Thomas, vicar Richardson, Thomas, vicar Hutchin, John, rector Cowper, William, rector Tompson, Thomas, rector Burrowe, Erasmus, rector

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Christopher' (see L.C., 1603, f. 28; L.C., 1614, f. 133d.).
<sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Edward' (see P.D., 1589, no. 41; L.C., 1603, f. 28).

Dalby Parva Saltby Wymondha*m* Knipton Bottisford Redmell Harby Burton Lazars

Inkersall, John, vicar Rowse, John, vicar Gulson, William, rector Ward, William, rector Higginbotham, Edmund, curate West, John, curate Bragg, John, curate Cooke, John, curate

#### GOODLAXTON DEANERY

Ailston Enderby Cosby Broughton Astley Frolesworth Cleybrook Peatling Magna Crofte Narborowe Wigston Kylmecoate Glenfeild Odeby Desford Foston Blabye Northkilworth Southkilworthe Cottesbitche Ashby Parva Gilmorton Stonistanton Shernford Sapcott Thorpthomas Elnesthorp Earnsby Misterton Bitteswell Peatling Parva Swinford

Heathcoat, John, rector Goddell, Zachary, vicar Needham, Mr, vicar White, Francis, rector Staresmore, Mr, rector Higginson, John, vicar Pollard, Thomas, vicar Shenton, John, rector Weston, Hugh, rector Thornton, William, vicar Stockton, Mr, rector Howe, Edward, rector Andrewe, William, vicar Boning, Thomas, rector Mawnsfeild, Mr, rector Rogers, Mr, rector Buckeridg, Mr Doctor, rector Gest, William,2 rector Dillingham, Mr, rector Bracegerdell, Mr, rector Hawford, Edward, rector Scampton, William, rector Washington, Edmund, rector Worshipp, John, rector Lee, Mr, rector Crumpton, Robert, rector Langley, Mr, vicar Howe, Edward, rector Tilley, Mr, vicar Woodcock, Mr, rector Humfry, Thomas,4 vicar Clements, William, rector Sheppard, Alexander, rector Debanck, John, rector

Chawne, John, vicar

Hodgkinson, John, rector

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Leare Willougghby Dunton Shawell

Lutterworth

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' (see p. 103; L.C., 1603, f. 34).
2 Rectius 'Thomas' (see P.D., 1593, no. 64; L.C., 1603, f. 34).
3 Rectius 'Alan' (see P.D., 1601, no. 4; L.C., 1603, f. 33).
4 Rectius 'Humphrey Thomas' (see p. 103; L.C., 1603, f. 34).
5 Rectius 'Edward' (see P.D., 1591, no. 50; L.C., 1603, f. 33).

Ashby Magna Brantingthorpe Thurlston Aston Flamvile Narborow North Kilworth Misterton Leare Willoughby Aston Flamvile

Mason, John, vicar Clark, William, rector Sherwood, Mr, rector Gray, Mr, rector Brooks, Mr, curate Wood, Mr, curate Wright, Mr, curate Sheppard, Mr, curate Deabanck, Mr, curate Botham, Mr, curate

#### GOSCOTT DEANERY

Humberston Beeby Hungarton Loasbye Skeffington Tugby Allaxton Tilton Twiford Dalby Chacombe Ashby Folwell Southcroson Quenniborowe Barkby Siston Rearsby Thrussington Hoby Ratherby Frisby Asfordby Saxulby Wymeswold Walton Seagrave Cussington Ratcliff Skeffington Belgrave Thrummaston Saxulby Seagrave Sileby

Wilson, Mr, vicar Alsopp, Mr, rector Naylor, William,<sup>2</sup> vicar White, William, vicar Rustat, Robert, rector Brisby, Mr, vicar Cade, Mr, rector Lant, William, vicar Scarborowe, William,<sup>3</sup> vicar Watte, Francis, vicar Child, William, vicar Key, William, rector Squier, Francis, vicar Gibson, William, vicar Roberte, Mr., vicar Whitaph, William, rector Burne, William, vicar Read, William, rector Smith, William,5 rector Siluerwood, John, vicar Hill, William,6 rector Wickham, Michah, rector Rathbone, Peter, vicar Blont, Robert, rector Savage, Mr, rector Booth, Hugh, rector Richardson, John, vicar Maddock, Mr, curate Griffin, Mr, curate Morrey, Robert, curate Capion, Mr, curate Fewke, Mr, curate Chamberlin, Mr, curate

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' (see P.D., 1586, no. 36; L.C., 1603, f. 32).
2 Rectius 'Richard' (see p. 104; L.C., 1603, f. 35).
3 Rectius 'Robert' (see P.D., 1581, no. 12; L.C., 1603, f. 36).
4 Rectius 'Samuel' (see P.D., 1591, no. 31; L.C., 1603, f. 34).
5 Rectius 'Richard' (see P.D., 1593, no. 34; L.C., 1603, f. 35).
6 Rectius 'Martin' (see p. 103; L.C., 1603, f. 34).

#### AKELEY DEANERY

Swepston Packington Seale Ashby delazouch Coleorton Whitweek Osgathorp Belton Donington Lockington Kegworth Hathurne Longwhatton Diseworth Shepeshead Loughborow Barrow Thurcaston Onelipp Ashby Blougherby

Woodhouse Mountsorell Thurcaston Worthington

Loughborow

Bredon Kegworth

Beale, Nicholas, rector Sowter, Mr, vicar Royle, Walter, rector Hildersham, Mr, vicar Stacy, James, rector Barlowe, Mr, vicar Robinson, Mr, rector King, Mr, vicar Wood, Peter, vicar Croftes, John, vicar Ireton, John, rector Barodale, William, rector Boilston, William, rector Twitty, Mr, vicar Olerenshawe, Peter, vicar Browne, John, rector Rustat, Robert, vicar Babington, Brutus, rector Cowper, Robert, rector Brinsley, Mr, curate Hall, Mr, curate Haywood, Mr, curate Freeman, Mr, curate Mole, Mr, curate Dawson, Mr. curate Chapman, Thomas, curate Hollyar, Mr, curate Arme, Mr, curate Taylcoat, Mr, curate

#### SPERKINHO DEANERY

Appleby Boseworth Sheepey

Higham. Newbold Peckleton Norton Neilston Heather Markefeild Ibstock Congeston Cadeby Sibbesdon Dreyton Kirkby Thornton Hinckley Orton

Blithe, Hugh, rector Pelsant, William, rector Taylor, John, rector Savadg, John, rector Cawne, John, rector Abell, John, rector Davy, Thomas, rector Royle, Thomas, rector Hubbeck, William, rector Ashe, John, rector Brigge, Anthony, rector Cotchman, Ezechiel, rector Watson, Julius, rector Bott, Lawrence, rector Tuke, David, rector Nutter, Anthony, rector Allen, William, rector Marvin, George, vicar Griffith, Jasper, vicar Spencer, Roger, vicar

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Skakerston Hinckley Stoke Hucklescot Orton Sibbesdon Shenton Barlston Twicrosse

Moore, John, vicar Dryver, Martin, curate Smith, Edmund, curate Freeman, Richard, curate Bate, Richard, curate Hopkins, Richard, curate Eaton, Thomas, curate Squier, Edmund, curate Fewke, Henry, curate

#### GARTREY DEANERY

Medborne Langton Halloughton

Pickwell Galby Houghton Gumley Lawghton Saddington Stokerston Knossington Burton Ou*cry* Carlton Shanckton

Stonton Wyvell

Cranhoe Gloreston Billesdon Bringhurst Thedingworth Norton

Thurmby Glen Magna Slawston Welham Lubbenham

Wistowe

Scraptoft Horneinghold Foxon

Medborne Langton Kibworth Owston

Harborow Bowden Magna St. Mary in Arden

Husband<sub>C</sub> Boresworth

Fleckney

Duport, Mr Doctor, rector Osborne, Mr Doctor, rector Patchett, Harold, rector Welch, William, rector Pocklington, William, rector Tookey, Thomas, rector Pollard, Christopher, rector Bingley, James, rector Cotton, Thomas, rector Holland, Richard, rector Payne, Robert, rector Sampson, Richard, rector Burditt, William, rector Weston, Hugh, rector Corney, William, rector Brudnell, Paul, rector

Hill, Mr, rector Greennaugh, Arthur, rector Cade, Anthony, vicar Lee, Richard, vicar Ward, Leonard, vicar Ruddington, Thomas, vicar

Crosley, Roger, vicar Clark, John, vicar Tompson, John, vicar Loasby, Thomas, vicar Stronginarne, George, vicar Watte, Thomas, vicar Sterk, Henry, vicar Vawdrey, Roger, vicar Jorden, Richard, vicar Gotch, Mr, curate Curteys, Mr, curate Sargiant, Mr, curate

Cambell, Mr, curate Eaton, Matthew, curate Wood, William, curate

Hodgson, Thomas, curate Hall, Mr, curate

Avery, Thomas, curate

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Robert' (see P.D., 1601, no. 11; L.C., 1603, f. 31).

Kilby Wilcox, Mr, curate
Ilston Judd, Mr, curate
Goodeby Perkins, George, curate

EXEMPT [PLACES]

Rothley Kendall, Mr, vicar Ratby Whit, Mr, vicar Swithland Smith, Mr, parson

Newtowne Higginbotham, John, curate

Ansty Simkin, John, curate Stonton Hargrave, Mr, curate

Gaddesby [blank], Mr Edward, curate

Keame Raven, Mr, curate
Wartnaby Hodgkin, Mr, curate
Cawdwell and Wickham
Grimston Gibson, Mr, curate
Cowper, Mr, curate

#### LEICESTER DEANERY

St. Margaret's Wickham, Michah, vicar All Saints' Rudyard, William, vicar St. Martin's Holmes, Thomas, vicar Jesson, Thomas, vicar

# [THE STATE OF THE CHURCHES

#### IN THE

# ARCHDEACONRIES OF LINCOLN & STOW

A.D. AUGUST, 1602.]

[The letters are taken from the Brown Book in the REGISTRY OF THE LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY, and the account of the churches from a paper book which is included in a volume of Libri Cleri, 1570-1603, in the same REGISTRY.]

Folio 176.

#### LITTERE AB EPISCOPO LINCOLNIENSI.

SAL: IN CHRISTO: I doe send vnto yow inclosed a coppie of the mooste Reuerende father in God the Archbushopp of Cant. his Gr: my verie good Lo: and brother his l'res the contents wherof I require yow in her Ma<sup>tes</sup> name and by virtue of the said l'res to se dulie performed wt all convenient expedic'on that the offence may be cleared yf eny suche there be (w<sup>ch</sup> need? muste bee imputed to yor selues in some sorte) and that wee may bee freed from God and her Ma<sup>tes</sup> displesure then the w<sup>ch</sup> twoe there can noe greater plagues fall vppon vs.

Furthermore these shalbe to lett yow vnderstand that his Gr: require the a present certificate from me of the late contribuc'on for ye relief of those ministers in my dioce whoe sent [folio 176d.] theire men, their horses, their furniture and money into Ireland in October laste vppon the soddaine for her Mates service there that therbie his Gr: may be trulie enformed howe yt is payd and howe yt is disposed. Wherfore I require yow out of hande to sende me a trewe note of those ministers whoe have not payd their porc'ons of the said contribuc'on and alsoe the names togeather wth the money of suche as have payd synce yor last Accompte wth me that I may satisfie his Gr: therin on the one syde and their importunacy, whoe stand yet vnreleived on the other.

Last of all I require yow presentelie, to send me a note subscribed w<sup>th</sup> yor hande of the receipte of these my 1'res w<sup>th</sup> the coppie of his Gr: 1'res enclosed. And soe for this tyme assuringe myself that yow wilbe carefull and paynfull in the accomplishinge of the premisses w<sup>th</sup> my hartie Comendac'ons I commytt yow to god from my house at Buckden this

laste of June 1602.

yor verie Loving freind W: Lincoln.

yow muste in eny wise take order for the peculiers subjecte to the deane and Chapter of Lyncolne their iurisdice'on, that they may be reformed & certified

accordinglie, for I thincke those churches and Chauncells, and those that be appropriac'ons, or houlden by lease from her Ma<sup>tie</sup> are moste out of order.

To M<sup>r</sup> Randes my Commissarie in the Archdeaconries of Lyncolne and Stowe and to M<sup>r</sup> ffrauncis Bullingham, and M<sup>r</sup> John Harrys my Regesters there and to euerie of them haist these speedylie.

Lyncoln rec. enm copia inclusa, &c. quarto die Julij 1602 per Stow. manus Edw: Whypp famuli Francisci Bullingham Registrarij predicti.

Folio 177. [Letter of the Archbishop of Canterbury, enclosed in the foregoing letter of the Bishop of Lincoln.]

SAL: IN CHRISTO: Her Matie being enformed that divers churches and Chauncelle win this realme are greatlie decayed and some of them either falne downe or lyke to fall downe and likewise that many other churches are very ondecentlie kepte win to the disgrace of Religion, and greate offence to many well disposed, and occasion to suche as are enymies to our profession to thincke that wee are but prophaynlye mynded and wout denotion: Haithe comaunded me to write to the Archb: of Yorke for his province and to all the Bpps wth in my province, in her name to charge them to have a spetiall regarde to the premisses and to take care that the same bee reformed accordinglie weh herbie I notifie vnto yor Lop And require yow in her Mates name to see the same dulie performed and reformed as yow will aunswere to the contrary, and to certifie me in convenient tyme the state of the churches win yor Dioces. And what yow haue done concerninge the same. And soe wth my hartie comendae'ons I commytte yor Lop to the Tuic'on of thalmightie god: ffrom Lambhith, this xxjth of June, 1602.

yo<sup>r</sup> L: Lovinge brother in Christe Jo: CANTUAR:

From the Judge & Registrar unto the Lo: Bu: of Lyncoln.

Righte Honorble and our verie good Lo: our duties firste in Humble manner remembred: Pleaseth yt your good Lopp to vnderstand that vppon the fourthe of Julie last past wee receyved a l're from yor Lo: wth a copie inclosed of a l're sent to yor Lo: from the moste Reu'de father in god, the Lo: Archb. of Cant. his Grace, the severall Tennors of weh do ensewe and followe: Sal: in Christo: I doc send vnto you &c. . . . vor Loving freind W: Lyncoln. Sal: in Christo: Her Matie being enformed &c. . . . yor Loving brother in christe Jo: Cantuar: [These 2 l'res are to be extended verbatim as before]. For the performance of our duties in this charge wee [folio 177d.] certifie yot Lo: hereby that wee have caused a survey to be made of all the churches and chauncelle of all and singuler the parrishes situate and beinge wth in the severall Archdeaconries of Lyncoln and Stowe as well in places exempte as not exempte, and therof have made a booke in the weh is sett downe all and singuler the names of the parrishes haveing added to them certaine severall notes,  $w^{\mathrm{ch}}$  doe declare the presente estate of suche churches and chauncelle  $w^{\mathrm{ch}}$  booke herew<sup>th</sup>all wee doe send to  $yo^{\mathrm{r}}$  Lo: And soe we humblie take or leave Lyncoln the 20. of Septemb: 1602.

Here followeth a coppie of a warrant sent from the Judge and Register to thapp: aboute the business before mene oned of weh euerie apparitor had one, viz.

These are in the Queenes most excellent Mates name to comaunde and by virtew of I'res sent from the most Reuerend ffathers in God the Lo: Archb: of Canterburie his Gr: and our verie good Lo: Bu: our Diocesian To require vow that in some convenient speede (all excuses and delaies sett aparte) vow doe repaire to euerie parishe churche wth in vor office aswell in place exempte as not exempte and there take view and survaic aswell wether suche seuerall church and chauncell adiovninge to the same be either alredy falne downe likelie to fall or be in env other decay As also weth<sup>r</sup> the same be cleanlie and decentlie kept. And in case in env of the said point? there be env faulte there to learne and enquire in whome the wante is And herof to make vs a trew certificate at Lincoln before the firste day of September next then & there retorning thes p'ntes And herof faile yow not as yow tender her Mates favor and will aunswere the contrary at yor perill Dated at Lincoln the last of Julie 1602.

Yor Loving friends
THO: RANDe
FRANC, BULLINGHAM
(Brown Book, ff. 176-177d.)

Folio 1.

#### AUELAND DECANATUS

Aslackhoe [sic], Boorne, Dunsbie, Demblebie, Haconby, Kyrkby, Mortone, Newtonne—The churches & Chauncells here are well repayred & decently kept.

Byllingburghe—The churche ys in good repayre & kept decently. The chauncell ys ruinous by the defalt of the Erle of Lincoln proprietary

of this parsonage.

defective.

Folkinghame—here the churche ys in good repaire & kept decently. The chauncell thorough the [?pou]ertie of the parson M<sup>r</sup> Hoskines ys in some d[e]cay w[hich] he promise the shall shortly be amended.

Horblinge—The church here ys in good repayre and decently kept. The chauncell ys in grete decay culpa domini Episcopi Lincoln', ut gard-

iani dicunt, vel eius firmarii.

Hasebie—The churche & Chauncell here are well repayred and accordingly kept in decencie.

Folio 1d.

Osbornebie, Pickworthe, Rippingall, Walcote—Bothe churche & Chauncell are well repayred & kept decently.

Sempringhame—The churche ys in good repaire & kept decently; the channell is ruinous thoroughe the defalt [of the Erle<sup>2</sup>] of Lincoln.

Swaton—The churche [here is in²] good repaire & decently kept. The [Chaunce]ll ys ruinous in the defalt of [the Erle²] of Lincoln proprietary of the parsonage.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> *I.e.* the apparitors.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Here and in some other places the manuscript has been damaged.

Threkinghame—The churche here ys in good repayre & decently kept. The chauncell ys ruinous in the defalt of the aforesayd Erle.

Wyllowghby—The chauncell here ys in good repaire & kept decently. The churche ys ruinous thorowgh a suyte dependinge betwene Mr. Towneley & Mr. Pell esquires, for and about the repayring thereof. *Folio 2*.

#### BELTISLO DECANATUS

Bythame Magna—The chauncell of Hallywell a chapell belonging to this parsonadge ys in decay; the parsonadge ys impropriate to the deane & Chapter of Lincoln to whom or their farmer the repaire belongethe; the churche ys well repayred & kept decently and order ys taken for the spedie repayre thereof.

Bythame parva—The churche and Chansell here are well repayred & kept decently; the sayd dene & chapter haue promised spedie repaire.

Bytchfeld—here bothe churche & Chancell are in decay but by order taken with the parishioners and with Mr Wymberley my l. Byshopp of lincoln his farmer of the parsonage a speedie repayre wylbe hadd, the same beinge alredy in hand.

Basingthorpe, Byrton, Careby, Colsterworthe, Corby, Cretonne, Edname, Gunby—the churche & Chancell of thees seuerall parishes are in good repayre & kept decently.

in good repayre & kept decently

Folio 2d.

Irenhame, Lavingtone, Northwythame, Stevenbie, Stoake, Skillington, Swynsted, Wythame—The chauncell & churche of theis seuerall parishees are in good repayre & kept decently.

Sowthwythame—The churche here ys well maynteined & kept decently. The chauncell ys ruinated, the one part thereof ys her ma<sup>tes</sup>

chardge (as they say) to repayre, the other part ys the parsones.

Swafeld—The churche ys vnseamely & vnclenely kept and the chauncell in some lytle want of repayre and order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the parson & parishe clarke for spedy amendment.

## BULLINGBROOKE DECANATUS

Bullingbrooke—The churche ys somewhat defective in the leades but order ys taken for the speedie reformac'on. The chancell ys well repayred & bothe are decently kept.

Folio 3.

Hagnebie—The churche and chauncell here are somewhat defective in repayre but yt ys promised by some of the L. Burleighes officers that all shalbe spedely reformed.

Haltonne—The churche & Chauncell here in some want of repaire but order ys taken that repayre shalbe made & a decencie in the

keepinge of them shalbe had wth convenient speede.

Hareby—The churche here ys in some want of repayre weh by order taken ys shortly to be amended; the chauncell ys very well repayred, &

they are bothe decently kept.

Hundlebie—The churche ys defective in the glase wyndowes wherby the same ys defiled wth owles & pigeons but by order taken yt ys spedely to be reformed; the chauncell ys well repayred & kept decently.

Kirkby—The est end of the chauncell here ys lyke to fall downe; the L. Wyllowghby of Earesby shuld repayre yt beinge proprietorie of the parsonadge. The churche ys well repayred & kept in decencie.

Spillesbie—The buttresseis on bothe sydes of the church are decaied weh wyll turne to the ruyne of the church but order ys taken th<sup>t</sup> a speady reformac'on shalbe had. The chauncell ys well repayred & bothe of them are in keaping decente.

Enderbie, Esterkeale, Lusbie, Myningesby, Ratheby, Stickney, [folio 3d.] Stepinge parva, Stickford, Sybsey, Toynton Petri, Westerkeale—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred

& kept decently.

Thorp—The churche here wth the chauncell ys in some want of repaire, for the spedy reformac'on wherof order ys taken; the bothe

otherwise kept decently.

Toynton Omnium Sanctorum—The churche ys in some want of repayre but by order taken yt spedely to be reformed. The chancell ys well repayred & kept decently.

#### CANDLESHO DECANATUS

Ardlethorp, Ashebie, Burrowghe—The churche & Chauncell of theis

seuerall parishees are in good repayre and kept decently.

Braytoft—The churche here in some lytle want of repayre but by order formerly taken yt ys spedely to be repayred; the Chauncell ys in good case & w<sup>th</sup> the churche decently kept.

Folio 4.

Candlesby—There are some small defectes bothe in the churche & Chauncell here but by order formerly taken they are to be supplied spedely.

Drybie—The chauncell here ys in good repaire & kept decently; the churche ys in some want of repayre & especially in the steple, for

the spedy repayre whereof order vs alredy taken.

Croft, Dalby, Friskney, Firsbie, Gunby, Ingolmells, Irbie, Orbie, Partney, Sutterbie, Skremby, [folio 4d.] Skendleby, Stepinge Magna, Wayneflete All Stes, Weltoune—The churche & Chauncell of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Skegnes—There ys some small decay here of the churche by reason of a late tempestuous storme and order ys alredy taken that yt shalbe reformed spedely; yt ys (wth the chauncell in good repayre) very

decentlie kept.

Wynthorp—The churche and Chauncell here are in reasonable good

repayre & kept decently.

Waynefleete Marie—The chauncell here ys in greate decay & therby ys very vnseamely & kept yll favoredly; the falt ys in one m<sup>r</sup> Barkome a londoner or in his farmer who farmethe the parsonadge at m<sup>r</sup> Barkomes hand. The churche ys in reasonable good sort.

#### CALCEWATHE DECANATUS

Abie—The churche ys well repayred & kept decently. The chauncell ys in some decay thoroughe the falt of the L. Wyllowghby of Earesby proprietary of the parsonadg.

Anderby, Alford *cum* Riggesbie, Beesby, Byllesby, [folio 5] Cawthrope, Cumberworthe, Claxbie, Calceby, Farlestrope, Gaytonne, Hanney,

Hootoft, Hellowe, Hawghe-The churcheis & Chauncells of theis

seuerall parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Hoggesthorp—The churche here ys well repayred and kept decently; the Chauncell ys ruinous culpa domini Episcopi Lincoln' vt gardiani presentant. I learne & yt ys sayd that Sr John Bolls the farmer ys about to repaire the same.

Legburne—The churche here ys in reasonable good repaire & kept decently. The channell vs ruinated and yt ys sayd to be her ma<sup>tes</sup> and that Wyll'm henneage esq' ys farmer to her ma<sup>tie</sup> of this parsonage.

Mablethorp Petri—here bothe churche & Chauncell weere swalowed vp w<sup>th</sup> the sea aboue l<sup>th</sup> or lx yeres past sence w<sup>ch</sup> tyme there was never any churche there buylded thoroughe the pouertie w<sup>ch</sup> the [inha]bitante weere drawen into by losse of g[oods] by that invidac'on.

Folio 5d.

Sowth Restorne—The Churche & Chauncell here are in decay, and by order formerly taken ys spedely to be repayred & to be kept decently.

Tottyll—The steple of this churche ys in decay and the chauncell ys in greate decay; order ys taken that the want? shalbe supplied in

convenyent speede.

Mablethorp Marie, Mumbie, Mumby Capla, Maltby, Markby, Suttone, Salebie, Strubbie, Swabie, Stayne, [folio 6] Thedilthorp All Sies, Thedilthorp Helens, Trustrope, Thoresbie, Vlcebie, Wyllowghbie, Wytherne—The seuerall churcheis & Chauncells of theis parishees are in good repayre & kept decently.

Well—The churche & Chauncell here are ruinated in the defalt of the L. Wyllowghby of Earesbie to whome (as yt ys sayd) belongethe all

the towne, & the parsonadge.

#### GRAFFO DECANATUS

Awburghe, Basinghame, Bowlthame, [folio 6d.] Carleton, Doddington, Egle, Hikame, North Skarle, Skellingthorpe, Thorp on the Hill, Thurleby—The churche & Chauncell here are well repayred & kept in decencie.

Norton Disney—The churche here ys well repayred & decently kept decently  $\lceil sic \rceil$ . The channell in some lytle decay in the tyles but yt ys

spedely to be repaired by order formerlie taken.

Swynderbie—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently. The channell ys in some want of repayre but order ys taken alredy for the spedie amendment thereof.

# Folio 7. GRANTHAME DECANATUS

Londonthorp—The churche here ys well repayred; the chauncell ys in some want of repayre w<sup>ch</sup> the farmer of the parsonadge hathe promised to have and make speedye repayre, & that the same shalbe decently

kept.

Allington, Barrowghby, Beltonne, Barkestone, Bootheby paynell, Brasebie, Dentonne, Granthame, Gonerbie, Haydor, Harlaxtonne, Honington, [folio 7d.] Pauntonne Magna, Pauntonne Parva, Roppesley, Segbrooke, Scistonne, Sapertonne, Somerbie, Willesforthe, Welby, Woolstrope—The seuerall churcheis & chauncells of thes parishees are in good repayre & kept decently.

Stroxtonne—Here ys some waunt of repayre bothe in churche & chauncell: But order ys taken for the spedy repayre of them bothe, & for the decent kepinge of them.

Wyvell—Here ys neyther churche nor Chancell neyther inhabitante

nor have not beene theis xlti or ltie yeres.

#### Folio 8. GARTRE DECANATUS

Horsington—The churche & Chauncell here are greatly decayed by meanes that the same are lytle frequented by reason the parishioners have a chappell w<sup>th</sup>in the towne for devine service, the churche standinge farr of & yll to comme to in wynter, by reason of water & yll way.

Hemingbie—The chauncell here ys well repayred & kept in decencie. The churche ys in some want of repayre but order ys taken that yt

shalbe spedely amended.

Asterby, Bucknall, Belchford, Calkwell, Doningtoune, Gawdebie, Golcebie, Myntinge, Randbie, Stayntoune, [folio &d.] Styrtone, Stanygote, Stixwould, Skamblesbie—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred & kept in decencie.

#### GRYMMESBY DECANATUS

Ashebie—The churche here hathe somme wantes for the  $w^{ch}$  to be repayred spedely order ys taken. There ys an yle adiovninge to the northe syde of this churche  $w^{ch}$  is in decay, the repayre thereof belongethe to  $S^r$   $W^m$  Wray knight lord of the towne; the Chauncell here ys well repayred & kept decently.

Briggesley—The churche & Chauncell here have lately bene vndecently kept, but order ys taken for the reformac'on; they are bothe well

repayred.

Aylesbie, Bradley, Beelesbie, Barnoldbie, [folio 9] Cotes Magna, Cooxwold, Caboorne, Healinge—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis

seuerall parishes are in good repayre & kept decently.

Cotes parva—Here bothe churche & Chauncell w<sup>th</sup> the steple are in greate decay, and all thinges so far owt of order as prayer cannot conveniently be done therein. The falt hathe bene Sr Xp'ofer Hillyarde knight who now hathe taken order for spedy reformac'on in all the premisseis.

Clee—The chauncell here ys in some decay culpa domini Episcopi Lincoln' vt dicunt vel cius firmarij; there are some small vante in the churche bothe in repayre & otherwise weh ys in mendinge, otherwise

there all in chancell & churche ys well.

Est Randall—The churche here ys in good repayre and decently kept. The Chauncell ys in some want of repayre but order ys taken for the spedie repayre thereof.

Graynnesbie—here bothe churche & Chauncell are in some decay but

order vs taken for the spedie reformac'on.

Grymnesby Jacobi—The churche ys well repayred & kept decently. The chauncell ys half taken downe & made lesse in the tyme of late Sr George Heneage knight decessed; now the impropriac'on of the parsonage ther belongethe to W<sup>m</sup> Heneage esq'.

Grymmesbie Marie—The churche here ys rased wth the Chancell

longe agoe, by what authoritie vt vs not knowen.

Humbrestone—The churche here ys in some want of repayre & defect of some thinges w<sup>ch</sup> are presently to be supplied by order taken.

Folio 9d.

Howtonne—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently; the chauncell ys vnseamely in the wyndowes wen are dawbed vp & stopped with wispes, for the wen order ys taken for speadie reformac'on with [blank]

Googe gent' proprietary of the parsonage here.

Northcotes—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently; the chauncell ys in greate ruyne in the roofe and the glasse wyndowes thoroughe the contynuell absence of the parsone who pretendethe he may be absent for that he ys (as yt ys reported) chapleine to the erle of Darby & in his howse.

Newtonne—The churche & chancell are here owt of repayre & the

leade sold, thoroughe the fault of the parsone and parishioners.

Skarthoe—The chauncell here ys well repayred & kept decently. There be some small wante in the churche aswell in the pewes & Seate as some other soche lyke for the w<sup>ch</sup> by order alreadie taken there ys a spedy reformac'on to be hadd.

Hatclief, Hawerbie, Irbie, Lasebie, Rothewell, Swynehopp, Swallow, Thoresby, [folio 10] Wathe—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall

parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Tetney—The Chauncell here ys in decay in the leade & glasse wyndowes & therby not kept decently, cnlpa domini Episcopi Lincoln' vt dicitur. The churche hathe some wantes, the weh are to be supplied foorthwth by order taken.

Walthame—Ther ys bothe in the Churche & chauncell here somme small wante in the repayre but order ys taken that supplie shalbe made

wth expedic'on.

#### HOLLAND AUSTRALIS DECANATUS

Cowbyt—This ys a chappell of ease belonginge to Spaldinge weh the inhabitant of this hamlet do keepe well bothe in decencie & also repayre.

Crowland, Fleete, Gedney—here bothe churches & Chauncells are

well repayred & kept decently.

Gedney fenend—This ys a chappell of ease belonginge to Gedney aforesaid; the inhabitante of this hamlet do keap this chappell in good repayre & decencie.

Holbeache—The churche ys in very good repayre, and very decently kept. The chauncell ys in grete decay culpa domini Episcopi Lincoln' vt

presentant gardiani.

Luttonne—This ys a chappell of ease belonginge to Sutton S<sup>t</sup> Maries, w<sup>ch</sup> chappell the inhabitant<sub>ℓ</sub> of this hamlet do mayneteyne. But as for the chauncell beinge well repayred ys maynteyned so, by the proprietary

of the parsonadge.

Mowltonne—The churche here ys in decay, but order ys taken for the speadic repayre thereof web at this presente ys in hand. The chauncell ys ruinated, by the defalt of one M<sup>18</sup> White, a neare kinswoman of the late lord threasurer, as the inhabitant? there do geue informac'on. Folio 10d.

Mowlton Capla—This ys a chappell of ease; the inhabi[tants] of

w<sup>ch</sup> hamlett do maynteyne the same in repayre & decencie.

Pinchbeck—The churche here ys well repayred and kept decently. The chauncell ys in some decay thoroughe her matie who ys in part

proprietarie therof, And of one Mathew Robinson gent' proprietarie of the other part.

Sutton Edmundi—This ys a chappell of ease well kept in repayre &

decencie by the inhabitantes of this hamlett.

Sutton Jacobi—This lykewise ys a chappell of ease well mayntened in repayre & decencie by the inhabitant? of this hamlett.

Sutton Marie, Surfleete, Spaldinge, Whaploade, Westonne—The

churches & Chauncells here are in good repayre & decently kept.

Tydd Marie—The sowthe ile of the churche and the steple are mooche decayed. The chauncell ys well repayred & kept decently.

Whaploade Drove—There ys here a chappell of ease went the inhabitant of this hamlet do keape well for repayre & decencie.

# Folio 11. HOLLAND BOREALIS DECANATUS

Brothertoft, Bicker—The churche or chapell of Brothertoft & this

parishe of Bicker are well repayred & kept decently.

Algarkirk, Butterwick, Beningtonne, Bostonne, Donningtonne, Fossedike, Framptonne, Freestonne, Gosbertonne, [folio 11d.] Kyrtonne, Levertonne, Leake, Swynneshed, Skyrbeck, Toft, Wygtoft, Wrangle—The churche & Chauncell of theis seuerall parishees are in good repayre & kept in good decencie.

Quadringe—The churche here ys in a lytle want of repayre but order ys alredie taken that yt shalbe shortly repayred. The chauncell ys in some decay *culpa domini Episcopi Lincoln' sen eins firmarij eins* [sic].

Suttertonne—The churche here ys well repayred & decently kept; the Chauncell ys in great want of repayre thoroughe the defalt of the Lord W<sup>m</sup> Haward the proprietarie of the parsonadge here who ys comonly thought shulde make the repayre thereof.

Wybertonne—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently. The chauncell hathe somme defecte but by order taken yt ys spedely

to be reformed & repayred.

# Folio 12. HORNCASTLE DECANATUS

Bamburghe—The Steple ys decayed here but order ys taken that a speady repayre thereof shalbe made & the churche & chauncell are in

good state & kept decently.

Horncastle—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently; the Chauncell ys in greate decay thoroughe the defalt of the lord Bishopp of Carliell or his farmer weh vs not known but in controuersie in lawe betwixt the erle of Lincoln & Sr Edward Dymock.

Kirkbie super Bane—The churche & Chauncell here are in good repayre & kept decently yet the Steple ys decaied in the leede weh ys feared wyll never be repayred the pouertie of the Inhabitante ys so

greate.

Ashbie, Comningsby, Dalderby, Edlington, Halthame super Bane, Langtonne, Maring Capla, Mooreby, Marome, [folio 12d.] Rowghtonne, Skrevelesby, Toynton Capella, Toyntone Magna, Thimblebie, Thorntonne, Tatshall, Woodenderby, Wooddall—The seuerall churcheis and chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are in good repayre & kept in decencie.

Marton—The chauncell here ys well repayred, the churche beinge

somewhat ruinous; the repayre thereof ys in hand.

Waddingworthe—The churche and chauncell here are in somme decay & therby nothinge decently kept. *Folio* 13.

Wylkesby, Wispingtone—The seuerall churcheis & chauncells of their seuerall parishees are in good repaire and kept decently.

#### HILL DECANATUS

Asheby puerorum—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently. The chauncell ys ruinated thoroughe the defalt of the deen & Chapter of Lincoln or their farmer mrs Cole; the dene & chapter haue

lately promised a spedie reformac'on.

Aswardby, Asgarby, Bagenderby, Brinckle, Claxbie, Fulletby, Grethame, Harringtome, [folio 13d.] Hamringhame, Hagworthinghame, Langtome, Oxcombe, Skrayfeld, Somersbie, Salmondby, Sawcethrope, Tetford, Wyncebie—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are in good repaire & kept decently.

Kettesbie—The churche and Chauncell here are taken away & cleane rased by meanes of an vnion of this parsonadge & parishe to Ormesby alias Sowthormesby vnder wrytten, as ytt ys affirmed by m<sup>r</sup>

Richard Skipw<sup>th</sup> of the coort.

Sowthormesby—The churche & Chauncell that belongethe to the parson here are well repayred & kept decently. There ys another chauncell a quiere belonginge to the lord of the manor v'z mr Richard Skipwth of the coort, who shuld do the repaire thereof beinge now decayed.

Folio 14.

#### LYNCOLN' XP'TIANITAS DECANATUS

St Nicholas—here the chancell ys in some decay in the defalt of the deane & chapter of Lincoln, who lately have promised a spedy reformac'on.

Ste Botolphes, St Benette, Sanct Martynes, St Markes, St Michells, St Maries, St Margrette, St Marie Magdal', St Peters at tharcheis, St Pawlles, St Peters at gote, [folio 14d.] St Peters in Estgate, St Swythanes—The churches & chauncells of theis parishees are in good repayre & kept decentlie.

#### LONGOBOBY DECANATUS

Armestonne, Boothbie, Brasebrigg, Braunstonne, Blanckney, Byllingay, Canwicke, Colby, Dunstonne, [folio 15] Hanworthe, Methringhame, Nocktonne, Nanebie, Skopewick, Skynnand, Tymberland, Waddingtonne, Welburne, Whashingburghe, Wellingore—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are in good repayre & well manteyned & in decencie kept.

Kirkbie greene—The churche here ys in good repayre. The chauncell ys in some want of tylinge, but [order] ys taken for the spedie

repayre.

#### Folio 15d. LAFFOORD DECANATUS

Amwicke, Aswarbie, Awnesbie, Asgarbie, Braunsewell, Burtonne, Digbie, Dirringtonne, Eveden, Howell—The churches & Chauncells are well repaired & decently kept.

Ashebie—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently. The chauncell ys ruinous for that the Quenes matie ys thought to be the proprietary & aught to do the same repayre, or her mates farmer Edward Kinge esquier.

Bloxhame—The Churche ys in good repayre & kept decently; the chauncell ys in some decay, but order ys taken for the speadie repayre

thereof.

Cranwell—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently. The Chauncell ys in some want of repayre culpa domini Episcopi Lincolu' seu cius firmarij.

Folio 16.

Heckingtonne—The churche ys in decay, but yt ys now in repayringe; the chauncell ys in some decay beinge her ma<sup>tes</sup> chardge to reforme or the farmer.

Hoale—The churche ys in good repayre & kept decently. The chauncell was cleane taken away by the late lord threasurer his officers (as yt ys reported) by licence w<sup>ch</sup> his honor procured & obteyned from her ma<sup>tie</sup> first.

Iwarbie—The churche & Chauncell here are very well repayred &

kept decently.

Kirkby Ďionis'—Aswell Churche as Chauncell here are kept in good repayre & decencie.

Kirkby Lathrope—This Kyrkby ys now all one wth the other, by

meanes of an vnion.

Helpringhame, Ingolsbie, Kyme, Lessinghame, Quarington, Rowstonne, Ruskingtonne, Rawcesby, [folio 16d.] Slefoord, Skredingtonne, Wyllowghbie—The seuerall churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishies are in good repaire & kept decently.

Swarby—The churche ys well kept in repayre & decencie. The chauncell roofe ys fallen downe & taken away longe sence. The proprietarie there ys one George Fairefax gent' who shuld repayre or

reedifie the same.

#### LOUEDEN DECANATUS

Benington—The churche ys in good repayre & decently kept; the chauncell in some want of repaire in the leades, & order ys taken for the spedie reformac'on.

Ancaster, [Beck¹]inghame, Brantbrawghton, Caythorpe, Carleton scroope, [folio 17] Claypoll, Fulbecke, Howghe, Howgham cum Marstonne—The churches & Chancells here are well repayred and decently kept.

Fentonne—The churche ys in good repayre & in decencie kept; the chauncell ys in decay, w<sup>ch</sup> must be spedely repayred by order taken

lately.

Ledname, Normantonne, Straglethorpe, Stubtonne—The churche & Chauncell here are well repayred & kept decently by the seuerall parishioners & parsones.

Westburghe—The churche & Chauncell h[ere are well<sup>1</sup>] repayred

& kept decently.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

# LOWTHESKE [ET] LUDBURGH DECANATUS

Alvinghame, [folio 17d.] Awthrope, Burwell, Castle Carletoun, Couenham Barthol', [Couenha¹]me Marie, [Cockerington¹] Leonardi, [?Cockerington Marie, Calsthorpe¹]—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis senerall parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Carletonne Parva—The Steple of this churche ys in some decay decay [sic], & order ys taken for the speady repaire of yt, otherwise

bothe churche & Chauncell are well repayred & kept decently.

Carletoune Magna—The churche & Channell here are in some want of reparae'ons, but order ys taken for the spedie repaire of bothe, weh are

otherwise decently kept.

Conisholme—The churche here ys well & kept decently. The chauncell wantethe some lytle repayre for the w<sup>ch</sup> order ys taken that a spedie reformac'on shalbe had.

Folio 18.

Est Wickhame—here bothe churche & chauncell are in some decay & lykely to be in more want for th<sup>t</sup> there are few or no parishioners.

Farforthe—The churche here ys in some want of repayre but yt ys spedely to be repayred by order taken; the Chancell ys well repayred & w<sup>th</sup> the churche kept decently.

Hawghame—The churche here of late was rui[nated but by¹] order alredy taken ys to be reedifi[ed and is¹] at this instant in hand & almost f[inished; the chancell¹] ys well repayred, & they bothe are [kept decently¹].

Keddington—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently. The chauncell ys in decay for that S<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Wray knight proprietary dothe

not repayre the same when there [? is need1].

Fotherby, Fulstowe, Grymmesby Parva, Garnethorp, Grymmolby, Gayton, Hallington, Jarburghe, [folio 18d.] Kelsterne, Ludburghe, Lowthe, Manbie, Northelkingtonne—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Mucktoune—The churche ys in good repaire & kept decently. The chauncell ys in some want of repayre but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the parson

for speadie reformac'on.

Ormesbie—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently. The chancell ys in grete decay, the Quenes ma<sup>tie</sup> beinge proprietarie & Edward Marberie esquier iustice of peace the farmer.

[Saltfletby¹] Petri—The steple here ys in decay to repayre whereof the parishioners are now in hand; the churche & chauncell otherwise

are in good case of repayre & kept decently.

Ratheby, [Ruc]kland, [? Restone¹], Saltfletby Clemente, [folio 19] Saltfletby All Stes, Somercote Marie, Somercote Petri, Stewtonne, Sowth Elkingtonn, Vtterby, Wyamme, Weltonne, Wythcall—The chauncells & Churcheis of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Skydbrooke—The churche here ys well repaired & kept decentlie. The chauncell ys vtterly fallen downe some xv<sup>ten</sup> yeres by past, abowt w<sup>ch</sup> tyme the leade was taken away by a commission granted from her ma<sup>tie</sup> to one M<sup>r</sup> More her ma<sup>tes</sup> receuer (as yt ys here reported); her ma<sup>tie</sup> ys proprietarie, & one m<sup>r</sup> Edward Atkinson farmer of this parsonadge.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

Tathewell—The steple of this churche ys in decay; the churche otherwise & the Chauncell also are well repayred & kept in decencie. *Folio 19d.* 

#### NESSE DECANATUS

Thurlebie—here the churche ys in good repaire & decently kept; the Chaunsell ys in decay, but order ys taken for repayre to be hadd speedely.

Braseburghe, Bastone, Barholme, Carleby, Depinge Guthlaci, Depinge Jacobi, Gretford, Langtoft, [St]owe, Tallington, [folio 20] Vffingtonne—Theis chauncells & churches of theis seuerall parishees are in good repayre & kept decently.

West Depinge—The churche ys in good repayre & well kept in decencie; the chaunsell ys in some decay, but order ys taken for spedie

reformac'on.

# STAMFORD XP'TIANITAS DECANATUS

S<sup>t</sup> Maries, Alhallowes, S<sup>t</sup> Georgies, S<sup>t</sup> Michaells, S<sup>t</sup> Johns—The churches & Chauncells here are well repayred & kept decently.

St Clemente—Ther ys here no churche nor chancell by reason tht

yt is vnited to another parishe here in Stamford.

S<sup>t</sup> Pawles—There ys no churche nor chancell here but vnited to another parishe here in Stamford.

Folio 20d.

#### WALLESCROFT DECANATUS

Bynbrooke Gabrielis—The churche (the steple only excepted w<sup>ch</sup> ys lyke to fall) ys in good repayre & decently kept. There ys lytle hope that the steple wylbe amended, the parishioners beinge fewe in nomber & poore & the groundes occupied by forreners th<sup>t</sup> will yeald nothinge, &c.

Bynbrooke Marie, Claxby, Croxby, Est Rasen, Kyrkby, Kingerby, Kelsay Marie, Kelsay Nicholai, Lynwood, [folio 21] Newton, Normanby, Owresby, Raysen Drax, Raysen Tupholme, Stayntonne, Thorganby, Thoresway, Tevelbie, Toft, Thorntonne, [folio 21d.] West Raysen, Waylesbie, Wyllinghame, Vselbie—The seuerall churcheis and chauncells of theis seuerall parishies are well repayred & kept also decently.

#### WRAGGOE DECANATUS

Appley, Burghe, Biskerthorp, Benningworthe, Bardnay, Est Terring-tonne—The seuerall churcheis & Chauncells of theis parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Folio 22.

Est Barkworthe—The chauncell & churche here are in some decay in reparac'ons but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the parsone & churchwardens for the repayre of the decayes in speede convenient.

Hattome—The churche & chauncell here are in some decay but order ys taken aswell wth the parsonne & churchwardens for spedy

repayre.

Lyssingtome—The churche ys in some decay & the chauncell also but by order taken sence the last visitac'on, the repayre ys in hand.

Ludford Magna—The chancell here ys moche ruinated & so ys the cherch; the chancell ys to [be] repayred by W<sup>m</sup> Henneage esquier proprietary of the parsonage; the parishioners are very vulykely to repayre the churche their povertie ys so greate.

Hayntome, Howton cum Beckringe, Kyrmond, Ludford Parva, Langtome, Leggesbie, Pantome, [folio 22d.] Rand, Snelland, Syxhill, Staynefeld, Sotbie, Westbarkworthe, Willinghame—The churcheis & chauncells of their seuerall parishees are well repayred & decently kept.

Stayntonne—The Churche ys in good repayre & kept decently. The Chauncell ys somewhat owt of repayre for the w<sup>ch</sup> order ys taken th<sup>t</sup> yt shalbe reformed in convenient speede.

Wyckenby—The steple of the churche here ys in greate decay ells

the churche & chauncell are well repayred & kept decently.

Wragby—The churche & chauncell are here in good repayre exceptinge one lytle quire w<sup>ch</sup> belongethe to the Sandons to whome the repayre thereof dyd euer belonge as aperteyninge to that howse as they say but tyme owt of mynd the parishioners have done the repayre thereof.

West Terrington—The churche ys in good repayre & kept decently. The chauncell ys in some decay by the defalt of S<sup>r</sup> George S<sup>t</sup>poll

proprietary of the parsonadge there.

Folio 23.

#### YARBURGHE DECANATUS

Bigby, Barrowe, Barnnetby, Bondby, Barton S<sup>t</sup> Maries, Bartonne S<sup>t</sup> Peters, Broclesby, Cayster, Cadney, Croxtonne, Elshame, [folio 23d.] Ferebie, Gyrsbie, Gouxill, Haburghe, Haltonne, Imminghame, Kyrmingtonne, Kyllingholme, Kealebie—The churche & Chauncell of theis seuerall parishies are well repayred & kept decently.

Horkestowe—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently; the chauncell ys in decay in the walls of the northe & Southe Iles and ther glasse windowes; the parsonadge ys her mates & one mr [blank]

Allington of the Exchequer ys farmer.

Limber Magna—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept well in decencie. The chauncell ys lyk to fall thoroughe the defect of reparac'ons; her ma<sup>tie</sup> ys owner of the personadge, & m<sup>r</sup> [blank] Pelhame esquire & a justice of peace ys the farmer thereof.

Folio 24.

Meltonne Rose—here bothe in churche & Chauncell are some de-

fecte but by order taken they are to be reformed spedely.

Somerby—The churche ys in greate decay for th<sup>t</sup> there ys no parishioners, but only the lord m<sup>r</sup> Rosseter esquier iustice of peace in whose hande are all the tenem[ents] & lord of the parishe, who w<sup>th</sup> his wief & children seldome or never frequent the churche; the chauncell ys reasonable well & kept decently.

Northkelsay, Nettletoune, Rybie, Saxby, Stallingburghe, Thorntoune, Wrawby, Woorletby, Wootton, Vlceby—The churche & Chauncell of

theis seuerall parishees are in good repaire & kept decently.

Sereby—The churche ys in good repayre & decently kept. The Chauncell ys in decay & wantethe repayre, & the dene & Chapter of Lincoln beinge proprietaries owght to repayre the same who lately have promised spedy reformac'on.

Folio 24d. [blank].

Folio 25.

# ARCHIDIACONATUS STOWE

#### ASLACKHO DECANATUS

Canebie—The churche & chauncell are here in somme decay, but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the person and churchwardens in the behalf of the parishe that a reformac'on shalbe had in the defecte in convenient spede.

Camringhame—Ther ys somme want of repayre in churche and Chauncell, But order ys taken that a speadie reformac'on wylbe had &

certified.

Glenthame—The churche here ys in good repayre & kept decently. The Quire or channell ys in decay thoroughe the defalt of the deane & Chapter of Lincoln who are proprietaries of the parsonadge there, who have promised a spedie reparac'on.

Hackthorne—The churche ys in some d[?ecay, but order is taken¹] for the repaire there[? of. The Chancell¹] ys in reasonable repaire &

[? both are kept<sup>1</sup>] in reasonable decencie.

Hanworthe—The churche & Chauncell . . . . . reasonable case of r[epayre . . . . . de¹]fectiue, for w<sup>ch</sup> wa . . . . . in convenient

speede.

Blyburghe, Cotes, Fillinghame, Glentworthe, Hemeswell, Harpeswell, Inghame, [folio 25d.] Kyrtone, Normanbie, Spridlington, Saxbie, [Will¹]owghtone—The churche & Chancell of theis parishees are well repayred & kept decently.

Norton Episcopi—The churche & Chauncell are in reasonable repair and kept accordingly and promise ys made that all defectes shalbe sup-

plid in reasonable & convenient tyme.

Omebic—The churche & Chauncell are in some small decay but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the churchwardens & parson that sufficient repayre shalbe made in convenient speed & that they shalbe kept decently.

Waddinghame Petri—There are some defecte in repayre of the churche & by former order taken the same are to be supplied spedely. The chauncell ys in good repaire & kept decently.

#### CORRINGHAM DECANATUS

[? Bliton¹]—The churche here ys in some want of repayre but ys now (by order formerly taken) in hand & repayringe. The chauncell hathe some defecte in repaire the falt ys Sr Will<sup>m</sup> Wrayes proprietary of the parsonadge.

Beltonne—The churche & chauncell are in good repayre & kept

decently.

Butterwick—[blank].

Folio 26.

Greinghame—The churche here wantethe some repayre web vppon order taken ys to be repayred spedely, the chancell web the churche are in decent kepinge.

Haxey—The churche here ys well repayred & kept decently. The chauncell ys ruinous & therby vnseamelie lyethe culpa domini Archicpiscopi Eboraceusis proprietarij ecclesie ibidem vt gardiani ibidem presentant.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

Lea—The churche & Chauncell here are reasonably well repayred & kept decently; the small wantes that be by order taken are spedely to be repayred.

Northrope—The chauncell here ys in decay culpa domini episcopi

[Lincolniensis<sup>1</sup>] sen eins firmarij vt gardiani presentant.

Owstone—The churche here ys in good repayre & kep[t decently¹]. The chauncell ys in decay in the leades & . . . . in the walls & glasse wyndowes culpa [domini Archicpiscopi Eboracensis¹] proprietarij rectoria ibidem vt gardiani [presentant¹].

Pilhamme—There are some defecte bothe in churche & [Chanc]ell

w<sup>ch</sup> by order formerly ys to be supplied . . . . . convenient speede.

Corringhame, Epwoorthe, Gaynesburghe, Heaphame, Lawghtonne, [folio 26d.] Skottor, Skottonne, Springthorp—The churcheis & Chauncells of theis seuerall parishees are well repayred & decently kept.

Wroote—The churche here ys in good repaire & kept decently the chauncell ys somewhat faultie, & order ys taken for the amendment

thereof owt of hand.

#### LAWRES DECANATUS

Aystrope—The steple of this churche ys vncouered in the topp wherby yt takethe rayne so that yt ys feared the same wyll fall; in the said steple weere about some two yeres past three bells & now not any & yt ys said that  $\mathbf{m}^r$  [blank] Amcote iustice of peace & lord of the towne dyd carry them away from the parishe. The chauncell ys well repaired & kept  $\mathbf{w}^{\text{th}}$  the churche in decencie.

Barlinges—The churche & chauncell are in some decay but by order

alredy taken vs spedely to be reformed.

Buslingthorp—Bothe churche & chauncell are very ruinous in the walls, tymber, roofe & wyndowes, by reason there are no parishioners or very fewe there & of no abylitie. The Lord of the towne ys one m<sup>r</sup> [blank] Sutton of London; the persone ys beggarlie & residethe not.

Broxholme, Burtonne, Bratilby—The churches here wth the Chaun-

cells are in very good repayre & kept decently.

Folio 27.

Cheriwillinghame—The church & especially the Steple are in decay; the chauncell lackethe repayr in the tylinge; order ys taken wth the churchwardens that as spedy amendment may be had as may conveniently be and also that the chauncell shalbe repayred by the proprietarie thereof.

Dunholme—The churche & Chauncell are in some want of glasse in the wyndowes, but by order alredy taken they shalbe repayred in convenyent speede & that so all shalbe well.

Carleton Australis, Carletone Borealis, Faldingworthe, Fiskertoune, Gayteburtoun, Gretewell, Kettlethorp, Kneathe—Bothe churches & Chaun-

cells are well kept in repaire as also in decencie.

Fristrope—The churche ys in good repayre & kept decently. The channell ys in decay, But order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the new parson inducted wherby the repayre thereof shalbe in convenient speede made.

Folio 27d.

Newtonne—The churche & Chauncell are in some lytle want of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

repayre & order ys taken for spedy reformac'on of them, & the same ys done & certified this 12 of Novembre 1602<sup>1</sup> by Stow the churchwarden.

Riseholme—here the churche ys vtterly ruinated, and the chauncell lykewise, wth all the bells and ornamente & bookes. There ys lytle hope to have the churche reedified for that there ys not aboue one parishioner. Sr George Stpoll knight ys owner of all the towne. The parson ys wyllinge to repayre or reedifie the chauncell vppon the reedifieng of the churche.

Reffame—The churche in some want of repayre & so ys the Chaun-

· cell, & order ys taken for spedy reformac'on & for decent keapinge.

Sudbrooke—The churche ys in greate decay; ther ys good hope that yt shalbe repaired in convenient speede for that the parishioners are wyllinge thervnto otherwise bothe churche & chauncell are well v'z for decent keapinge.

Marton, Nettlehame, Snarford, Saxilby, Skamptonne, Skothorne, Stowe—The churche & Chauncell of theis seuerall parishees are well

repayred & kept decently.

Folio 28.

Torksey Petri—The churche & Chauncell are vtterly ruinated, & the bells & ornamente caried away (as yt ys reported) by one Robert Thorp decessed who farmed the whole Lordshipp of Sr Robert Germyne knight dwellinge in Suffolke.

Torkesay Marie—The chauncell & a quire proper to the lord of the towne are in grete decay in the falt of S<sup>r</sup> Robert Germayne knight afore-

said proprietary of the personage.

Vpton—Bothe churche and Chauncell want some repayre but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the churchwardens in the behalf of the parishioners & w<sup>th</sup> my lord wyllowghby proprietary of the parsonadge that in convenient speede repayre shalbe made, & then the same shalbe decently kept.

Wyllinghame—The steple of this churche ys somewhat decayed but the repaire ys in hand & wylbe repayred in convenient speede. The

chauncell ys well repayred & they are bothe kept decently.

Weltonne—The churche and Chauncell here are in reasonable good repayre and kept decently.

#### MANLAKE DECANATUS

Awthrope, Awckburghe, Applebie—The churche & Chauncell here

are well repayred & kept decently.

Burton in. ta Stather—The churche here ys in . . . . repayre. The chauncell la . . . . repaire in the Slates & work . . . . . yt ys thought to be the L. Shefelde [? fault²] his Lp. beinge proprietary of the [? parsonadge²].

Brawghtoune—The churche ys in good repayre. [The] Chauncell ys some want of re[payre, but²] the reformac'on ys by order f[ormerly made²] to be had & made forthwth; here [is a quier²] called the Lorde quier in decay . . . . . a Lawier of Lincoln's Inne owght to rep [ayre it²].

Folio 28d.

Bottisforthe—The Churche & chauncell there are in some decay, but order ys taken w<sup>th</sup> the churchwardens there & farmer of the parson-

<sup>2</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

<sup>1</sup> Perhaps the latter part of the entry was added after the original return was made.

adge that bothe churche & Chauncell shalbe fully amended & repayred

forthwythe & shalbe decentlie kept.

Frodinghame—The churche here was lately ruinated thoroughe the fall of the steple, but bothe churche and steple are in good forwardnes of beinge reedified w<sup>ch</sup> ys intended by the inhabitant on all convenient speede to be finished.

Haltonne—The chauncell here ys in good repayre & kept clenly, there ys some small want of repayre of the churche w<sup>ch</sup> are presently to

be repayred by order alredy taken.

Croolle, Flixburghe, Hebalstowe, Luddingtoune, Mauntoune, Messinghame, Redborne—The churches & Chauncells are in good &

reasonable repayre & kept in decencie.

[Roxby<sup>1</sup>]—The churche here ys in some want of repayre but by order formerly taken yt ys to [be] repayred in speede; the chauncell ys in good case & w<sup>th</sup> the churche ys kept decently.

Folio 29.

Risebie—The Chauncell ys in greate decay thorowg the falt of m<sup>r</sup> [blank] Hamerton proprietary of the parsonage & lyethe very vndecently.

The steple vs in very greate decay.

Scawby, Waddinghame Marie, Wyntringhame, Wyntertonne, Whittonne—The churches & Chauncells here are in reasonable good case bothe for repayre & decencie in the keapinge.

Folio 29d. [blank].

<sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

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# DOUBLE BENEFICES

1602 Februarie 14

1. LINCOLN' 2. STOWE ARCHIDIACONATUS

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY]

# [LINCOLN' ARCHIDIACONATUS]

This booke dothe specifie the names of all the duble benficed men within the Archdeaconrie of Lyncolne together with the names of their Curate made Februarii secundo A° 1602 stilo Anglico.

# Folio 1. AUELAND D:

Mr James Gryffite is the parson of Kirkby vnderwood in this deanry and parson of Paunton parva in Grantham deanry vppon web parsonage he resydethe and Richard Butler a minister and noe preacher servethe his Cure at the said Kirkby.

Mr Myles Whale is the parson of Willoughby and vicar of Osbornby bothe in this deanry and the distance is very smale soe that he servethe

both Cures himself.

Mr Robert Collingwood is the parson of Rippingale 2arum partium and Tertic parte twoe parsonages in one and the same churche and servethe the Cure and theruppon is resydent.

#### BELTISLOWE D:

Mr Thomas Russell is the vicar of Bassingthorpe in this deanry and there resydeth. And also he is the parson of Hicam in the deanrie of Graffoo. An[d] Hughe Horberrie is his Curate there a mynyster & noe

precher.

Mr Willyam Hotchkine is the parson of Colsterwo[rth] & there resydeth also he is the parson of Stoake *ex farte australi* bothe w<sup>ch</sup> are in this deanry and serveth bothe the Cures himself for eny thinge knowne to the contrarie to the Regester for there is not eny Curate to eyther lawfullie admitted.

Folio 1d.

Mr John Richardson is the parson of Gunby in this deanry and is not resydent he hathe another benefice in the dioces of Peterburghe where yt is thoughte he resydeth. Symon Tvnn is his Curate at Gunby aforesaid beinge a mynyster.

Folio 2.

Mr Nicholas Walker is the parson of Stoake *ex parte boreali* in this deanry and the vicar of Grantham *ex parte australi* in the deanry of Grantham and resydeth sometymes at Grantham and sometimes at Stoke and dischargeth and servethe the Cure at bothe place himself for there is noe Curate lawfullie admitted to eyther place knowne to the Regester.

Mr John Hanson is the parson of Irenham in this deanry & not resydent he resydeth uppon his prebend at Nassington and hath noe

Curat lawfullie admitted to Irenham.

#### BULLINGBROKE D:

Mr George Jackson is the parson of Easterkeale borialis and also of Westerkeale bothe in this deanry and haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted

and is at Westerkeale aforesaid resydent.

Mr William Symonde is the parson of Haltone Holgate in this deanry and there resydeth he also is the parson of Thedlethorpe Helen in Calcewaith deanry but haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted.

Mr John Downes is the parson of Lusbie in this deanry where he resydethe he also is the parson of Manby in Loutheske deanry and Lyon Portmorte is his Curate there but not lawfullie admitted.

Mr Richard Turpyn is the parson of Toynton Petri *australi* in this deanry and the vicar of Friskney in Candleshoe deanry and there is resydent as for Curate he haith none lawfullie admitted.

#### CANDLESHOE D:

Mr Martyne Houlden is the parson of Dryby and the parson of Sutterby bothe in this deanry and resydeth at Dryby but haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted.

Mr Richard Foster is the parson of Scremby and there resydeth and also he is the vicar of Skendleby bothe in this deanry and haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted.

#### CALCEWATHE D:

 $M^r$  Willyam Lathewate is the parson of Anderby in this deanry and Roberte Blacke there servethe the Cure beinge a minister. The said  $M^r$  Lathewate is also the parson of Litle Carlton in Loutheske deanrye wheruppon he is resydent.

Folio 2d.

Mr Thomas Sparke is the parson of Sutton in this deanry and is not there resydent. Also he is beneficed in Buckinghamshire and there (as yt haith bene reported) resydeth. And Roberte Vllyatt a minister servethe the Cure at the said Sutton but noe preacher.

Mr Roger Smythe is parson of Tottill in this deanry but not resydent neither haith eny Curate lawfullie admitted to that place he is not

resident in tharchdeaconry of Lyncolne.

Mr Samuel Willingham is the parson of Stayne in this deanrie but not resydent neither hath eny Curate lawfullie to that place admitted; he resydethe at Water Newton in Yaxley deanry in the Archdeaconry of Huntingdon being parson there.

Mr Trystrome Hudlestone is the parson of Mablethorpe Petri in this deanry but not resydent there neither haith he eny Curate there lawfullie

admitted the Churche is overflowne w<sup>th</sup> water in the sea and weather he haith eny other benefice yea or noe that is not knowne to the Regester but he resydeth at Lyncolne.

Mr William Myles is the parson of Thoresby in this deanry and theruppon is not resydent neither hathe eny Curate there lawfullie admitted he haith a prebend in the Cathedrall churche of Lyncolne and there resydethe.

Folio 3.

Mr Peregrine Browne is parson of Well in this deanry and there Resydethe, he also holdeth the Vicarage of Abie in the same deanrye but in what manner yt is not well knowne to the Regester.

### GRANTHAM D:

M<sup>r</sup> Symon Buttry is the parson of Allington in this deanry and there resydeth and also he haith the deaconry of Segbroke in the same deanry.

Mr James Thornton is the parson of Barrowbie in this deanry and there he resydeth he also is parson of Wolstropp in the same deanry and the name of his Curate there is Thomas Welby.

Mr John Pratt is the parson of Belton in this deanry and there resydethe and also is parson of Skirbecke in the deanry of North Holland and one Mr Edmunde Digle is his Curate there but not admitted yet a preacher.

Mr Edmunde Batty is the parson of Barks[ton] and parson of Denton bothe in this deanry and [is] resydent at Barkston as for Curate he hath none lawfullie admitted.

Folio 3d.

 $M^r$  Ralphe Caverley is the parson of Harlaxton in this deanry and there resydethe and is parson of Wibberton in the deanry of North Hollande and his Curate there is  $M^r$  Hughe Browne not admitted.

Mr Richard Gace is the vicar of Honington in this deanry and there resydeth. And also he is the vicar of Ancaster in the deanry of Loveden & serveth bothe Cures him self by reason of the litle distance of the place and smalenes of the lyveinge.

Mr Roberte Bawtree is the parson of Somerbie in this deanrie and there resydethe he also is the vicar of Heydor w<sup>ch</sup> is w<sup>th</sup>in the Jurisdicco'on of the Deane & Chapter of Lyncolne by reason wherof his Curate there is not knowne to the Register.

M<sup>r</sup> William Barkston is the encumbent of the parsonage and prebend of Grantham *australis* in this deanry but not resydent.

Mr Abraham Conway or Conham is the Incumbent of the parsonage and prebend of Grantham *borialis* in this deanry but not resydent.

### Folio 4. GARTREE D:

 $M^r$  John Conyers is the parson of Belchforde in this deanrie and also is the parson of Thimelby in the deanry of Horncastle and is resydent vppon the same and haithe not eny Curate lawfullie admitted to Belchforde.

Mr Roberte Tailor is the parson of Gawdby in this deanry where there is noe Curate admitted he also is the parson of Somerby in the deanrie of Yarbroughe where he is resydent,

M<sup>r</sup> Theodor Tanzey is the parson of Horssington in this deanry and also is the parson of Hagworthingam in the deanry of Hill and theruppon is resydent as for Curate he haith none lawfullie admitted.

### GRYMESBY D:

Mr Thomas Forman is the parson of Cotes magna in this deanry and the parson of Wintringham in the deanry of Manlacke in the Archdeacon[ry of] Stowe and is theruppon resydent as for [curate] at Cotes he haith none lawfullie admitted.

Mr Zachary Saunders is the vicar of [Clee<sup>2</sup>] in this deanry and is not resydent his [curate<sup>1</sup>] there is one Sophony Saunders not admitted.

Folio 4d.

Mr Roberte Handson is the parson of Coxwolde and the vicar of Caborne bothe in this deanry and is resydent for the mooste parte at Caborne yet serveth bothe the Cures himself by reason of the smale distance thereof.

Mr Oliver Waters is the parson of Hatelif in this deanry and there resydeth he also is the parson of Thornton in the deanry of Walescrofte. And one Roberte Pattyson is the Curate there whoe is noe graduate neither winn orders.

 $M^r$  Baldwyne Shepperd is parson of Norcot $\ell$  in this deanry and is not resydent.

### HOLLAND BORIALIS D:

M<sup>r</sup> John Overall is the parson of Alkarkirke in this deanry and is not resydent. His Curate there is Richard Thislethawte a mynyster.

Mr Henry Peacham is the parson of Leucrton borialis and Leverton australis twoe parsonages in one churche and in this deanry wheruppon is resydent servienge bothe the Cures himself.

# Folio 5. HORNCASTLE D:

Mr George Cockborne is the parson of Toynton magna in this deanry and there for the moste parte resydeth. And also he is the parson of Gretham in the deanry of Hill and hathe noe Curate Lawfullie admitted.

Mr Thomas Greene is the vicar of Thornton in this deanry and there resydeth and also he is the parson of Wilkesbie in the same deanry and haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted.

### HYLL D:

Mr Roberte Allen is the parson of Sommerby in this deanry and there resydethe also he is the vicar of Ashby Puerorum in the same deanry but haith noe Curate lawfullie admytted.

Mr Gabriell Bewett is the parson of H[arrington<sup>8</sup>] in this deanry and there he recydeth. And [also<sup>1</sup>] he is the parson of Hatton in Wraggooe dea[nry<sup>1</sup>] where he haith noe Curate lawfullie admitted.

# Folio 5d. JARBROUGHE D:

M<sup>r</sup> John Booth is the Vicar of Halton and Killingholme bothe in this deanry and is for the moste parte resydent at Halton. And serveth bothe Cures him self adiovninge those neare unto the other.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See L.C., 1603, f. 48.

<sup>3</sup> See L.C., 1603, f. 50.

### LAFFORDE D:

Mr William Williams is the parson of Aswarby and Asgarby both in this deanry and is resydent for the moste parte at Aswarby. Of late John Burrell a deacon was his Curate at Asgarby but nowe is gon from thence.

M<sup>r</sup> William Colsell is the parson of Bloxame in this deanry and parson of Deeping Guthlaci in the deanry of Nesse and theruppon is resydent and his Curate [sic] at Bloxam is there served by Nathaniel Ghessipp a minister.

Mr Roberte Heblethawte is the vicar of Kirkby Dyonis in this deanry and theruppon is not resydent. And the Cure there is served by

Edward Bowman a mynyster.

### Folio 6. LOUEDEN D:

Mr John Jegon is or werie lately was the parson of Beckingham in this deanry and not theruppon resydent his Cure there is serued by

Hughe Baguley a minister.

Mr Roger Parker doctor of divinitie is the parson of Brantbroughton in this deanry and his Curate there is one Thomas Wrighte a minister he also is the parson of Ketlethorpe in the deanry of Laures w<sup>th</sup>in tharchdeaconry of Stowe and is one of the Residenciaries in the Cathedrall Churche of Lyncoln where he resydethe.

Mr Christopher Wilson is the parson of Westburghe in this deanry and there resydeth he also is the parson of Graingham in the deanry of Corringhame and Archdeaconry of Stowe web Cure is there served by

Richard Fisher a minister but noe precher.

### LOUTHESK D:

Mr Thomas Youle is the vicar of greate Car[Iton¹] in this deanry and is not theruppon resydent. [He¹] latlie did resyde at Tatteshall and there [?did¹] serve the Cure but nowe is in removinge to [the¹] parsonage of Aistropp in the deanry of Laures in tharchdeac' of Stowe as yt is very latlie reported his Curate at Carlton is one Thomas Ellis a minister.

Folio 6d.

Mr Richard Thornell is the parson of Calstropp in this deanry and there resydeth also he is the vicar of Estwycam in the same deanry but haith noe Curate admitted

### NESSE D:

 $\rm M^r$  Dor Staynton deane of Lyncolne is the parson of Vffington in this deanry and his Curate there is one Richard Spicer bothe a minister and a preacher as yt is reported but not admitted.

### STAMFORD D:

 $M^r$  Richard Snawdon is the parson of  $S^t$  Geor, and  $S^t$  Johns in Stamford and there servethe the Cures himself beinge there resydent.

### WALLESCROFTE D:

Mr William Mason is the parson of Kelsey Marie in this deanry and not resydent his Curat there is one John Gibson being not w<sup>th</sup>in orders

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

he resydeth at Lyncolne and hathe a prebend in the Cathedrall churche there.

Folio 7.

Mr George Bilclif is the parson of Kelsey Nic' in this deanry and there resydeth. Also he is the parson of Tofte in the same deanry and one Samuel Dobson a minister is his Curate there.

Mr William Feild is the parson of Staynton & Thorganby bothe in this deanry and is for the moste parte resydent at Staynton and haith

noe Curate lawfullie admitted to eyther.

### WRAGGOE D:

Mr Gregory Garthe is the parson of Houlton in this deanry and his Curate there is John Duncalf not admitted he also is parson of Claworth in the Province of Yorke and is one of the residenciaries in the Cathedrall

Churche of Lyncolne where he resydeth.

Mr Hamlett Marshall is the vicar of Legesb[y and¹] Stainton bothe weh vicarage are wthin this [deanry¹] and neare adiopninge thone to thother his C[ure¹] at Staynton is served by Abraham Halliday [a¹] minister and at Legesbie by himself and [he¹] resydethe sometymes there but for the moste par[t] at Lyncolne where in the Cathedrall churche the [re] he haith a prebend and also is Steward of the Quorysters there. Folio 7d.

Mr George Budle is the parson of Whickenby in this deanry and there resydeth he also is the parson of Fristropp whin the Jurisdicc'on of the deane and Chapter of Lyncolne by reason whereof his Curate

there is not known to the Register.

Jo: Pregion Deputa: Franc: Bullingham, archidiaconatus Registrarij

# STOWE ARCHIDIACONATUS

### CORRINGHAM D:

Mr Chr'ofer Willson parson of Greyingham, whin this deanerye and allso parson of Westbrough whin the archdeacourve of Lincoln and deanerye of Loveden & there most resident. Richard Fisher is his Curate at Greyingham a deacon no graduate.

Mr William Farmerye parson of Heapham & Springthorpe w<sup>th</sup>in this deanerve thone is w<sup>th</sup>in a myle of thother hee hath no curate as the

Register knoweth.

Mr Theodor Wallpoole parson of Lea w<sup>th</sup>in this deanerye and of Gaitburton w<sup>th</sup>in the Deanerye of Lawres most resident at Gaitburton. Thomas Wood is his Curate at Lea a minister no graduate.

Mr John Cooper parson of Scotton w<sup>th</sup>in this deanery and beneficed in Nottinghamshire, most resident at Southwell in Nottinghamshire. John Barlowe his Curate at Scotton a minister no graduate.

### LAWRES D:

 $M^r$   $D^r$  Claiton Archdeacon of Lincoln and parson of Fiskerton w<sup>th</sup>in this deanerye most resident at Cambridge.  $M^r$  Thomas Scott  $m^r$  of art $\varrho$  & a preacher is his Curate there.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The manuscript has been injured,

Mr Dr Parker parson of Kettlethorpe w<sup>th</sup>in this deanerye and allso parson of Brantbraughton w<sup>th</sup>in the Archdeaconry of Lincoln and deanerye of Loveden. Henrye Cole bacheler of arte is his Curate at Kettlethorpe a preacher not licenced.

Sr George Huddlestone parson of Burton in this deanerye a myle from Lincoln and prebendarye of Sleeford in the Cathedrall church of Lincoln, where hee resideth haueinge at Burton no Curate but serveth the

Cure there him selfe.

Sr John Hird parson of Risolme wthin this deanerye and viccar of Bishopp Norton wthin the iurisdic'on of the deane and chapter of Lincoln and there resident, hee hath no Curate at Rysolme, for the Church wth the whole towne savinge one howse is ruinated and downe.

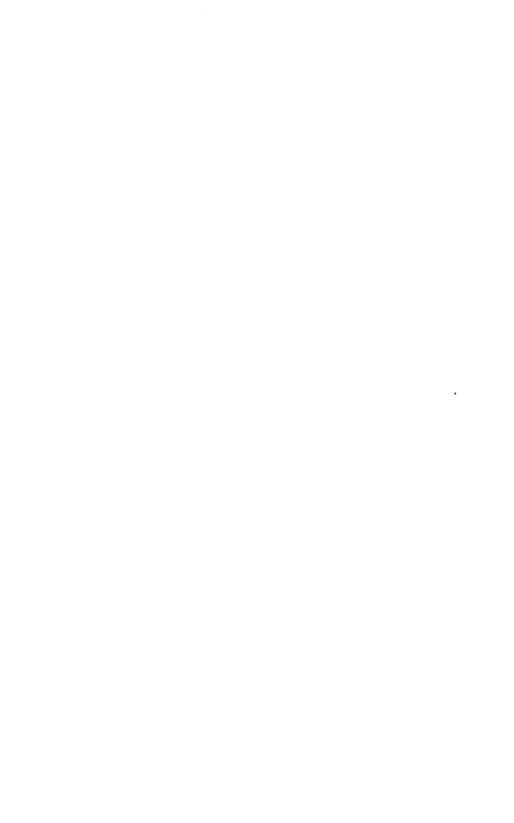
### MANLAKE D:

Mr Richard Turswell parson of Manton & Waddingham Mae wthin this deanerye most resident at Lincoln. Chr'ofer Deacon is his Curate at Manton full minister no graduate. Chr'ofer Colson is his Curate [at] Waddingham Mae a deacon no graduate.

Mr Thomas Forman parson of Wintringham wthin this deanerye, allso parson of Coate Magna wthin the Archdeaconrye of Lincoln and

deanerye of Grimsbie, most resident at Wintringham.

per me Johannem Harrys Notarium Publicum



# THE BROWN BOOK

[Lincoln Diocesan Registry.]

[The following documents, extracted from the Brown Book, are given here as illustrating the several returns which are printed in the remainder of the text of the present volume.]

Folio 184d.

[Letter from the Bishop of Lincoln to the Archdeacons and Commissary.]

SAL: IN CHRISTO: I do sende vnto you subscribed vnder these my I'res a copie of a parte of the most reuerend father in god my verie good L. & brother the Archbushop of Canterbury his G: I'res lately written vnto mee, weh I require you to make knowne to all & euerye the ministers within the Archdeaconries of Lincoln & Stowe, & to the churchwardens there, and to take such order as the aduertisement therin conteyned may bee duely performed that the commendable order of the church of England may bee observed, & wee freed from the Imputac'on of contempt & negligence. And so for this time with my heartie commendac'ons I comitte you to god. From my palace at Lincoln this 28 of May 1603.

Yor verie Loving freind W. LINCOLN

[Enclosure—part of a letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Bishop of Lincoln.]

I do not thinke that his matie will suffer any disordered persons in this church & therfore I must require yor Lo: not to permitte any to preach wthin yor dioces, not lycenced thervnto according to the orders of this churche of Englande. I knowe what I write & therfore I will haue yor Lo: to deale therin accordingly. And so wth my heartie commendacions I committe you to the tuicion of almighty god. From Lambeith this II day of May 1603.

yor L: loving freind & brother
Jo: Cantuar:

This is a true copie &c. W.L.

To my verie Lovinge freind, Mr D. Claiton Archdeacon of Lincoln & Mr Furmery Archdeacon of Stowe & to Mr Randes my Commissarie there & to every of theim hast these speedely.

Recepi 29 Maij predicti per manus Willelmi Stirrop notarij publici—T.R. Folio 185.

[Letter from Thomas Randes to the Apparitors.]

After my heartie commend: I receaued the 29 of this last monthe 2 l'res, thone from the most reuerend fath<sup>r</sup> in god the Lo: Archbushop of

Cant., thoth<sup>r</sup> from my verie good Lo. the Bushop of Lincoln the tenors where of ensue: Sal: in Christo &c., vt supra. By vertue where I do require charge & commande you wth all convenient speede (all excuses & delayes set aparte) that you do intimate & make knowne to all the clergie men & churchwardens of enery senerall parishe & hamlett wthin yor charge, the contente thereof, that therby they may bee satisfied accordingly. And also I do furth<sup>r</sup> charge & commande you to returne these presente into the office at Lincoln wthin one moneth next after the date of the same to testifie that you have performed yor dutie therin. And so in hast I leave you. From Lincoln this first of June 1603.

Yor Loving freinde Tho, Randes.

To Richard Lewin apparitor of the deanries of Grantham and Loveden bee thes deliucred.

The like I'res were sent to enery apparitor wthin the Archdeaconrye of Lincoln.

[Letter of the Bishop of Lincoln to the Archdeacous, Commissary and Registrars.]

Salutem in Christo. I have lately receased i'res from the most Reservend fath in god my verie good Lo. & brother the Archbushop of Canterb, his Gr. requiring mee to sende to him wth convenient speede the names of all the preachers wthin my dioces wth their degrees & place of residence, & therfore I pray you presently to make diligent inquirie of all such ministers wthin the Archdeaconrie of Lincoln & Stowe aswell in place exempt as not exempte, as are eyth Licensed preachers according to the lawes of this Realme & by whom & when, as also of all such oth, as have heretofore taken ypon them to preache the word eyth in their owne church or els where wthout license, & assoone as you can possibly to send mee their names, degrees & places of residence wth this I're L. ypon their heade who are Licensed, wth certificate of those arles wen I sent vnto you long agoe, the [folio 185d.] valuacion of double benifice only excepted, wth I minde to reserue, till after the next parliam, & so wishinge you not to fayle in the premisses, as you have often done heretofore, for that there dependent some matter of consequence hervpon, wth my heartye commendacions I committ you to god. From my palace at Lincoln in some hast this day the 13 of June 1603.

Yor verie Lovinge freind, W. Lincoln.

To my veric Loving freinde Mr Doctor Cleyton Archdeacon of Lincoln Mr Firmerye Archdeacon of Stowe, Mr Randes my Commissarie Mr France Bullingham & Mr Jo. Harris my Registers there hast these speedely & to every or any of theim.

<sup>2</sup> The certificate referred to seems to be the one dated 2 Feb., 1602-3, which is printed

above (pp. 237-243).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The reference seems to be to articles touching the reformation of abuses which had crept into the inferior ecclesiastical courts. The bishop had received these articles from the archbishop, and had addressed them to Thomas Randes and Francis Bullingham, 26 Jan., 1602 (Brown Book, ff. 172-5).

[Letter of Thomas Randes and Francis Bullingham to the Apparitors.]

After or heartie commend, these shalbee to require & by vertue of I'res lately sent vnto vs to charge & command vou (all excuses & delayes set aparte) that you do forthwth gene warninge to all preachers parsons vicars & curates winin vor charge as well in place exempte as not exempte, that they & enery of theim do make their personall appearance before vs or or deputee in St Michaells churche in Lincoln on Wednesday the thirteenthe day of Julie next comminge betweene the houres of eight & ten in the fore noone of the same day: then & there to bringe wth them their seuerall admissions, I'res of orders, testimoniall of subscription, their instituc'ons & licenses to preache, togither wth all such oth instrumtes as they have concerninge their now Livinge or spirituall promotions went they now holde, that therby notice may bee taken of euery of them & certificate made accordingly, as wee are commanded. And so wee bid you farewell wishinge you not to favle in the premisses, returning then & there the names & surnames of all such preachers persons vicars & curates wthin yor said charge togither wth these presente as you will answere to the contrarie, [folio 186] for that there dependeth some matter of consequence hervpon. Lincoln, in some hast this 14 of June 1603.

Yor Lovinge freinde

Tho. Randes
Frances Bullingham.

To Richard Lewen Apparitor of the deanries of Grantham and Loveden hast these speedylye.

The like I'res were sent forth to all the apparitors w<sup>th</sup>in the Archdeaconrie of Lincoln, &c.

[Letter of the Bishop of Lincoln to the Archdeacons and Commissary.]

Sal: IN Christo: I do sende you enclosed a true copie of the most reuerend father in god & my verie good L: & broth<sup>r</sup> the Archb. of Canterbury his I'res, In the w<sup>ch</sup> certaine ar<sup>les</sup> are subscribed w<sup>ch</sup> his Gr: requireth to bee diligently enquired of in my dioces & to bee certified vnto him w<sup>th</sup> all convenient speede, w<sup>ch</sup> I also require you in his G. name to see performed accordingly.

You must also togith with this certificate remember to sende mee the othr touchinge the preacheres &c., according to my former direcc'ons. And so in hast desiring you to sende mee a note subscribed with yor hander of the receipte of these my l'res, & the copie of his G. l'res & arles enclosed, with my heartic commendac'ons I committe you to god. From Buckden this 10 day of Julie 1603.

Yor verie Loving freinde

W. Lincoln

Recept' 14 Julij 1603 per manus m'ri D. Cleylon post solis occasum vna cum copia annex'.

LINCOLN
STOWE

To the right Woll my verie loving freind<sub>f</sub> D. Cleiton Archdeacon of Lincoln, Mr Furmery Archdeacon of Stowe & to Mr Randes my Commissarie there & to euery of theim hast these speedely.

Folio 186d.

[Enclosure—letter of the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Bishop of Lincoln.]

After my heartve commendac'ons to yor Lp I have thoughte good vpon some speciall occasions mee thervnto movinge to pray & require yor L: that presently after receipt herof you do send l'res aswell to all vor Archdeacons, as to all seuerall Commissaries wthin yor dioce, willing & requiringe theim in my name, to send for euery parson vicar & curate, wthin their seuerall iurisdice'on & as secretely & particularly as they can to recease of theim in writinge their seuerall answeres to euery one of these points followinge. And that the said Archdeacons & Commissaries so soone as they shall have receaved the said answeres in writinge from the severall ministers, that they do presently transmitt theim in authentique forme vnto you to bee presently sente from yor Lo. vnto mee wherin I must put yor L. in remembrance, that you had neede to geue some touche vnto yor Archdeacons & other Commissaries, that yf they thought of it how much these thinge weh I desire to bee informed in may concerne their senerall Jurisdicc'ons, they would both have more care particularly to informe themselues by all meanes of every such matter required of theim & spedely to returne Certificate of theim. The mattres I desire to bee advertized of w<sup>th</sup>all convenient speede, are these.

- First the certaine number of those that do receaue the communion in euery seuerall parishe.
- The certaine number of every man recusante inhabitinge in every severall parishe wthin their severall Jurisdicc'ons wthout specifieng their particular names. And likewise the certaine number of every woman recusant, distincte from the men as afore.
- 3. The like inquirie to bee observed as well what the certaine number is of every man as afore who doth not receaue the communion, as also the certaine number of every woman in ech severall parishe who doth not receave the communion w<sup>th</sup>out specifieng their names.

Folio 187.

- 4. The particular name of every double beneficed man in yor dioces, who holdeth two benefice wth cure, his degree of schoole & qualificacion, the names of the severall benefices wth cure wth hee so holdeth, how many miles distante ech of the benefice wth hee holdeth is from the oth, & as nere as you can the valuacion of their in the Kinge booke.
- 5. How many seuerall Impropriac'ons there bee w<sup>th</sup>in yor dioces, wheth<sup>r</sup> they bee endowed w<sup>th</sup> vicaredges, or served by curates, if w<sup>th</sup> vicaredges, what every of these seuerall vicaredges is valued at so nere as you can informe yor self, in the King<sub>f</sub> book<sub>f</sub>. If by curates what the ordinarie stipend is th<sup>t</sup> the proprietarie payeth for the manneteynance of the Curate.

- 6. The name of enery parsonage wthin yor dioces wth is endowed wth a vicaredge, what the said parsonage is valued at in the Kinge booke, & what the vicaredge is valued at.
- Who is patrone of euery seuerall benefice w<sup>th</sup>in yo<sup>r</sup> dioces, so nere as yo<sup>r</sup> recorde of Institutions can geue direction.

Thus praying yor Lo; to bee verie carefull in the premisses. I committ you to the protecc'on of almightie god. From Lambeith this last of June 1603.

yor Lops Loving broth in Christ

Lincoln Stowe JO: CANT:

Folio 187d.

[Letter from the Commissary to the Apparitors.]

By vertue of I'res aswell from the most reuerend father in god the L. Archbushop of Canterburie his Gr: as also from our verie good Lo: the Lord Bushop of Lincoln deliuered vnto mee the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of this instant Julie, I require & command you, that you forthw<sup>th</sup> gene warninge to all parsons vicars & curates aswell in places exempte as not exempte w<sup>th</sup>in yo<sup>r</sup> charge & office that they & enery of theim (all excuses & delayes set aparte) make their personall appearance before mee or my deputee on Thursday the iiij<sup>th</sup> day of Angust next comming in S<sup>t</sup> Michaells churche in Lincoln: Then & there to answere vnto such articles and matters as they shalbee examined of, Returninge then & there these present? togith<sup>r</sup> w<sup>th</sup> the names & surnames of all the said parsons vicars & curates. And herof fayle you not at yo<sup>r</sup> perill, and as you will answere the contrarie. Lincoln this xv<sup>th</sup> of Julie 1603.

yor Loving freind Tho. Randes

To Christofer Jackson apparitor of the deanrie of Wraggo

The like I'res were sent to enery apparitor w<sup>th</sup>in the Archdeaconrie of Lincoln:

Folio 190.

Prechers &c. 1603

 $M^{\rm dm}$  that there was a booke made & sent vnto the Lo: Bushopp of Lyncoln the  $xx^{\rm th}$  day of Septem. 1603.  $w^{\rm ch}$  did conteyne all the names & surnames of all suche ministers  $w^{\rm th}$  in tharchdeaconrie of Lyncoln as well in place exempte as not exempte as are either licensed prechers & when, & by whome, accordinge to the lawes of this realme as also of all others as preache  $w^{\rm th}$ out license in their owne churches or cls where in the Alphabet manner.

Folio 199.

[Letter from the Bishop of Lincoln to the Archdeacons, Commissary and Registrars.]

Sal: IN Christo: By the copy of the most Reuerend Father in God my verie good L: & Brother the Archbyshoppe of Canterburie his G: I'res inclosed, you may perceyve there is w<sup>th</sup> great speed anewe Survay in some point? to be made of the Ministers and their living? with

in my Dioce, And that my opinion is desired howe their wante may be supplied if their maintenance be not competent. The manner and forme whereof together with such persons as are to be vsed in this Action is fullie sett downe in his G; said l'res, weh I praie and requier you may be dulie diligentelie, and faithfullie performed. The valuac'on weh is required is to be rated (as I take it) accordinge as the Benefice is worth communibus annis to be letten, and not as it is valued in the Kinge Booke, for that hath bene done allreadie, & Myght with more ease have bene taken out of the office of the first fruitte, if that were intended, nether is th<sup>t</sup> valuac'on equall for that some Benefice are over valued & some farre vnder. The persone of cheife note whoe are to be vsed in this service are to be by you selected accordinge to my L: G: his direction some twoe or three, or more out of euerie deanarie as occasion shall require or the state thereof permitt, men indifferent & of good discretion, whoe are best [folio 199d.] acquainted with their neighbour ministere, theire degrees, their qualitic, their learninge, & behauior, and with the state of their maintenance. And the said persons to associate you in suche severall place as are most convenient and to the least charge & troble of all suche as are to attend you aboute these mattres, for it were to muche to drawe them all to Lincoln, And therefore you may use the place observed (for some of them) in my visitae'on, & thither to summons for their apparance so manie denaries, as you shall thinke meete & reasonable. All weh thinge are to be trulie sett downe wthout partialitie for the satisfinge of the kinge most excellent Matie for the generall good of the church And for my discharge & yor owne, if hereafter or doinge shalbe further examined or called in question. Herein I would have you to observe the order of the Alphabett, & the methode subscribed, And wth all I pray you send me yor opinion within the Certificate (whereof there must be two Copies) how the wante may be supplied as before, for that I am not able without yor advise in that pointe to aunswere his mates expectac'on. And so in hast wth my hartie Comendac'ons I committ you to god. From Kinge Colledge in Cambridge this 10th of February 1603.

> yor verie lovinge freind W. Lincoln:

Folio 200.

[Postscript.]

For a better & more speedie execuc'on of the aforesaid charge I have written my I'res to such speciall persons of note as you shall nominate and chouse out of cuerie deanerie leavinge the indorsement of my I'res to yor discrec'on. But because there is great speede required in this Action, & my leysure wolde not serve to send & write out particuler Coppies of my L: G: said I'res to the chosen persons in euerie deanerie I have onelie sent one I're for a prsident, Requiringe & prayinge you to cause severall Copies to be written and sent in my said severall letter inclosed accordinglie.

Benefice	Incumbent	degree	quallity:	behavo <sup>r</sup>	valuac'on	proprietary
Wadding'R	A. S.	b: of d:	a l. p <sup>r</sup> per H.	good&ho:		

To my verie louinge Freinde Mr Dor Cleyton Archdeacon of Lincoln

 $M^r$  Furmerie Archdeacon of Stowe  $M^r$  Thomas Randes my Commissarie in both the said Archdeaconries  $M^r$  Francis Bullingham my principall Register &  $M^r$  John Harris my Register in the Archd' of Stowe & to euerie one of them hast these speedelie.

Folio 200d. [Enclosure—letter from the Bishop of Lincoln to special persons of note.]

SAL: IN CHRISTO: For asmuche, as it is the kinge most excellente Mates pleasures as shall appeare vnto you, by a Copie of the most Reuerend Father in god, my verie good Lo: & brother the Archbishope of Cant. his G: I'res inclosed, to be with all convenient speed, fullie and trulie informed of the qualities, degrees learninge & behauior of all the ministers that eniove anie ecclesiasticall promotion within my dioce, as all the clear yerelie value, communibus annis deducte deducendis, as they be letten of their senerall livinge & tht I am commaunded to vse in this busines the helpe of my learned Clergie, whom I can best trust & whoe knowe the state of their neighbour ministers, These shalbe to require you & euerie of you in his Mates name, and by virtue of his G: s'd l'res, th<sup>t</sup> yo<sup>n</sup> p<sup>r</sup>sentlie informe yo<sup>r</sup> selues of the p<sup>r</sup>misses For the perfite finishinge of weh purpose you are to call before you, at some convenient time & place, all the ministers & Churchwardens, or other spetiall persons necessarie for this service of the deanerie of Lawres & after due examinac'on by you made, to put downe in writtinge what you finde, and of yor selves do knowe touchinge the persons, & pointe aforesaid, & afterwardes for a full & perfect Certificate, wth out all manner of partiallitie to be made, you are to associate yor selues with the [folio 201] Archdeacon & Comissarie of Stowe or either of them at such time & place as they shall appointe you by their I'res, that you may after mutuall conference had, touchinge theise mattres, send vnto me a trewe & perfect Certificate of yor proceedings wen I may inparte to my Lo: G: of Cant: for the due satisfyinge of his Mates expectac'on & commandement. And so not doubtinge of yor speedie exacte & Faithfull diligence hearin, wth my hartie Comendac'ons I committ you to god. From Kinge Colledge in Cambridge this xth of Febr. 1603.

yor verie Lovinge Freind W. Lincoln.

[Postscript.]

It weare not amisse if anie glebe, or Tithes, bee with holden from anie Incumbent to inquire dilligentellie the estate thereof, and to examane those Ministers who want a competent maintenance, in the proportion of their worthines, & charge, howe that may be supplied, & to make certificate of both accordinglie:

To my loving freinde A.B., C.D. et E.F. persones of K., H. and M., hast these w<sup>th</sup> speede.

Folio 202d.

[Enclosure—letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Bishop of Lincoln.]

Sal: IN Christo: In the last certificate I receased from you there are some defecte weh are by yor Lo: to be supplied and sent

vnto me with all convenient speed. It is his mates pleasure to knowe the qualities and degrees of the present Incumbente in euerie seuerall parishe with in yor dioce whether they be preachers, or able to cathecise or otherwise learned or vnlearned of good and euill conversac'on & reporte, what is the value of theire seuerall livinge & howe in yor opinion they may be augmented where they are not competent, you shall doe well in this busines to vse the helpe of yor learned Clergie, whom you can best trust and whoe knowe the state of their neighbour minstere, so shall it be better & sooner performed & with lesse troble to yor self & to the rest of yor Cleargie. In some of the certificate concerninge impropriac'ons the proprietarie not certified must be supplied perticularly your L. must comaund yor officers & such whom you vse in this busines to proceed herein effectuallie & speedely all excuses sett aparte. For I assure you that his maiestie doth looke for a speedie returne of these mattres & thinketh it to be a verie great negligence for anie Bishopp not to knowe the state & Condie'on of his [folio 203] Cleargie within his dioce All this would be done without anie great trouble to yor Cleargie, which may be if you cause men of spetiall note to take paines with yor Officers in it. VALE IN CHRISTO. From Lambeth the 28th of Januarie 1603. yor L. lovinge brother in christ

Jo: Cantuar:

To the right Reuerend my verie good Lo: & brother the Bishopp of Lincoln.

[Letter from the Commissary to certain of the Clergy.]

SAL: IN CHRISTO: I doe require you & euery of you in his Mates name to pervse these 2 l'res enclosed thone from my Lo: Gr: of Cant. and thother from my Lo: Bushopp of Lyncoln and therby enstructe yor selves to perfect esuche a certificate as the contente therof requireth for the deanrie of L: and to bring the same vnto me at Lyncoln on Tuesday the 28th of Febr: next that then and there euery of you together with myself may further have conference above suche yor proceedinge. And he to whome these I'res shall come firste is presentlie theruppon to give notice to the rest whose names are endorsed. Faile not in the premisses as you will amswere the contrarie. Lyncoln Feb: 13 1603.

yor verie Loving freind Thomas Randes.

To A: B: parson of C:, D: E: parson of H:, & J: K: parson of L:, my Loving freind? hast these.

The like l'res was sent to certaine of the Clergie in everie deanrie w<sup>th</sup> in the Archdeaconrie of Lyncoln accordinglie &c.

# [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1603.]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

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Flyleaf ii.

Robert Thorne of great Gransden in Huntingdonshire Butcher a single man aged 27 yeares Elizabeth Carter of the same town widow about 35 yeares agre to be married at waresley in Com. Hunt.

Cum vos vti asseritur [sic]

Flyleaf iii.

[Sermon.5]

Gal: 3. 22. the scripture hath concluded all vnder sin. deut: 32. 4. since the word of the eternall god who is true & wthout wickednes: iuste righteous, hath proved all vnder sin. even all. ro. 3. 9. ro: 5. 12. 1. Jo: 1. 8. 10.

<sup>2</sup> The date of the manuscript is 1603 (see Introduction).

The table printed in *italies* and enclosed within brackets has been struck out.
 Perhaps these are attempts to calculate the number of clergymen in the diocese.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The writing on the cover and flyleaf i is of a rather later date than that of the manuscript,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> The edges of the leaf are much worn, and the words enclosed within brackets have been supplied conjecturally.

Nether may wee thinke that wee are soe smale sinners, as need not repent, or that or v[ocation] or callinge freeth from repentance, for god now admonisheth all not some but all: everie where to repent. act: 17. 30. yow may not say it is too soone, it is inoughe for v[s] & too much if god should enter into judgment with vs, that wee have spent the tyme past of the life after the lust of the profane gentiles. 1. pet. 4. 3. nether must yow say I feare mockinge if I doe not as most doe be sure if yow run not wth them into the same excesse of ryot, The vaine & ryotous will speake evil of yow, but they shall give accompte to him that is readie to judge the quicke & the dead. 1. pet. 4. 4. 5. If yow thinke one delaye, let none hinder yow; but remember it is Commanded, boast not thy selfe of to morow, for thou knowest not what a day may bringe forth. pro. 27. 1. say not he that made all saue all, for since men haue found out manie inventions to marr gods worke. exo. 7. 31. Excepte we amende. In: 13. 3. 5. eth[er] thinke not I am yet in helth, but thinke on yor mortalitie, yea praye god yow may soe consider as it maye moue to repent speedilie, psa, 90, 12. promise not yor selfe libertie to sin because Xp't hath pd all vor ransome, god forbid, rom, 6. 2. sanctification to yw, whom he is redemption v[nto]. I cor. 1.30. to whom he giveth deliverance in them he worketh sound obedience. lu. 1. 74. presume not on gods mercie, for he hath mercie that he maye be feared, not contemned. psa. 130. 4. saye not, that manie are as I am, for broad is the waye that leadeth to destruction, mat. 7. 13. cover not sin by excuses, for hee that hydeth his sin hurteth his soule, pro. 28, 13. Regard not tho the siner line longe, for it shall not allwaies goe wel wth him eccl: 8, 12, 13, trust [not] in riches for soe precious is the redemption of soules, as noe riches can serve for ransom to god. p[sa.] 49. 7. 8. these availe not the impenitent when god executeth judgment pro. 11. 4. glorie not [in] honrs wthout repentance, wth is true prudence for such are in gods sight like beasts the perish. ps. . . . rest not secure in sin in hope of comen pitie, for that pitie is not in god: there is noe respect of persons [with] him. ro. 2. 11. relye not on the outward participation of the churches externall priviledges, for t[hat] theis all were baptized, & they all did eate the same spirituall meat, & did all drinke the same spirituall drinke & yet w<sup>th</sup> manie of th<sup>m</sup> god was not pleased because they repented not. 1 cor. 10. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. saye not it is sufficient that Xp't is yor redeemer, & that yow call him lord: the yow call 2<sup>de</sup> lord, mat. 7. 2[2]. finallie despair not of pardon if yow doe repent, for he that confesseth & forsaketh his sines is sure of forgiveness pro. 28. 13. let noe popish forged vnwritten veritie cause you to presume aboue that w<sup>ch</sup> is set downe in [?Gods] booke. 1. Cor. 4. 6. it is writtene repent. mat. 3. 2. repentance is an vnfained torninge from evill to goo[d in] affection & action. ephe: 4, 22, 23, 24, if yow desyre to ynderstand what is evill vnrighteousnes, fornication, wickednes, covetousnes, malice: envie murther, etc. ro. 1. 29. 30. the not seekinge of god, the neglect o[f] his word, the neclect of weldoinge, hurtinge anie etc: rom. 3. 11. 12. 13. 14. etc. when we refuse to repent beinge le[d] theretoe by gods bountie. ro: 1. 3. 4. to walk in gluttonie etc. rom. 13. 13. 14. Idolatrie etc. 1 cor. 6 . . . to lust after evill thinges etc. 1 cor. 10. 6. 7. 9. 10. to be yoked wth infidels. gal. 2, 5, 19, 20, to be desirous [of] vaine glorie etc. 26, ver. to be waveringe, etc. ephe. 4, 14, 17, 18, 19, 22, 25, etc. filthines foolish talk-[ing] eph: 5.4.18. covetous, etc. 1 tim. 6.9.10. selfeloue, cursed speak-

inge etc. 2 Tym. 3. 2. 3. 4. 5. vnwillingnes [to] suffer wholesome doctrine, itchinge eares after manpleasinge teachers, to fit or lusts, 2 tym. 4. 3. to be swi[ft] to speake against sincere doctrine, & to anger at it, & to be slow to hear it, to be hearers onelie & not doers to esteeme of religion by the greatnes of persons, to have faith wthout workes. Jam. 4. 13, 14. 15. 16. . . . to be fearfull in gods cause, rev. 21. 8. psa. 34. 13. 14. now marke what is good: to be poor in spirit, to [mourn] for owne & others sines, to bee meeke, to hunger & thirst after righteousnes etc. mat. 5, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, . . . . to lone w<sup>th</sup>out dissimulation: to abhor that is evil to cleav to good, etc. phil. 4. 8. 9. to ioine vnto faith vertue, to vertue knowledge, temperance, pacience etc. 2 pet. 1. 5. 6. 7. to put on the bowels of mercies, goodnes, [hum] blenes of minde etc. col. 3, 12. 13. 14. etc. finallie to vse meat, etc. to the glorie of god. 1 Cor. 10. 31. . . . . these expressed in gods word, yow may know what is good, to torne to it in minde word & deed, & soe bring forth fruit worthie true repentance. mat. 3.8. the beginning of true repentance is godlie sorrow, The end [is] salvation. 2 cor. 7. 16. tokens follow: care to sin noe more etc. 2 cor. 7. 11. the way to it is by the min[istry] of the word, weh is the keye of Xp't to open the inward eies of the poor siner that he may torne [from] darknes to lighte & from the power of sattan to god & soe may receive forgivenes of sines & inheritance [among] thm that are sanctifyed by faith in Xp't act: 26. 18. of the mi'n'rs performinge the min'rie of the word . . . . . must soe thinke of th<sup>m</sup> as of the min'rs of Xp'te & the disposers of the secrets of god. 1 cor. 4. 1. by whom yow [be]leeue. 3. 5. & wthout whom yow cannot beleeue. rom. 10. 14. the word faithfullie min'red yow must re[ceive] it wth holie swiftnes, receive it wth meeknes: Jam: 1. 19. 21. hide it in yow wth gladnes, pro . . . . . mination by it wth earnestnes seeke & search vnto it wth diligence then god will give yow . . . . & the savinge knowledge of his will as pro: 2. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. then shall yow be cercumspect in all yor w . . . . yow shall fynd cause to crye lord cleanse mee from my secret sines, keep thy servant lord from presumpt [uous sins], o let not sin raigne over mee, that I may bee vprighte & made cleane from wickednes psa. 19. 11. 12. 13. .... yor repentance be vnfained, for the word of god converteth the soule 7. then shall yow bee wyse in the best . . . . better worth then silvar more gaynfull then gold, more pretious then pearles more excellent then [?all thou canst] desire. pro: 3. 14. 15. then are you all verely accepted in heaven for lovers of god & soe sure, (tho . . . . . the contrarie) the yow are loved of god & Xp't: Jo. 14. 21. 23. but yow may saie it is not in mee to doe as yow exhorte . . . . . for the best the is in vs of or oune is that weh maketh vs worst able vnto anie goodnes & greedily sets out b . . . . fore you doe iustlie obey it but shall evillie sticke in it, for when wee see or owne weaknes, wee must for . . . . . . pardon & remedie, he made vs & not wee or selues. psa. 100. 3. he remueth vs & not wee or selues. Jo. 15. 5. if they . . . . . the want of wit, will power & wissdome to doe as I have exhorted yow, ask of god to give it yow fre[ely] . . . . liberallie. Jam. 1. 5. 6. & soe I leiv yow to his 

### ARCHIDIACONATUS BEDFORD'

Folio 1.

### DECANATUS BEDD.

Bedford Cuthberti—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. William Foxcroft. D. No graduat. Q. a preacher

sometyme. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 56.
Bedford Johannis—Q. P'ge. V. 21li. os. 10d. P. the Maior Bayliffs Burgesses & Com. of Bedford. I. Nathaniell Gilbie. D. Bachel: in Diuinitie. Pr. a preacher, est non lic'. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 90.

Bedford Pauli—Q. P'ge improp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. P. Nicholas Luke, esquier. I. Andrew Dennis. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non lic'. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 600. Recus. 1 man.

BEDFORD PETRI—Q. P'ge. I'. 11li. 13s. 5d. ob. P. The Kings e. I. Martin Linford. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L.

Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 87.

Bedford Marlæ—Q. P'ge. I'. 11li. 4s. 9d. ob. P. the L. Byshop of Lincolne. I. John Chambers. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, est L. per Wickam, Ep. L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 200. Recus. 1 man, I woman.

Byddenham—Q. Vic. I'. Sli. P. William Boteler Esq. D. Mr of

Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good.

CARDINGTON—Q. Vic. I'. vic. 7li. 17s. 1d. P. Mistris Jane Gaskony. I. Thomas Wattes. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 340. Recus. 1 man, 1 woman.

COPLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. [K.B. 7li. 17s.]. P. Christ Church in Oxon. I. Francis Hudson. D. Bach. in Arts. Pr. a preacher, est L. per Arch. Cant. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 127.

Elstow alias Welstow—Q. P'ge approp. with a curat. I'. Curat 8li. stipend. P. the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Robert Hundley curat. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non Lic. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 260. Non-com. 2 men, 4 women. Recus. 1 man.

GOLDINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 10s. the Lo: Cobham [Langdale vidua, 1681]. I. Oliver Roberts. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, est L. per Elmor, Ep. Lond. Beha. good.

Com. 200.

HAUGHTON CONQUEST—O. P'ge.) One 1'. 15li. [K.B. 15li. 19s. 2d.]. HAUGHTON GILDable—Õ. P'ge. church. V. 11li. [K.B. 9li. 19s. 7d.]. P. Sr Richard Conquest. T. Thomas Archer. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, est L. per Univ. Cant. Beha. good. Distance 1. R. est R. Com. 160.

KEMPSTONE—Q. P'ge approp., end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 12li. Mathew Beedles gent. I. Richard Wheeler. D. Bach. of Arts. Pr. expoundes et catechis., non L. Bcha. good. R. est R. Com. 450. Recus. 3 men, 1 wom.

Wellington—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 17s. P. William Gostwick. I. Anthonie Topcliff. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. expoundes et catechises, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 128.

<sup>1</sup> By a later hand.

WILHAMSTEAD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. [K.B. gli. 9s. 7d.]. P. Sr Edward Ratcliffe. I. Robert Rislie. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, est. L. per Wickam Ep. L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 200.

WOOTTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Humph: Totnam. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher,

est L. per Holland Ep. Petr: Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 300.

#### CLAPHAM DECANATUS Folio 2.

BLETSHOE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 17li. os. od.]. P. The L. Oliver St John, Baron of Bletsho. I. Robert Orme. D. Noe

graduat. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 80.

BRUNHAM—Q. P'ge end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. [Sir John Diue<sup>1</sup>] [Collegium de Etona '84<sup>2</sup>]. I. Nicholas Barton. D. Noe graduat. Pr. catechiseth. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 120.

Carleton cum Chellington—Q. P'ge. 1'. Carleton 15li. 6s. 8d., Chellington 10li. P. The L. Mordant. I. Thomas Wells. D. Noe graduat. Dup. Carleton, Chellington. Qual'u. By the Earle of Kent. Distance 1. Pr. a preacher, est L. per Dom. Cooper Winton. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 180.

Сьорнам—Q. P'ge approp. with a curat. I'. curat 10li. stip. P. Sir Henery Sackford. I. George Coxe, curat. Pr. preacheth some-

tymes. Beha. good. R. R. Com. 96.

Felmersham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 13li. 7s. 4d. [K.B. 13li. 13s. 4d.]. P. Trinitie Colledg in Cambridg. I. Nicholas Crauen. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, Li. per Dom. Wickam, Ep. Lin. Beha. good. R. R. Com. 200.

FERNEDICH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10l. P. Sir Anthonie Teringham. I. John Johnson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good.

R. est R. Com. 30.

HARROLD—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 8li. P. Francis Farrrer [sic], gent. I. Job Paule. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom. Wickam, Ep. Lin. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 217.

KNOTTING-Q. P'ge prop. I'. vic. 10li. 6s. 6d. P. William Waller, Esqu. I. Arthur Aluaye. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L.

Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 50.

MILTON ERNES-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 6s. 8d. P. [Georg Franklin, Esq.<sup>1</sup>] [Mary Rolt, wid., 1684<sup>2</sup>]. I. Robert Sutton. D. Noe graduat. Pr. no preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 120.

Odell-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. P. Sir Richard Chetwood. I. Edward Bulkeley. D. Dr in Diuinitie. Pr. a preacher, est L. Beha.

good. *Com.* 170.

Ockeley—P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 9s. [KB. 8li. 14s. 9d.] P. Eaton Colledge. I. Thomas Chamberlaine. D. Noe graduat. Pr. preacheth and catechiseth, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 140.

Puddington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. p'ge 8li., vic. 7li. 6s. 8d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Paine, Gent. I. Francis Woodmansey. D. Noe graduat.

Pr. no preacher. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 120.

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Sharnebrooke—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Whitbie. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 12.

STAGDEN—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The L. Mordant. I. W<sup>m</sup> Paine. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha.

good. R. est R. Com. 140.

STEVENTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 12li. 13s. 4d. P. Sir John Diue. 1. Henery Kinge. D. Bach. of Arts. Pr. preacheth

in his cure, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 210.

SULTHROP [SOULDROP<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. [K.B. 10li. os. od.]. P. Thomas Cobbe, gent. 1. Thomas Mason. D. Bach. of Arts. Pr.

preacheth in his cure, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 57.

TURVEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. P. The L<sup>d</sup> Mordant. I. Thomas Buckocke. D. Noe graduat. Pr. preacheth et catechiseth som tymes,

non L. Beha, good. R. est R. Com. 140. Wimixgrox—Q. P'ge prop. Г. 10li. P. William Bletsho, gent. I. Georg Caderton. D. Noe graduat. Pr. no preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 76. Folio 3.

### DUNSTABLE DECANATUS

Barton in Luto—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 25li. 9s. 7d. [K.B. 26li. 9s. 7d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Samuell Fulk. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 100.

Baddlesden-Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 12li. 9s. 7d. P. Sir Edward Duncumb. I. Rich. Marsh. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 62.

Caddington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 9li. 19s. 10d. P. The Deane and Chapter St. Paules, Lond. I. Rich. Roberts. [Mr. White<sup>1</sup>]. D. Bach. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom. Wickham, Ep. Linc: Beha. good. R. est R. Com. 309.

Chalgraue—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 12li. P. Nicholas Potts, esquier. I. John Bellamy. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom. Elmor Ep. Lond: Beha. good. R. est R. Com.

Dunstable—Q. P'ge. P. [blank] [The Kings Maty May, 1681, '831]. I. [blank] Richardson, Curat. D. Batch, of Arts. Pr. a preacher,

non L. Beha. good. R. est.

EYTON [BRAY<sup>1</sup>]—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. 10s. 6d. ob. [K.B. 12li. 16s. 3d.] P. Trinitie Colleg in Cambridg, I. John Houghton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 219.

HIGHAM GOOBIAN—O. P'ge prop. I'. Sli, 9s. 7d. P. St Henerie Boteley.<sup>2</sup> I. Walter Gyles. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. no preacher. Beha.

good. R. est. Com. 9.

Hockliffe—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 9s. 7d. P. Mr Sheapheard of Maulden [or M<sup>r</sup> Gilpin.<sup>1</sup>] 1. Thomas Benham. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom. Wickam Ep. Linco: R. est. Com. 34.

Houghton Regis—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 11. vic. 11li. 3s. 4d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Roger Rogers. D. Noe graduat. Pr.

catechiseth. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 340.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Boteler.'

LUTON-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 17. vic. 35li. 12s. 1d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Edward Brocket. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher,

non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 1200.

MILTON BRIAN—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li, 16s. 3d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Collins [Dr. Ballow<sup>2</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Brickhill parua, arch. Buck., deacan. Newport. Pr. L. per Dom. Wickam Ep. Linc. R. est. Com. 120.

Potsgraue—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 18s. 6d. ob. P. Sir Edward Duncombe. I. John Raynes. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per

Dom. Wickam Ep. Linc. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 44.

STREETLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 15s. 2d. P. [Georg Coppin<sup>1</sup>] [Tho: Harris gen. Will'mus Harris eins filius<sup>2</sup>]. I. [William Emes<sup>1</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Harlington, Decan' Fleet, Arch' Bedford. Qual'n. the L<sup>d</sup> Bartley. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 60.

Studham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 18li. [K.B. 9li.]. I. Thomas Dockin. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher. Beha. good.

R. est. Com. 140.

Sondon—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 6s. 8d. P. Thomas Chenie, Esquier. I. John Parkington [M<sup>r</sup> Daye<sup>2</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Arc: Cantua: Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 140.

Telsworth—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. Richard Fouler, gent. I. John Lawson. D. Noe graduat. Pr. a preacher. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 96.

Toternehoe—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 10li. P. Samuell Mitchell gent. I. John Ward. D. Batch, of Arts. [Mr Farrington<sup>2</sup>]. Pr. a preacher. Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 110. Folio 4.

Toddington—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 20li 2s. 11d. P. The Ladie Chenie. I. Rich. [Neele<sup>1</sup>] [Butler<sup>3</sup>]. D. Dr in Diuinitie. Dup. Chesthunt. Qual'n. By the Kings Ma<sup>tte</sup>. Dist. 20. Pr. a preacher. R. non R.

Com. 467.

Whipsnade—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 13s. 4d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Nicholas Twisell. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. *Com.* 42.

### EATON DECANATUS

Barford—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 9li. P. Trinitic Colleg in Cam: I. William Welch. D. No graduat. Pr. expoundeth, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 90.

Bolnhurst—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 9li. P. The Lord St John. 1. Hugh Jones. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est.

Com. 120.

Colmorth—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. P. Sir Richard Dyer. I. Henery Lee. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom. Wickam Ep. Lin: Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 147.

DEANE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued by a Curat.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>3</sup> Richard Butler was instituted, 5 Dec., 1608, on the promotion of Neale to the bishopric of Rochester (Cert.).

I'. cur. 12li stip: P. Worcester Coll: propriet. I. Thomas Dillingham.

D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 180. EATON—Q P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 20li. 13s. 9d. P. [blank] [Jo. Bigg, Esq. 85]. I. Peter White. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. St. Neots, Archd' Huntington. Dist. 2. Qual'n. Dr Pilkington Ep: Dunelmen: Pr. a preacher, L. per Arch. Cant: Beha. good. R. non R.

KEYSOE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. P. Trinitie Coll: in Cambr: I. Robert Eling. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 200.

MELCHBORNE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. P. The Earle of Bedford. I. John Dodd. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 100.

PEARTNALL [PERTENHALL<sup>1</sup>]—O. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. P. S<sup>r</sup> Richard I. Edw: Todd. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher in his

cure, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 100.

RAUENSDON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. P. William Gostwick, Esq. I. Daniell Giste. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 80.

RAYNOLDE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. oli. [K.B. 8li. 3s. 4d.] P. Henerie Beecher, Esq. I. Henery Gale. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 100.

RISELEY—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. 7s. 9d. P. [blank] [Oliver Earl of Bolingbrooke 1679.<sup>1</sup>] I. John Tompson. D. Noe graduat. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 220.

Roxton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. toli. P. Trinitie College in Cam: I. Joseph Wolstenholme. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 200. Recus. 2 men, 4

Shelton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li 14s. [K.B. 14li.]. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Stiffington and Peter Mallory, gent. I. John Birridg. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Kibworth bechamp. Qual'n. The Lord St John. Dist. 19. Pr. a preacher, L. per Arch. Cant. Beha. good. R. non R. Hosp. Hospitall  $\lceil sic \rceil$ . Com. 76.

STOUGHTON PARUA—O. P'ge prop. V. 14li. [K.B. 13li. 8s. 4d.]. P. Mr Baldwin. I. Robert Condall. D. Dr in Diuinitie. Dup. Edworth, deca: Shefford. Pr. a preacher. Beha. good. Dist. 11. R. non.

Com. 113.

TILBROOKE—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 10s. P. Sr Ed: Wingfeild and Ed: Hawkins, gent., alternis vicibus. I. Robert Clapham. D. Noe degree. Pr. catechiseth. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 124. Folio 5.

Thurley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. P. The  $L^d$ St John. I. William Ford. D. Batch. in Diuinitie. Pr. a preacher,

L. per Vniver. Cant. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 200.

WILDEN—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 7s. 1d. P. John Roult, gent. 1. Francis Dillingham. D. Batch. in Divinitie. Pr. a preacher, L. per

Wickham Ep: Lincol: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 140. Yealden—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 13s. 4d. P. The Ladie Saye. Thomas Barker.
 D. Mr of Arts.
 Dup. Hayford in comit: Oxon.
 Qual'n. the L<sup>d</sup> Saye.
 Dist. 30.
 Pr. a preacher, L: per Vniuer Oxon: Belia, good. R. non. Com. 122.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

# FLEETE DEANAT: [sic]

AMPTHILL—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 6s. 8d. P. [The Kings Ma<sup>tie1</sup>] [The Earle of Ailesbury & Elgin 1679<sup>2</sup>]. 1. Hugh Reeue. D. Noe grad: Pr. catechiseth. Beha. good. Com. 220.

Aspeley—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 15li. 6s. 10d. [K.B. 15li. 16s. 10\frac{1}{2}d.]. P. Nicholas Luke Esq: I. W<sup>m</sup> Stone. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Wauenden in com: Buck:, Newp: d: Qual'n. by the Earle of Bath. Dist. 1. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. non. Com. 110.

CLOPHILL—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. [K.B. 12li.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Browne. D. Noe grad. Pr. a preacher, L. per D'c'or' Ausboriet

D'c'or' Clark [sic]. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 120.

CRAINFEILD [CRANFIELD<sup>2</sup>] -Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 2s. 1d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Fones. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom: Wickam ep. Lincol: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 50.

CRAWLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. Robert Tompson, Esqu: I. Richard Harvie. D. Noe grad: Pr. catechiseth,

non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 193.

Evershall—Q. P'ge prop. V. 16li. 11s. 8d. P. The Ladie Morrison [Jo: Russell Esqr. 1680<sup>2</sup>]. I. Thomas Dutton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 220.

FLITWICK—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 17s. P. Robert Honiewood Esquier. I. Ralph Bate. D. Noe grad: Pr. preach-

eth in his cure, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 100.

FLITTON [CUM SILSOE<sup>2</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. III. [K.B. 11li. 7s. 8d.]. P. Christehurch, in Oxon. I. Richard Wood. D. Batch. in Arts. Pr. preacher, non L. Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 240. Recus. I man, I woman.

Gravenhurst Inferior—Q. P'ge prop. ['. 7h. 12s. 11d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Kitchiuor. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. a preacher,

non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 25.

HARLINGTON-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 11li. P. The Ladie Chenie. 1. William Eames. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Streetley in dec: Dunstable. Qual'n. by the Lord Bartley. Dist. 11. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. Com. 70. Non-com. 1 man. Recus. 1 man, 4 women.

Hawnes—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. Mr Osborne. I. Thomas Brightman. D. Batch. in Divinitie. Pr. a

preacher, L. per Vniuer. Cant: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 120. Hulcot—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 10s. [K.B. 7li. 15s.]. P. Rich. Chornock. I. Edward Plummer. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher in his cure, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 20.

LITLINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. P. The

Kings Matie. I. John Foxe. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non

[L.]. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 400.

MAULDEN—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 10s. P. [The L<sup>d</sup> Hunsdon<sup>1</sup>] [Comes Aylesbury, 83.2] I. John Hamond [Tho Pomfret2]. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Granesden Mag: Arch. Hunt: [Luton Bedford2]. Qual'u. The L<sup>d</sup> Hunsdon [the King<sup>2</sup>]. Dist. 11. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Com. 210.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

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Marston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 17s. 3d. ob. P. Sr Thomas Snagg. [John Rotherham 1682-31]. I. Thomas Smith. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom: Wickham, Ep: Linc: Beha. good. R. est.

MILBROKE [MILBROOK<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 16s. 3d. P. [The Kings Matie.<sup>2</sup>] [Comes Ailesbury 1684<sup>1</sup>]. I. Gabriell Greene. D. Noe

grad: Pr. catechiseth, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 96. POLLOXHILL [PULOXHILL]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. 10s. P. John Page gent. I. John Collins. D. Noe graduat. Pr. no preacher. Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 113. RIGMONT CUM SEGENHOE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'.

vic. oli. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Humphrey Hewet. D. Noe graduat:

Pr. catechiseth. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 150. Recus. 2 women. [Sawford<sup>2</sup>] [Salford<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 16s. 3d. P. John Langford, gent. [Villiers Chernock, Barr; 90<sup>1</sup>]. I. Thomas Bingley. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good, R. est. Com. 83.

Steepingley—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li, 16s. 3d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Edward Sutton. D. Noe graduat. Pr. catechiseth. Beha. good.

R. est. Com. 50.

TINGRIFFE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. P. The Ladie Chenie. I. Humphrey Hill. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Dom: Wickam Ep: Lincoln: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 60.

Westonning—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. 18s. 8d. ob. q'. P. Sr Georg Farmer. I. William Sterey. D. Noe graduat. Pr. catechiseth. Beha, good. R. est. Com. 190. Recus. 1 man, 3 women.

WOOBORNE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued with a Curate. 1. cur. 36li. stip: P. The Earle of Bedford, propriet: I. Caesar Walpole. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Arch: Cant: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 300.

### SHEFFORD DECANAT:

[BIGGLESWADE VICARAGE—P. The Prebendary, Dr Ball 1681.

Thomas Miles. D. Mr of Arts<sup>1</sup>].

[Ashley<sup>2</sup>] [Arlesey<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li.
P. Nicholas Luke, gent. [Tho: Brown, Ar., 86<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Smith. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 150.

ASTWEEKE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. [Beckingham Butler, gent.<sup>2</sup>] [Thomas Browne 1685-6<sup>1</sup>]. I. Henerie Moodie. D. Batch. of

Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 46.
BARKFORD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Edm: Fettiplace. I. Henerie Ridley. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. vacat, L. per D'e'orum Barnes. R. est. Com. 72.

BLUXHAM—Q. P'ge approp. I. 46li. 2s. 11d. P. The Earle of Kent. I. Thomas Norton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L.

Beha. good. R. est. Com. 427.

CAMPTON CUM SHEFFORD—O. P'ge prop. J. 7li. 9s. 7d. [K.B. IIIi. 9s. 7d.]. P. Daniell Goldsmith, yeoman. I. Hugh Stanbridge. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 280.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

CLIFTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 20li. 2s. 11d. P. Walter Roult, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Maude. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L Beha. good. R. est. Com. 120.

Dunton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 10li. P. John Burgoin, gent. 1. Christopher Laigh. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher,

non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 192. Edworth—Q. P'ge prop. V. 17li. [K.B. 15li. 16s. 3d.]. P. [blank] [Gul: Hale, Ar., 1680<sup>1</sup>]. I. Robert Condall. D. Dr. in Diuinitie. Dup. Staughton Parua, dec: Eaton. Qual'u, degree. Dist. 11. Beha, good. Com. 40.

EYWORTH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. The L. Anderson. 1. Thomas Jeeue. D. Noe grad: Pr. no preacher.

Beha. good. R. est. Com. 30.

Gravenhurst Super:—O. P'ge approp. serued with a Curat. I'. vic. certeine tithes stip. P. Trinitie Coll: in Cambridge. I. Edward D. Noe grad: Pr. no preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Smith. Com. 100.

Hatley Port—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 8li. P. John Cockin, Esq. 1. Gilbert Maude. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 60.

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HENLOWE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 9li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Morgane. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Arch. Cantuar: Beha. good. R. est. Com. 210.

Hollwell—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 9s. 7d. P. John Iuorie. I. John Henlowe. D. Batch of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good.

R. est. Com. 338.

Langford—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Francis. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 200.

Meppersall [Meppershall]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 22li. P. The L.

Mordant. I. Rich: Reyner. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L.

Beha. good. R. est. Com. 80.

[NORHILL<sup>2</sup>] [NORTHILL<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but ser: but[sic] a Curat. I'. cur. 20li. stip. P. Rich: Browne, Esqr. I. Anthonie Hogget, Cur. D. Noe grad. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 320.

Potton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic V. vic. 13li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 13li. 6s. 8d.]. P. The Kings Matie. 1. Thomas Craptree. D. Mr.

of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 422. Sandie—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 32li. 2s. 2d. P. The L. Spencer [St. 2] Humphry Monoux, 1682<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Bickley. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 480.

SHITLINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 18li. P. Trinitie Colleg in Cambr: I. John Parrat. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a

preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 604.

Southill—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. p'ge 17li. 6s. 8d.; vic. 11li. 15s.  $\tilde{P}$ . The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Bostock. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Ep. Colcestr: Beha. good. R. est Com. 560. Non-com. I man with his familie.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

Stotfold—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 17s. 5d. P. Trinitie Coll: in Camb: I. Richard Weaver. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, non L. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 190. Stonden—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 6s. 10d. ob. P. St John Rotheram.

I. Richard Laurence. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. no preacher, non L.

Beha. good. R. est. Com. 22.

Sutton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. P. John Burgoine, gent. I. James D. Bac: of Diuinitie. Pr. no preacher [sic], L. per Vniuers: Cantab: Beha, good R. est. Com. 110.

TEMPSFORD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 24li. P. The Kings Matie, Georg Eland. D. Bac: of Diuinitie. Pr. a preacher, L per Vniuers:

Cantab: Beha. good. Com. 120. Recus. 1 man, 3 women.

WARDEN—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. eur. 8li. stip. P. The Lord B: of Lincolne. I. Georg Dike. D. Noe grad. Pr. no preacher. Beha. good. R. est. Com. 120.

Wrestlingworth—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Robert Reeue. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. a preacher, L. per Elmor Ep: London: Bcha. good. R. est. Com. 67.

# ARCHIDIACONAT: BUCK:

### BUCK: DECANAT:

Addington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 9s. 7d. P. St John Curson. I. William Staninough. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Waterstock. Qual'n. By the L. B. of Covent. and Lichfield. Dist. 12. Pr. non L. R. non. Com. 60.

Adstock—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Francis Fortescue. I. Thomas Egerton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch. Cant:, Parker.

R. est. Com. 90.

Akeley—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 2s. 11d. P. New Colleg in Oxon. I. John Pritchyard. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. Non L. R. est. Com. 80.

BARTON—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Cu: P. Paul Riseley, gent.

I. Henerie Beuerley. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Chitwood. R. est. Com. 32. Веаснамртох—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 16s. 5d. ob. P. Thomas Pigot, Esq. I. Beniamen Morris. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 90. Folio 8.

Chetwood—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur: 5li. 6s. 8d. stip. P. Paul Riseley, gent. I. Henerie Beverley. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Barton. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 18.

EDGCOTT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 12s. 8d. ob. P. [blank] [Henricus Smith de Brill, Com. Bucks., Gen., 1685.<sup>1</sup>] 1. John Feild. D. Batch. of Arts. R. est. Com. 70.

Foxcott-Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 9li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. Mathew Claver, Esqu: I. Rich: Evans. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 42. HILSDEN-Q. P'ge serued with a curat. I'. cur: 13li. 6s. 8d. stip.

P. Christchurch in Oxon. Com. 165.

KAVERSFEILD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. P. Edw: Ewers, gent. I. William Batemam [sic]. D. Batch. of Arts. R. est. Com. 20.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand,

LEACHAMSTEAD - Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 13s. 4d. P. Anthonie Greenway, Esq. [D'na Catherina Pye, vid., 46 Mar. '85.1] I. John Wright. D. Batch. of Diuinitie. Dup. Hinton. Qual'n. By the bp. of Sarisburie, Pierce Dist. 8. Pr. L. R est. Com. 120.

Lillingstone—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 9s. 7d. P. Paul Darell, Esq. I. William Cade. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 50. Marsh—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tio</sup>. I. Samuell Reeue. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 211. Maydes Mortox—Q. P'ge prop. I. 18li. 2s. 11d. I. [blank]

Bates. D. Mr of Art. Com. 126.

PADBURIE—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 3s. 4d. [K.B. 6li. 13s. 4d.] P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Smith. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 165.

Prestox—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 4s. 9d. ob. P. The Maior of Couley  $[sic]^2$ . I. Richard Tetloe. D. noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 120.

RATCLIFFE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 15d. P. New Coll: in Oxon. I. Ambrose Sacheuerell. D. Batch. of Law. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 80. Steeple Claydon—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 13li.

3s. 4d. P. Sr Thomas Chalener. I. Adrian Baylie. D. Batch. of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 220. Shaldeston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. os. 5d. P. George Purifie, Esq. I. John Bursey. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 51. Noncom. I man, I woman.

Stowe—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. 4s. 5d. [K.B. IIIi. 14s. 7d.]. P. Susan Temple, gent. I. John Marsh. D. Batch. of

Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 240.

THORNBORROUGH—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li [K. B. 81i, 17s. od.]. P. Sr Arthur Throgmorton. I. William Jenkins. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 199.
THORNTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Edward Terrell.

I. Thomas Elwood. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 40.

Tingwick—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 16s. 3d. P. New Colleg in Oxon. I. John Airey. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Vniuers. Oxon. R. est. Com. 195.

Turweston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 16s. 3d. P. Symon Haines, gent. [Deane & Chapt<sup>r</sup> of Westm<sup>r1</sup>]. I. John Paddie. D. Batch. of

Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 75.

Twiford—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a curat. I'. cur: 12li. stip. P. The Rector of Lincoln Coll: in Oxon, Dr Kilbie. I. Edward Wallis. D. Bat: of Arts. R. est. Com. 195. Recus. 3 men, 3 women.

Water Stratford—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. os. 5d. P. Sr Arthur Throgmorton. I. Richard Maior. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 60.

Westburie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. [K.B. 9li. 17s. 1d.]. P. John Westborne gent. I. Rich: Crocket. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R est. Com. 7.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Edmund Maior was patron in 1604 (Reg. xxx, f. 230d.). Cowley is a hamlet in the parish of Preston Bissett.

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### BURNHAM DECANAT:

Amersham -Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 48li. 16s. ob. P. The Earle of Bedford. [Sr William Drake, 1677.1] 1. Robert Chalener. D. Dr in Diuinit: Pr. L. R. est. Com. 800.

Beaconfeild—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 26li. 2s. 8d. ob. P. Cicely Dun lea<sup>3</sup> and Katherine Handford. 1. Symon Lea. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L.

per Dom. Wickham Ep: Lincolne R. est. Com. 340.

BURNHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 17li. [K.B. 16li. 13s. 4d.].  $\tilde{P}$ . Randall Wright. 1. Randall Wright. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Purley. Qual'n. By the Earle of Northumberland. Dist. 15. Pr.

L. per ep: Sarum: Pierce. R. est. Com. 400. CHALFONT St EGIDU-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 19li 9s. 4d. P. The L. Bishop of Lincolne. I. Rich. Smith. D. Bac: of Diuin. Pr. L. per

Ep: Linc:, Wickam. R. est. Com. 140.

CHALFONT PETRI—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 15li. [K.B. 15li. 17s. 1d.]. P. Sr Henery Drewrie. I. Hugh Jones. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch. Cant: R. est. Com. 220.

CHESSAM WOOBORNE MAGNA—Q. I. W<sup>m</sup> Sanders. D. Mr of Arts. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. Dup. Chessam Wooborne and 11li. 15s 3d. [K.B. 13li. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. | Chessam Lecester-one Church. The Earle of Bedford.

Earle of Bedford.

CHESSAM MAGN: LECESTER—Q. of Rutland and Bedford. Pr. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 
V. vic. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Cooper. 11li. 15s. 3d. [K.B. 13li. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. R. est. Com. 1000. Recus. 2 P. Thomas Ashbie, Esq:

Chenie. 1. Robert Heron. D. Noe grad. Com. 60. 1'. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. Sr Francis

Colbroke—John Emerie, Curat.

DATCHET—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. [K.B. 11li.]. P. The Deane & Cannons of Windsor. 1. John Foster. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. Non. L. R. est. Com. 118.

Denham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Boyer [Sr Roger Hill<sup>1</sup>]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Bagley. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 240.

Dorney—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. [K.B. 8li. 10s. 5d.]. P. [Sr Wm Garret<sup>2</sup>] [Anna Palmer, vid.,  $1685^{1}$ ]. I. Thomas Baker. D. Batch. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 60.

FURNHAM RIALL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 16s. od. ob. P. The L. Chancelour. I. Matthew Browne. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 120.

Fulmer—Q. P'ge prop. P. The Deane and Canons of Windsor. Com. 60.

HEDGLEY—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 6li. P. Sr Henery Drewrie [Sr Roger Hill,  $1680^{1}$ ]. I. John Roberts. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est.

HITCHAM—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 11li, 5s. 7d. ob. P. Sr Wm Clark. I. Robert Lloyd. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep. Linc., Wickam.

R. est. Com. 36.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand. <sup>3</sup> Edward Don Lee was patron in 1589 (P.D., 1589, no. 42).

Horron-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 22li. 9s. 4d. ob. I. Edward Wicomb.

D. Batch, of Diuin. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est.

IUER—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. Sr Edward Carew. I. John Adkins. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est.

ISTNAMSTEED CHENIQ—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 12li. 18s. od. ob. P. The Earle of Bedford. I. Peter Alibone. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Com. 100.

ISTNAMSTEED LATIMERS—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 13li. 6s. 8d. sti. P. Sr Edwin Sande. I. Tristram Hide, Cur: R. est. Com. 20. Folio 10.

Langley—O. P'ge approp, serued with a Curat. I'. cur: 5li. stip.

P. Mr Kitmayster, I. Georg Eiles. R. est. Com. 120. PEN—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 3li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 9li. 13s. 4d.]. P. William Pen, Esq. I. Robert Rudrop. D. Bat; of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 120. Recus. 1 woman.

STOKE POGES—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 7li. 17s. P. S<sup>r</sup> Walter Tredwaye. I. John Duffield. D. Noe grad. R. est.

Com. 160.

TAPLOWE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. P. Sr Thomas Egerton, ld

Chancelour. Com. 110. Recus. 1 man, 1 woman.

Upton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 10s. [K.B. 6li. 17s.]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Owen Johnes. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch. Cant. R. est. Com. 155.
WEXAM—Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 14s. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

Richard Ratcliff. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 60.

Wirardburie cum Langley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 13li. [K.B. 14li. 10s. 5d.]. P. The deane & Canons of Windsore. I. Georg Eiles. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Epis. Lincoln: R. est. Com. 200.

### MURSLEY DECANAT:

CHELDINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 9s. 7d. P. The Ld Chancelor. I. David Roberts. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. in London. Pr. L. per Arch. Cant: R. non est. Joh. Carpenter Curat.

CHELSBURIE—O. donative served by a Curat. I'. cur. 6li. sti: P.

John Baldwin. I. Lewes Hall, Cu: R. est. Com. 44.

CUBLINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Wm Willowbie.
I. Thomas Bremer. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 70. Drayton Parslowe—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 12li. P. Sr John Fortescue.

I. John Hoges. D. Mr of Art. Pr. non L. R. non. Morgan Parry, Curat. *Com.* 120.

Drayton Beacham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 9s. 7d. P. Sr Francis Chenie. 1. Edw: Feild. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. HO.

Dunton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 15s. 7d. [K.B. 9li. 9s. 7d.]. P. Elizabeth Hampden, gent. I. Thomas Lovering. D. Mr of Arts. Pr.

L. per Vniuers. Cant: R. est. Com. 56.

Edsborowe [Edlesborough<sup>1</sup>]—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. p'ge 30li.; vic. 13li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Randall. I. William Norton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 400.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

GROUE PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. 13s. 4d. P. Sr Robert Dormer. I. John Facer. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com.

13. Recus. 1 man, 1 woman.

HARDWICK—Q. P'ge prop. I. 39li. 9s 7d. P. New Coll: in Oxon and Sr Henerie Lea, alternis vicibus. I. Richard Harris. [Ed: Lee<sup>1</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts. [Bach: Theol: Pr. L. per Ep. Dunel', Matthew. R. est. Com. 250.

HAWRIDG—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 10s. 5d. P. Sr John Taysborrow. I. Peter Bate. D. Mr of Art. Pr. L. per Epis. Norv. R. est. Com.

Hogstone—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Robert Dormer. [Comes Carnarvon, 16801]. I. Georg Deyes. D. Bac. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com 86. Recus. 3 women.

HARWOOD MAGNA—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 14li. 4s. 2d. P. New Coll: in Oxon. 1. William Swaddon. D. Dr in Divinit: R. est. Com. 320.

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IUINGOE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 12li. 16s. 4d. P. Sr Thomas Egerton [Comes Bridgwater, '821]. I. Robert Bostock. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 563.

LINCHLADE—Q. P'ge prop. serued by a curat. 1'. cur: 12li. stip. P. Sr Richard Corbett. I. Morgaine Griffin. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Com. 80.

Masworth—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. Ioli. [K.B.  $gli.\ gs.\ 7d$ .]. P. Trinitie Colleg in Camb: I. Nathaniell Cole. [Sam. Sackvile.] D. Bac: of Diuinit: Pr. L. R. non. Rob: Bircot, curatt.

Mentmore—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 17s. P. Thomas Wigg. I. Thomas Noke. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R.

est. Com. 150.

Mursley—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. P. Sr John Fortescue. I. William

Smith. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 110.

NETTLEDEN—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued with a curat. I'. cu. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. [blank] [Johannes Comes de Bridgewater, 1689.] I. Rowland Heblethwet. R. est. Com. 52.

PITCHTHORNE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued with a curat. I'. cur: 9li. I. [blank] Jones. R. est. Com. 118. SLAPTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 14li. 9s. 7d. P. Henerie Row, gent., Alderman of London. I. Emor Firth. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per

Elmor, Ep: Lond. R. est. Com. 115.

Stukley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 19s. 7d. [K. B. 9li. 9s. 7d.]. P. The Kings Matie [Bp. of Oxford<sup>1</sup>]. I. Nicholas Wildeere. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 300.

Sulburie—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued by a curat. V. cu. 8li. P. The Kings Matie. I. Morris Evans. D. Bate: of

Arts. R. est. Com. 270.

SWANBORNE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 11s. [K. B. 9li. 9s. 7d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Lownes. D. Batch:

of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 200.

Whaddon—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. roli. P. New Coll: in Oxon. 1. John Allen. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 290.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

Whitchurch—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 17s. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. William Couentrey. D. noe grad: R. est. Com. 278.

Wing—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 18li. 15s. 8d. P. Sr Rob: Dormer. I. W<sup>m</sup> Bishop. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. L. per Dom. Wickam, Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 396. Recus. 10 men, 15 women.

WINGRAUE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. oli. 9s. 11d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Robert Nixon. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 240.

[Tottenhoe alias Totterhoe Rectoria—P. Thomas Stafford, Ar.

I. Robertus Rudd.<sup>1</sup>]

# NEWPORT DECANAT:

Astwood—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Georg Richardson. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 8o.

BLETCHLEY—Q. P'ge prop. I. 29li, 13s. 1d. ob. P. The L. Graye.

I. Thomas Sparks. D. Dr. in Diuinit: R. est. Com. 300.

BOWBRIKHILL—Q. P'ge prop. I. 15li. 2s od. ob. P. [Anthonie Watson, gent.<sup>2</sup>] [Sam: Barker<sup>2</sup>]. I. William Watson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 137.

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Bradwell—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 6li. [K.B. 5li. 11s.  $o_2^1d$ .]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Haberley. D. Noe

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 80.

Braffeld—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued with a Curat. I'. cur. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. The Ladie Scott. I. Thomas Newton. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 72.

BRICKHILL MAGNA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 2s. 9d. P. John Duncombe, Esq. I. Francis Charlett. D. Mr of Arts. R. est. Com. 364.

BRICKHILL PARVA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. The L. Archbyshop of Cant: I. Thomas Collins. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Milton Bryan, Arch. Bed:, dec: Dunstable. Pr. L. per Dom: Wickam, Ep: Lincol: R. non. Com. 140.

Broughton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 9s. 7d. P. Francis Duncombe, Esq: I. Andrew King. D. Batch: of Diuinit: Pr. L. R. non. Com.

TOO

Caluerton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 26li. 2s. 11d. P. The Earle of Northumberland. I. Humphrey Eayleworth. D. Batch: of Diuinit: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. cst. Com. 140.

CHICHLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. Anthonie Chester, Esq.: I. Thomas Gardiner. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 117.

CLIFTON REINES—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li, 6s. 10d. ob. P. Reigns Low, gent. I. Thomas Jones. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 87.

EMERTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 2s. 11d. P. S<sup>r</sup> Anthonie Terringham. I. John Prestman. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 160.

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<sup>3 &#</sup>x27;Aylworth' in P.D. 1604, no. 3.

GOTHURST—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 6s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 6li. os.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. [Sr Edw:<sup>2</sup>] Digbie [John Esq<sup>r1</sup>]. I. Henery Woodland. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 71.

HANSLOPE CUM CASTLETHROP—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. V. cur: 15li. stip. P. The Kings Matie. I. Wm Lingard. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 500. HARDMEAD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 6s. 10d. ob. I. Richard Rains-

ford. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 80. HAUersham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. P. Sr John [Lucie<sup>2</sup>] [Thomson, 1680<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Bird. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Arch: R. est. Com. 120.

LATHBURIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. but serued by a Curat. I'. vic. 5li. 6s. 8d.; cur. 12li. stip. P. Chrischurch in Oxon. I. Walter Evans, v: et Cu: D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 130.

LAVENDEN CUM BRAYFIELD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. vic. 6li. P. The Ladie Scott. I. Thomas Newton. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 99.

LINDFORD MAGNA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. [blank] [K.B. 20li. os.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. [Richard Throughton, Esq.<sup>2</sup>] [Tho. Napier, Ar., 1677<sup>1</sup>]. I. Richard Sandie. D. Batch: of Diuinitie. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 220.

LINFORD PARUA—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 5li. stip. P. Dorithie Thompson, vid. 1. Richard Durant. D. Batch: of Arts. R. est. Com. 54.

MILTON KEINES—Q. P'ge prop. I. 20li. P. Sr Wm Stafford, Mr Denham, Mr Babington. I. Rodulphe Smith. D. Batch: of Diuinit:

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 110.

MULSHOE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr John Spenser of London. I. Henerie Wilcox. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: peterb:, Scamler. R. est. Com. 130.

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LOUGHTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 14li. 5s. 2d. ob. P. [Clement Pigott, gent.<sup>2</sup>] [Trin: Cöll: Cambr:, 1681<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Seddon. D. Noe grad: Pr. non. R. est. Com. 116.

NEWPORT—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. P. The L<sup>d</sup> Chancelor. 1. Thomas Yarrow. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Com. 806. Recus. 2 women.

NEWTON LONGVILL—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 20li 9s. 7d. P. New Colleg in Oxon. 1. Sextus Quarterman. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 166.

Newton Blosomevill—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 8s. 1d. ob. P. The L. Mordant. 1. W<sup>m</sup> Lucas. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. R. est.

NORTH CRAWLEY—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 27li. 10s. P. The daughters of Herkes late of Oxon. I. Roger Hacket. D. Dr of Diuinit: Pr. non

L. R. est. Com. 290.

OLNEY—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Martin Purrier. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 525. Recus. 2 women.

RAVENSTONE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 
V. vic. 6li. 6s. 8d.

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[K.B. 6li. 13s. 4d.]. P. [The Kings Matie<sup>2</sup>] [Heneage L<sup>d</sup> Finch, 1680<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Johnson. D. Bac: of Arts. R. est. Com. 80.

SHENLEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 22li. 9s. 7d. P. S<sup>r</sup> John Fortescue. I. Rich. Edmunds. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 26o.

Sherington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. os. 2d. ob. P. The L. Bishop of Lincolne. I. John Martin. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 180.

Simpson—O. P'ge prop. I'. 17s. 6s. 8d. P. Thomas Cranwell, gent. I. Rodulph Bradley. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 162. STANTONBURIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 6s. 8d. P. [blank] Temple, mil' [S. John Wittewrong<sup>1</sup>]. 1. John Wheelock. D. Noe grad: R. est.

Stokegoldington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 14li. 6s. 3d. P. Sr Edw:

Digbie. I. Wm Yeomans. D. Bac: of Arts. R. est. Com. 120.

STOKEHAMMOND—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 9s. 7d. P. The L. Bishop of Lincolne. I. Charles Langford. D. Dr of Diuinit: Pr. L. R. non. Nicholas Glouer [curate]. Com. 120.

STONIESTRATFORD—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 13li. 6s. 8d. I. Georg Gee. D. Mr of Arts. P. non L. R. est. Com.

TIRRINGHAM CUM FILGRAUE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 16s. 10d. ob. [K.B. 13li. 6s. 10\frac{1}{2}d.\frac{3}{2}]. P. Sr Anthonie Terringham. I. Thomas Bradshaw. D. Bac: of Arts. Dup. Buckley. Qual'u. by Sr Christopher Hatton. Pr. L. per Ep: Peterb:, Doue. R. non. Joh. Kirkland [curate]. Com. 110.

Walton-Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 9s. 7d. P. The Kings Matie & Sr Henery Longdevill alternis vicibus. 1. Wm Pix. D. Mr of Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 69.

Wauenden—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 26li. [K.B. 26li. 6s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. W<sup>m</sup> Stone. I. W<sup>m</sup> Stone. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Aspeley. Qual'u. by the Earle of Bath. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 196.

Weston Vnderwood—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 5li. stip. P. The Kings Matie. I. Humphrey Porter. R. est. Com. 66.

Recus. 2 men, 3 women.

WELLIN-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 10s. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Vnderhill. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 58.

Woluerton—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. [K.B. Ioli, 3s. 9d.]. P. Sr Henerie Longdeuill. I. Robert Reynolds. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 120.

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Woughton super Viridi [sic]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 16li. 9s. 7d. P. The L. Mordant & S<sup>r</sup> Henery Longdevill alternis vicibus. 1. Edw: Hughes. D. Bac, of Divinit. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 105. Wolston Magna—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 16s. 3d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Stone, Mr

of Arts. I. Humphrey Clark. D. Bac. of Arts. R. est. Com. 58.

Wolston Parva—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 6s. 3d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Keinhoe. D. Bac. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 48.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>3</sup> This is the value of Tyringham alone.

<sup>4 &#</sup>x27;Cainhoe' in L.C. 1614, f. 82.

### WADSDEN DECANAT:

Ashenden—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 10li. stip. P. Christchurch in Oxon. 1. Rich. Ingbie D. Bac. of Arts. Pr. non

L. R. est. Com. 120.

Ashton Sandford—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 16s. ob. P. Sr Wm Fleetwood. I. Thomas Proud. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Kimble Parua, dec: Windouer. Qual'n. by the L. Archb: of Cant: his grace. Dist. 2. Pr. L. per ep: Linc:, Cooper. R est. Com. 43.

Barstall—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. V. cu. 5li. stip. P.

Sr John Dormer. I. John Pimme R est Com. 101.

Brill—O. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 10li. stip. P. John Denham, Esq. I. Laurence Broome. D. Bac. of Arts. R. est. Com. 200.

Cheirsley—O. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. St John Dormer. I. Nicholas Barton. D. Noe grad. R. est. Com.

CHILTON—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. St John Crooke, I. Randall Eaton, D. Noe grad, Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 153.

Crenden Long—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu. 8li.

sti. P. The L. Norris. I. Edward Osborne. R. est. Com. 340. Dourron—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. Christchurch in Oxon. I. W<sup>m</sup> Richardson. D. Bac. of Arts. R. est. Com. 63.

East Cleyden—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. [K.B. 7li. 17s.]. P. Robert Hovenden. D. Dr of Diuinitie. I. Owen Gwin.

D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 140.

FLITMARSTONE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 2s. 8d. ob. P. St Henerie Lea. I. Thomas Jones [Humfrey Glisson<sup>1</sup>]. D. Noe grad: [Mr Artibus $^1$ ]. R. est. Com. 11.

Grendon Vnderwood—Q. P'ge prop. I. 15li. 16s. 8d. [K.B. 15li. 6s, 8d.]. P. Mr Pigott of Dadersall. I. Thomas How. D. Mr of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 200.

1ckford—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 9s. 7d. P. Sr Georg Tipping. I. John Seller. D. Batch: of Diuinit: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 118.

Kingshay—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 10s. 5d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Rochester. I. John Brangwin. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 85.

LURGARSALL—Q. P'ge prop I. 17li. 6s. 8d. P. [Henerie Poole, Esq.<sup>2</sup>] [Jo: Borlase, Baronett, 1683<sup>1</sup>]. *I*. W<sup>m</sup> Knight. *D*. Bac: of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 150.

MID CLAYTON—Q. P'ge prop. I. 15li. P. Vrian Varney, gent. I. Rich: Askew. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 100. Recus. 2 men, 2 women.

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NORTHMARSTON-Q. P'ge & vic. both approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur: 10li. st. P. The Deane & Chapter of Windsor. I. Edmund Cowdall. D. Batch: of Arts. Pr. non. L. R. est. Com. 180.

OKELEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. [K.B. 5li.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

17s. 1d.]. P. Katherine Denham, gent. I. Phillip Evans. D. Bac. of Arts.  $\overrightarrow{Pr}$ . non L. R. est. Com. 95. OVING—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 17s. 11d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Markam. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 92.

PITCHCOTT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. P. John Sanders, ward to Sr Christopher Hodsden [Tho: King, Med: dr, 1680]. I. Robert Walkeden. D. Noe grad: Pr. non. R. est. Com. 40.

QUAINTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 30li. 12s. 1d. P. The Ladie Verney. I. Rich: Brett. D. Dr of Diuinit: Pr. L. R. est. Com. 360.

SHABINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 8s. 10d. P. Barthol. Typping, gent. I. Edw: Osborne. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 68.

Wadsden 1<sup>a</sup>: 2<sup>a</sup>:-Q. p'ges prop. I'. 30li. P. Sr Francis Goodwin. I. Henery Wilkinson. D. Bac: of Diui: Pr. L. per Vniuers: Oxon:

R. est. Com. 280. Recus. I woman.

Wadsden 3ia portio—Q. p'ge prop. I'. 15li. P. Sr Francis Goodwin. I. John Burges. D. Bac: of Diui: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 140.

WINCHINGDON SUPERIOR—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 10s. [K.B. 7li. 17s.]. P. Sr Francis Goodwin, I. John Tayler. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 50.

Winchingdon Infer:—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 20li. P. Thomas Terringham, Esq. I. Henery Hanson. D. Bac: of

Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 102.

WORMINHALL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. [K.B. 6li. 18s. 10d.]. P. Georg Typping, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Phillips. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 134.

WOOTTON VNDERWOODE—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Cu. V. cur. 10li. stip. P. The [Coll.<sup>2</sup>] Ar'p. of Canterburie. I. W'm Hobson. D. Bach. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 130.

### WENDOUER DECANAT:

[Exempt: Aylesbury—Q. Vic. P. The prebend: I. Isaac Lodington.<sup>1</sup>]

[Exempt: Beirton—Q. Vic. P. The Deane & Ch: of Lincoln.<sup>1</sup>]

Ashton CLINTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 6s. 10d. ob. [K.B. 23li. 6s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Francis Barington. I. Charles Farrand. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 318.

BLEDLOW—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. p'ge. 12li.; vic.

16li. 9s. 7d. P. Edw: East, Esq. Com. 324. Recus. 1 man, 1 woman. Dintou—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. p'ge. 17li. 10s.; vic. 17li. 10s. P. John Sanders, ward to Sr Christopher Hodsden. I. Edw:

Poulter. D. Bac. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 212. ELISBORROUGH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 9s. 8d. P. Henery Newman, gent. [Mr R. Wallis 86.1] 1. John Smith. D. Mr of Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 120.

HADENHAM CUM CUDDINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 15li. 17s. P. Henery Maine, gent. I. John Greene. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Sarum: R. est. Com. 560.

Hampden Magna—Q. P'ge prop. I'. gli. gs. 7d. P. John Hamp-

den, gent. Com. 80.

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<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

HARTWELL CUM HAMPDEN PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 5s. 5d. P. Sr Alexander Hampden. I. Roger Porter. D. Bac: of Diuinit: Pr.

L. R. est. Com. 103.

HORSINGDEn-Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 17s. 1d. P. Richard Cotton, gent. I. Rich. Newall. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 22. Folio 16.

Hulcott-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 10li. os. 2d. ob. P. Thomas Fountaine, gent. I. John Stratfold. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 46. Recus. 2 wom:

ILMER—Q. P'ge prop. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. P. [Sr Rob: Dormer<sup>2</sup>] [Carolus Comes Carnarvon, 1687<sup>s</sup>]. I. Martin Wright. D.

Bae: of Arts. R. est. Com. 60.

KIMBLE MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 5d. P. John Hampden, gent. I. Henery Syluester. D. Bae: of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 147.

KIMBLE PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 2s. 11d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Proude. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Ashton Sandford, dec: Wadsden, Buck. Qual'n. By the L: ArchB: of Cant: his grace. Dist. 2. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Cooper. R. non. Hosp. est. Com. 28.

LEE—O. P'ge prop. serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 7li. stip. P. The L. Harbert. 1. Edw: Still. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 50.

MISSENDEN MAGNA—O. P'ge approp. end with a vic. P. [The Kings Matie<sup>2</sup>] [Gul: Fleetwood, Ar., 1685<sup>3</sup>]. I. John Wordgley. D. Noe

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 360. Recus. 1 man, 1 wom: Missender Parua—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 13li. 3s. 8d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Pem, Esq. I. Elias Wordgley. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 190.

RISBORROUGH PRINCIPIS—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 10li. P. John Jackman, gent. I. John Reeue. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 430.

STONE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. The Ladie Pelham. [Sr Tho: Lee, Barr:, 1681<sup>8</sup>]. I. Barthol: Pursey. D.

Noe grad: R. est. Com. 145.

WENDOVER—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. p'ge 49li. 16s. 8d.; vic. 12li. 16s. P. The Kings Matie. I. Wm Kellie. D. Mr of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 340. Recus. 4 men, 2 wo: Weston Turvill—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 22li. 10d. P. [The L. Windsor<sup>2</sup>] [M<sup>r</sup> William Hill, gent.<sup>8</sup>]. 1. John Vintner. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non  $\overline{L}$ . R. est. Com. 190.

### WICOMBE DECANAT:

Bradnam—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 3s. 9d. P. The L. Windsor. I. Georg Mutlow. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 56. Recus. 4 men, 7 wom:

FAULEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li 10s. 10d. P. Mr Mumpersons.5 I. Richard Clark. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 100.

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'William' (see pp. 204-5; 205, note 5).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand. 3 Added by a later hand.

<sup>4</sup> Rectius 'Penn'.
5 Rectius 'Mompesson'.

Finghurst—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 7s. 11d. P. Mr Barker, prebend. of Wells. I. Peter Rider. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 84.

HAMBLEDEN—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 35li. P. The L. Scroop. I. Rich: Pilkington. D. Bac: of Diuinit: Pr. L. R. est. Com. 250. HEDSOR—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. P. Rowland Hind, gent. I. Nicholas Sheffeild. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 40. HITCHENDEN—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 16s.

P. [Sr Robert Dormer'] [the Lord Carnarvon, 1681<sup>2</sup>]. I. Hugh Lane. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 250.

MARLOW MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 13li. 6s. P. The Deane and Chapter of Gloster. I. Thomas Hieron. D. Bac: of Arts. Dup. Shotisbrooke in Com. Berk: Qual'n. by the Earle of Sussex. Dist. 4. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 709. Recus. 2 men, 4 wom:

MARLOW PARUA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. [K.B. 8li. 5s. 10d.]. P. Mris Burlace. I. Thomas Heape. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 140.

MEDMENHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. U. vic. 5li. 10s. [K.B. 5li. 7s. 1d.]. P. Francis Duffeild, Esq. 1. Robert Lewin. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 100.

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RADNAGE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 13s. 10d. P. Ld Chancelor. I. Ralph Barlow. D. Bac: of Diuinitie. Pr. Licent, per Acad: Oxon. non. Com. 84. Recus. 1 man, 1 wom.

Sanderton-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 9s. 7d. P. Sr Robert Dormer. I. Richard Reinolds. D. Bac: of Diuinit: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant:, Parker.

R. est. Com. 60.

Turfield—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. [K.B. 9li. 9s.  $9d.\frac{1}{2}$ ]. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Perin. I. Roger Gybson. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 84.

Westwicomb—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. 6s. [K.B. 11li. 9s. 7d.]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. 1. W<sup>m</sup> White. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln, Wickam. R. est. Com. 351. Recus. 2 men, 2 wo:

WICOMB MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 23li. 7s. 7d. ob. [K.B. 23li. 17s. 1d.]. P. Robert Raunce, gent. I. Phillip Chamberlaine. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 1200. Non-com. 14 men, 13 wo:

WOOBORNE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 12li. P. Sr Francis Goodwin [L. Wharton, 1681<sup>2</sup>]. I. Hugh Roberts. D. Noe grad:

R. est. Com. 240.

# ARCHIDIACONATUS HUNTINGDON:

## COM: HARTFORD: BALDOCKE DECANAT:

Ashwell—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 22li. 3s. 6d. P. The L. B: of London. I. Fulk Marshall. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 500.

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Aspeden—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li, 5s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. [Radulphus Freeman, Ar., 1684.2]. I. Thomas Knight. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: London. R. est. Com. 190.

Aston-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 26li. 11s. 8d. P. Sr Phillip Butler. I.

John Gamond. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 80.

Baldock—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 8s. 9d. P. The Kings Matie. 1.

Richard Price. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 465.

Benington—Q. P'ge prop. V. 19li. P. The Countesse of Essex the supposed Pat: [Ric'us Ŝparrow, 1682]. I. Wm Middleton. D. noe grad: R. est. Com. 256.

BIGRAUE—Q. P'ge prop. I. 17li. 9s. 7d. P. Wm Warren, gent. 1.

The Suffragan of Colchester. D. Dr of Diuinit: Dup. Witham in Essex. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 30. Pr. L. R. non. Com. 27. CALCOTT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. P. John [Spurling<sup>1</sup>] [Austen<sup>2</sup>], Esq. [1680<sup>2</sup>] [Sergiant at Law<sup>2</sup>]. *I.* Robert Smith. *D.* Bac: of Arts. *Pr.* L. per Ep: Lincoln: *R.* est. *Com.* 27. Clothall—Q. P'ge prop. I. 16li. 7d. ob. *P.* Dorithie Burgoine,

gent. I. John Overall. D. Dr of Diuinit: Dnp. Alderkirk. Qual'n. by

the King. Dist. 30. R. non. Com. 70.

Codereth—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 20li. 6s. 8d. ob. P. [Edw: Poulter, Esq.<sup>1</sup>] [Arthur Poulter, Esq.<sup>2</sup>]. *I.* Thomas Bushe. *D.* Mr of Arts. *Pr.* L. per Arch: Cant: *R.* est. *Com.* 153.

HINXWORTH—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 16li. P. Andrew Gray, Esq. 1. John Mickley. D Bac: of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 87.

Recus. 1 wom:

Kellishall—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. P. The L. B: of Elie, I. Edw:

Franklin. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 120.

Monden Magna—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 9s. 7d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Georg Downeham. D. Dr of Diuinitie. R. est. Com. 220.

MONDEN PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. P. Michael Woodcock, Esq. I. Richard Newton. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: London. R. est. Com. 200.

RADWELL—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. John Parker, gent. [Rob: Bell, Esq<sup>r</sup>, in 1679<sup>2</sup>]. 1. Richard Parker. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 26.

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RUSHDENE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 22d. ob. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincolne. I. James King. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. g.

SANDEN—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. The Deane of St Paules in London. I. Wm Bramfield. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 233.

THURFEILD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 50li. P. The Deane and Chapter of St Paules in London. I. W<sup>m</sup> Chapman. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Black Netley, in Essex. Qual'n. by the L. Arch. Cant. Dist. 23. Pr. L. per Vniu: Cantab: R. non. Com. 320.

Throcking—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. P. St Leonard Hide. I. Robert Slowe. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 24.

WALKERNE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 1s. 10d. ob. P. Mr Clark and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

 $W^m$  Humberstone, gent., the supposed Patrons. 1. Edw: Howe. D.

Noe grad: R. est. Com. 124.

Wallington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 15s. 2d. ob. P. Thomas Bowles, Esq. I. John Bill. D. Dr of Diuinit: Dup. Letchworth, dec: Hitchin. Qual'n. Degree. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 88.

WESTMILL—Q. P'ge prop. V. 20li. P. Sr John Brograue. I.

James Tayler. D. Dr in Diuinitie. R. est. Com. 160.

WESTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 10li. 6s. 8d. P. Richard Hale, citizen of London. 1. John Besbrowne. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 287.

Willion—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. - I'. vic. 5li. P. Elizabeth Phillips, vidua. I. John Chapman. D. Bac: in Diuinitie. Pr. L.

per Ep: Lincol:, Cooper. R. est. Com. 60.

YARDLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 12li. P. The Deane and Chapter of St Paules in London. 1. Robert Tattersall. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, 1585. R. est. Com. 200.

## [COM: HARTFORD:] BARKHAMSTEED DECANATUS

ALDBURIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. Robert Hide, Esq. I. Matthias Watts. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol; Cooper. R. est. Com. 180.

ALDENHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 24li. P. Sr Edward Cary. I. Robert Prat. D. Bac; of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Com. 560.

BARKAMPSTEED MAIE [sic] alias Northchurch—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 21li. 15d. P. Sr Edward Cary, supposed. I. John Hopkins. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 260.

BARKAMPSTEED Sti Petri—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 201i. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Newman. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non. R. est.

Com. 400.

BOVINGTON CHAPPELL—I. Nathaniell Walkwood. D. Bac: of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est.

FLAMSTEED—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. V. cur: 12li. stip. P. The Kings Matie. I. Firmine Adams. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 320.

Gadiseden Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. 22d. ob. P. Robert Halsey alias Chambers. I. W<sup>m</sup> Lillingstone. D.

Bac: of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 250.
GADISDEN PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 12s. 8d. ob. [K.B. 11li. 12s.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. [The Kings Ma<sup>tie1</sup>] [Comes Bridgwater, 1682.] I. Thomas

Windsor. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 40.

HEMILHAMSTEED CUM BOVINGDON ET FLAUNDEN CAPELLIS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 16li. P. The Deane and Chapter of St Paules, upon nominac'on from the Bp. of Lincolne [The Lo: B<sup>p</sup> of Lincoln to nominate<sup>2</sup>]. *I*. W<sup>m</sup> Dike. *D*. Noe grad: *R*. est. *Com*. 600. Folio 19.

KENESWORTH—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 19s. 4d. [K.B. 9li. 13s. 4d.]. P. The Deane and Chapter of S<sup>t</sup> Paule. I. Lean-

ard Tuke. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 123.

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Langley Regis—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. P. [The Kings Matie 1] [The Bp. of Ely, 16812]. I. Gregorie Groue. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 240.

NORTH MIMES—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cur: 10li. stip. P. Eustace Grubbe [Wm Emerton, Esq., 16818]. I. Nicholas

Ward. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 306.

PUTTENHAM—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 12s. ob. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. Thomas Noriolke. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 54.

SHENLEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 8s. 1d. ob. P. Sr John Pultney. I. Nicholas White. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 243.

TRING CUM LONGMARSTONE CAPELLA—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. p'ge 5li., cur: 10li. stip. P. Christchurch in Oxon. I. Timothie Fisher. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est. Com. 638.

Whethamsteed cum Harpeden Capell:—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 42li. is. iod. ob. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. [Mark Stubbing<sup>t</sup>] [Lamb<sup>t</sup> Osbaston<sup>3</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est.

Com. 700.

WIGINTON—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 7li. stip. P. [Christchurch in Oxon<sup>3</sup>]. Com. 190.

## [COM: HARTFORD:] HARTFORD DECANATUS

AIOTT LAURENCE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 8li. 13s. 4d. P. Nicholas Bristowe, Esq. I. Thomas Porter. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L R. est. Com. 40.

Aiott Petri—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. The Lad: Brocket and Georg Perion alternis vicibus. 1. John Bushey. D. Noe

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 61.

Barkhamsteed Parua—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 7li. 8s. 6d ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [Comes Sarisburiensis, 1680, Adams<sup>s</sup>]. I. Rowland Hughes. D. Noe grad: Dup. Easenden cum Bayford capella. Qual'n. By the L. Montaeu. Dist. 1. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. non. Com. 98. Bengeo—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 7s. 5d. P.

Sr Henery Fanshawe. I. Thomas Field D. Mr of Arts. Dup. St Andrewes and S<sup>t</sup> Nicholas in Hartford in eadem Dec: *Qual'n*. By the Ladie S<sup>t</sup> John, Dowager of Bletsoe. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Pr. L. per Ep: London. R. est. Com. 200.

Bramfield—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 6s. 8d. P. Sr Henery Butler, supposed patron. I. Robert Bird. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Datchworth—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li, 13s. 4d. P. Sr Arthur Capell. I. W<sup>m</sup> Paine. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com.

DIGGESWELL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. [K.B. 7li. 4s. 2d.]. P. John Sydley, Esq. [Boteler Shalcrosse, gent., '85 $^{\circ}$ ]. I. Richard Chambers. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 41.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand and struck out.

<sup>3</sup> Added by a later hand.
4 Rectrus 'Whittell' (see p. 208; P.D., 1593, no. 2).
5 The two amounts are bracketed to show that the curate received them both as his stipend.

EASENDEH CUM BAYFORD CAPELLA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. P. W<sup>m</sup> Tuckey, Esq. I. Rowland Hughes [Rich: Pooley<sup>2</sup>]. D. Noe grad: Dup. Barkamsteed Parua in eadem decanat. Qual'n. By the L. Montacne. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 330.

HARTFORD ALL SAINTS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. Ioli. [K.B. 10li, 8s.  $6\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Stephen Loome. I. Thomas Noble.

D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 536.

HARTFORD Sti Andrew cum cap. St Nich: et Marie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 11s. 4d.; I'. [Sti] Ni: 3li. 16s. 3d. P. The Kings Matie in right of the Dutchie of Lancaster. I. Thomas Field. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Bengeo in eadem dec: Qual'u. By the Ladie St John, Dowager. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Pr. L. per Ep: London: R. non. Com. 300.

HARTINGFORDBERIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 15s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Matie in the right of the Dutchie of Lancast. I. John Scarfield.

D. Bac; of Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 212.

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HATFIELD EPISCOPI—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 36li. 2s. 1d. P. [Sr Edward Onslowe<sup>1</sup>] [[acobus Comes Sarisburiensis, [an<sup>ty</sup>, 1684<sup>2</sup>]. I. Robert Abbot. D. Mr. of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 800.

Sauecomb—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 3s. 4d. P. Sr Phillip Butler. I. Francis Stone. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickam.

R. est. Com. 80.

STAPLEFORD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. Dionise Hind, gent. I. John Stake. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 6o.

TEWING—Q. P'ge prop. I. 14li. P. Sr Robert Wroth. I. James Montford. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: R. est. Com. 100. Tatterige Capella—I'. cur: 20li. stip: I. W<sup>m</sup> Stanton. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Com. 130. Recus. 1

man. Watton Atston—Q. P'ge prop. V. 19li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. Sr Phillip

Butler, the supposed Patron. I. Robert Porter. D. Bac: in Diuinit:

Pr. L. per Ep: London:, Edwin, R. est. Com 300. Wellvin—Q. P'ge prop. T. 21li. P. Thomas Wilshier, yeoman. I. Georg Lewes. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, 1573. R. est. Com. 193.

# [COM: HARTFORD:] HITCHIN DECANATUS

Graveley cum Sheffield Capella—O. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 10d. P. The heyres of S<sup>r</sup> John Brocket, supposed Patrons. I. Benedict Quarles. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, 1587. R. est. Com. 82.

HITCHEN CUM MINSDEN CAPELLA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. [vic. $^{3}$ ] 25li. 6s. 8d. P. Trinitie Colledge in Cambridge. I. [Alured Birtbie $^{1}$ ] [[blank] Lindall $^{2}$ ]. D. Mr of Arts. [D. Dr in Divinity $^{2}$ ]. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 1098.

ICKLEFORD—Q. P'ge approp. called Purton end. with this vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The Ladie Dennie, vidua. I. John Butterfield. D. Noe

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 120.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand. 3 Omitted in error,

IPPOLITS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. P. Trinitie Colleg in Cambridge. I. [John Stratton<sup>1</sup>] [Francis Wilsford<sup>2</sup>]. D. Noe grad: [Mr of Arts<sup>2</sup>]. R est. Com. 149.

KIMPTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 12li. P. Nicholas Bristowe, Esq. I. vacat. Com. 234.

KNEBWORTH—Q. P'ge approp. V. 13li. os. 22d. ob. P. Sr Rowland

Litton. I. Robert Hodgkins. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 140.

LETCHWORTH—Q. P'ge prop. I. 11li. os. 22d. ob. P. Sr Henery ce. I. John Bill. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dup. Wallington, Baldock decanat. *Qual'n*. Degree. *Dist.* 3. *Pr*. L. *R*. non. *Com.* 43. LILLEY—Q. P'ge prop. *V*. 19li. 8s. 9d. *P*. Thomas Docwra, Esq.

I. John Potkins. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per: Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com.

120.

Offley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. Luke

Norton, Esq. I. Oliver Perkins. Com. 78.

Purton Capella—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic called Ickleford. Purton served by a Curat. I'. cur. 8li. in smale tithe, 2li. from the propr: P. The Ladie Dennie, vidua. 1. John Smith. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 146.

STEVENAGE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 6s. 8d. P. Thomas Cleark, gent. [Tho: Ducket, Ar:, 1688<sup>2</sup>]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Pratt [[blank] Chester<sup>2</sup>]. D. Bac: [Dr<sup>2</sup>] in Diuinit. Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: R. est. Com. 358.

Walden Regis—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 10li. 12s. 6d. stipend. I. Thomas Richardson [M<sup>r</sup>] Battle<sup>2</sup>]. D. Noe grad: [Mag. Artium<sup>2</sup>]. R. est. Com. 26.

WIMONDLEY MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. P. Trinitie Colleg in Cambridge. I. Thomas Reed. D. Mr of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 110.

Wimondley Parua—Q. P'ge approp. not end, with a vic. but serued by a curat. I'. cur. 10li, stip. I. Oliuer Simpson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 108.

# ARCHIDIACONATUS HUNTINGTON:

## COM: HUNTINGDON: DECANATUS HUNT:

ALL STS IN HUNTINGDOU—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 11s. 10d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Beard, D. Bac; in Diuinit: Dup. Kim-

balton, eadem decan. *Qual'n*. Degree. R. est. Com. 110. St Benedict in Huntingdon—Q. P'ge not approp. but serued with a curat. I'. cur. hath the fruits by sequestrac'on to the sum of 6li. stip. P. The Kings Matie. I. Edward Andrewes. D. noe grad. R. est. Com. 105.

St John Baptist in Huntington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 7s. 6d. P. The Kings Matie. 1. Wm Bolton. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep:

Lincol:, 1589. R. est. Com. 87.

St Marie in Huntington-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li. 15s. 2d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Robert Lawe. D. Bac; of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 182.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand, 3 A mistake for 'prop,'.

## LEIGHTONSTONE DECANATUS

ALCUMBERIE CUM WESTONE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 8li. 6s. P. The Deane & Chapter of Westm. Com. 400.

BARHAM CAPELLA—O. Capella, Curat. I. John Hill. D. noe grad:

Bramptox—Q. Prebend end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. ob. q'. P. The Prebendarie, Dr Germine. I. Wolstan Dixie. D. noe grad: R. est.

Brinkton cum Bithorne et Oldweston capellis—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 34li. 3s. 6d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Becke, Esq. I. John Cookesen. D. Mr of Arts.

1. 34li. 3s. od. P. W<sup>m</sup> Becke, Esq. I. John Cookesen. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 276.

Вискworth—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 5s. 2d. ob. P. [Thomas Hetley, Esq., W<sup>m</sup> Walden, gent.] [Edvardus Beckwell, Ar., 1681<sup>2</sup>]. I. Rich: Peerse. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 179.

Сатworth Magna—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 16s. 7d. ob. P. Thomas Lakins, yeoman. I. John Wiborne. D. Bac: of Divinit: Dup. Godmanchester in dec. Sti Neots. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 6. Pr. L. per Vniuer: Oxon. R. non. Com. 210.

COPMANFORD CUM VPTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 13s. 1d. ob. P. Henery Sapcots, Esq. I. W<sup>m</sup> Scott. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R.

est. Com. 112.

COVINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 20d. P. The Earle of Bedford.

 Georg Presland. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 54.
 Eason—Q. Capella infra Prebend. de Stowe. P. The Prebendarie of Stowe, Tho: Burton. 1. Robert Burton. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. L.

per Ep: Lincol: R. est.

Ellington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 20li. P. Peter House in Cambridge. 1. Anthonie Armitage. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 262. Folio 22.

GIDDING Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. [K. B. 8li. 5s. 2d.]. P. Sr Edw: Watson. I. Edw: Higbie. D. Bac: of Arts.

Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 233.

GIDDING PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 6s. 5d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Henry Williamson. D. Bac: in Divinitie. Dup. Conington, Yaxley decan. Qual'n. Degree. Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: R. non. Com. 9.

Groffнам—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 17li. 4s. 4d. ob. [K.B. 16li. 14s  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Oliuer Cromwell [Johannes Bigg, Ar., 1689<sup>2</sup>]. I. Samuell Hunt.

D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 141.

Hamerton—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 13li. 15s. 5d. P. Sir John Beadell. I. Anthonie Elcokke. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 130.

KEYSTONE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 29li. 5s. P. The Kinges Matie. [John Wingfeild, gent., 1680, Jan<sup>ry</sup> 13<sup>o 2</sup>]. *I*. W<sup>m</sup> Bate. *D*. Mr in Arts. *Dup*. Walgraue in com: Northampton. *Qual* n. By the late Earle of Essex. Dist. 10. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 200.

KIMBALTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. P. Sr Edw: Wingfeild or the proprietarie if the appropriation hold good.

Com. 600.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

Added by a later hand.

Hockley' in Reg. xxx, f. 188d.

Layton Bromsvald—Q. Prebend end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. P. L<sup>d</sup> Clifton, I. Georg Webbe, D. Bac; in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 275.

Molisworth—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 10s. 10d. P. [Oliuer Farren, gent., supposed Patron'] [Tho: Richards, yeoman<sup>2</sup>]. I. Augustine Pigott.

D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 82.

SPALDWICK CUM BURHAM ET EASON CAPELLIS—Q. Prebend. of Stowe with a vic. I'. [vic.<sup>8</sup>] 12li. P. The prebendarie of Stowe, Tho:

Burton. Com. 321. Steeple Gidding—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. John Cotton, Esq. [Sr John Cotton, Bar., July 3, 16912]. 1. Henry Berige [Tho: Ferrar2]. D. noe grad: [Master of Arts2]. R. est. Com. 70. Stowe Longa cum Catworth Parua—Q. Prebend serued by a

curat. 1'. cur. 10li. stip. P. The prebendarie. I. Brudenell Moseley.

 D. Bac; in Arts. R. est. Com. 120.
 SVAINSHEAD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 13s. 6d. ob. [K.B. 12li. 13s. 6½d.]. P. Sr Edw: Wingfeild. I. Thomas Dawson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 130.

Thuring [sic]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 4s. 2d. P. John Bingnet. <sup>4</sup> I. John Bingnet. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 70.

Winwick-Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. V. vic. 7li. [K.B. 7li. 16s. 10d.]. P. Sr Edw: Montague. I. Richard Neale. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 130.

WOOLEY-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 9li. 9s. 2d. P. Sr Thomas Lovell. 1. Francis Calthrop.<sup>5</sup> D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 95.

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# [COM: HUNTINGDON:] Sti IUONIS DECANAT:

Berie cum Hethmansgroue—O. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 10li. stip. P. S<sup>r</sup> Oliuer Crumwell. I. Robert Bray. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 140.

BLUNTISHAM CUM EARETH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 32li. 16s. od. ob. P. [The Kings Matie vel<sup>6</sup>] The L. B. of Elie. 1. Miles Bodley. D. Bac; of

Diuinit: R. est. Com. 250.

Broughton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 13s. 9d. P. Sr Oliuer Crumwell [Rob. Hodgson, gen. Jo: Christmas, gen., 1680<sup>2</sup>]. *I.* Nathaniell Keymis. *D.* Bac: of Diuinit: *R.* non. *Com.* 111.

Haliwell cum Needingworth-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 30li. 6s. 3d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tic</sup> [Comes Mancestriæ, 1680<sup>2</sup>]. I. Noah Boyer. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: London. R. est. Com. 290.

HERTFORD—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I. vic. 4li. 1s. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Richards. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Cooper. R. est. Com. 137.

Hougton cum Witton-Q. P'ge prop. I. 34li. 17s. 4d. ob. Sr Thomas Gorge in right of his wife the Marquesse of Northampton.

2 Added by a later hand. 3 Omitted in error.

4 He is less correctly called 'Bignet' at p. 212.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>5 &#</sup>x27;Sculthorp' elsewhere (see pp. 167, 210; Comp., under date 5 Aug., 1587; L.C., 1614, f. 149d.). Struck out.

I. Paule Tompson. D. Bac: of Diuin: Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: R.

non. Com. 183.

RAMSEY—O. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but served by a Curat. I'. cu: 8li. stip. P. Sr Oliner Crumwell. I. Hen: Sampson. D. Bac: in Arts. R. est. Com. 500.

RIPTON ABBALIS—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 21li. 7s. 6d. P. The L. St John. I. Tobie Bland. D. Bac: in Diuin: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. non.

Com. 146.

RIPTON REGIS—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 11li. 19s. 7d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Randolphe Barlow. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. non.

Com. 87.

St Iues cum Oldhurst et Woodhurst Capellis—(). P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 15s. P. Thomas Audeley, Esq. 1. James Yate. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. non. Com. 1000.

Somersham cum Pedley et Colne Capellis—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 40li. 2s. 1d. [K.B. 40li. 4s. 7d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. [Henry Cæsar<sup>1</sup>] [Samuel Collins<sup>2</sup>]. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dist. [4<sup>2</sup>]. Pr. L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 549.

Steukeley Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 13s. 2d. P. Trinitie Hall in Cambridg. I. Thomas Foster. D. Mr of

Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 280.

STEUKELEY PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. I. 13li. [K.B. 13li. 13s. 1\frac{1}{2}d.]. P. Mr Garth [W<sup>m</sup> Buggin, Esq.\frac{2}{3}]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Halles. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dup. Wistowe in eadem dec: Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 4. Pr. L. R. est. Com. 120.

Raueley Parua—Q. Capella. 1'. curat. 50s. stip. P. The Inhabitants place him, I. Erasmus Hun, D. Bac: in Arts. R. est. Com. 38.

VPWOOD CUM RAUELEY MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. but serued by a Curat. I. cu: 8li. stip. P. Sr Oliuer Crumwell. I. John Crowther. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 200.

Warbies—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 27li. 10s. P. Sr Oliuer Crumwell. 1. Francis Dorington. D. Dr in Divinit: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 300.

WISTOWE—Q. P'ge prop. I. 10li. [K.B. 10li. 17s.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Oliuer Crumwell. I. W<sup>m</sup> Hales. D. Dr in Diuinit:  $D\bar{n}p$ . Steukley parua. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 4. R. est. Com. 130. Folio 24.

[COM: HUNTINGDON:] Si NEOTI DEC:

Abbotsley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. [K.B. 8li. 17s.]. P. Ballioll Colleg in Oxon. I. James Aspinall. D. Bac: of Arts.  $\bar{R}$ . est. Com. 90.

Buckdex—Q. Prebend end. with a vic. I. vic. 8li. P. The Prebendarie, Dr Smith. 1. Robert Hasill. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Com. 440.

Dodington—Q. P'ge approp. as it is sup: end. with a vic. I' vic. 7li. 4s. 9d. ob. P. Merton Colleg in Oxon. I. He: Marriet. D. Noc

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 73.

EINSBURIE—Q. P'ge approp.3 I'. 32li. 2s. 9d. P. Sr Richard Dyer [Comes Sandwich, 1689<sup>2</sup>]. I. Thomas Wilson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 160.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> A mistake for 'prop.

Fenistanton cum Hilton Cap:—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. IIIi. [K B. IIIi. IIs.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Trinitie Hall in Cambridge. I. Francis Smith. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 350.

EVERTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 6li. 13s. 8d. P. Clare Hall in Cambridge. I. Thomas Johnson. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 132. Recus. 2 men, 4 women.

Godmanchester—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 17li. os. 4d. ob. P. The Deane and Chapter of Westminster. I. John Wiborne. D. Bac: of Divinitie, Dup. Catworth Mag:, dec: Lavtonstone. Qual'u. Degree. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Oxon. R. est. Com. 800.

Gransden Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 5li. 7s. P. Clare Hall in Cambridg. I. Nathaniell Brabin. D. Mr in Arts. R.

est, Com. 220.

Hemingford Abbatis—Q. P'ge prop.  $\Gamma$ . 26li. 14s. 4d. P. Sr Tho: Gorge in right of his wife the marquesse of Northamp: I. Bartholomewe Chamberlaine. D. Dr in Dininit: Dup. Hemingford Gray. Qual'n.

Degree. Dist. 1. Pr. L. R. non. Com. 140.

HEMINGFORD GRAY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. 16s. 10d. ob. P. [Trinitie Hall in Cambridg<sup>1</sup>] [Ep'us Eliensis<sup>8</sup>]. I. Bartholm: Chamberlaine. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dup. Hemingford Abbatis. Qual'n, Degree. R. est. Com. 130.

OFFORD CLUNIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 19li. 2s. 1d. P. The L. B. of London. I. John Atkins.<sup>2</sup> D Mr in Arts. Dup. Offord Darcie. Dist. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. Pr. L per Ep: Lincol., 1580. R. est. Com. 105.

Offord Darcie—(). P'ge prop. 1. 15li. 2s. 8d. ob. P. Mr Shellev.

I. John Atkins. R. non. Com 120.

Paxton Mag: cum Paxton parua et Toysland—Q. P'ge appropend, with a vic. V. vic. 16li. 2s. 11d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincol: I. Thomas Atkins. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 369.

St NEOTS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. U. vic. 10li. P. The Kings Matie. I. Peter White. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Eaton in arch: Bedford. *Qnal'n*. By the late B: of Duresm: *Dist.* 2. *Pr*. L. per Arch:

Cant: R. non. Com. 500.

Southoe cum Hayleweston—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I'. vic. 14li. 2s. 2d. P. John Baldwin, Esq. I. John Paine. D. Mr in Arts.

R. est. Com. 266.

STOUGHTON MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 20li. P. [John Baldwin, Esq.<sup>1</sup>] [Coll: Divi Joannis Bap<sup>tae</sup> apud Oxon; 1687<sup>a</sup>]. I. Gervase Walker. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 446. Wearisley—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 16s. 8d.

P. Pembrok Hall in Cambridg. 1. Thomas Peachie. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Forrebie in com. Lincol: Dist. 80. Pr. non L. R. non. Com. 130.

YELLING—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 10s. 5d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Leonard Nightingale. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 97.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Atkinson' (see L.R.S., ii, 67; above, pp. 141, 167; cp. above, p. 57; Comp., under date 26 Oct., 1574). Added by a later hand.

Folio 25. [COM: HUNTINGDON:] YAXLEY DECANATUS

A1LTON-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 23li. 9s. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Dickenson. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 309. Recus. I man, I woman.

ALWALTON—O. P'ge prop. 1'. oli. 6s. 1od. P. The Deane and Chapter of Peterborrough. 1. John Palmer. D. Dr in Diuinit: R. non.

Com. 98.

Bottlebridge—Q. P'ge prop. I. 8li. 6s. 10d. ob. P. Sr Wm Revner of Stanton le Woldes in Nottingham. 1. Henery Thorne. D. Noe

grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 60.

CALCOTT alias CALDECOTT—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 3s. 6d. ob. Sr Edw: Montague [Feoffers of Mr Newcome<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Hunt. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 43.

Сневтектои—P'ge prop. Г. 17li. 3s. 4d. P. Sr Robert Bevell. I.

W<sup>m</sup> Airodde.<sup>2</sup> D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 76. Connington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 6s, 8d. P. The L. Harrington and Sr Robert Colton vicibus alternis. I. Henery Williamson. D. Bac: in Diuinit. Dup. Gidding parua, Laytonstone dec: Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 4. Pr. L. per Vniner: Cant: R. non. Com. 48.

DENTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 13s. 6d. ob. P. Sr Robert Colton. I. W<sup>m</sup> Garfield. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Sawtrey St Andrew, dec: eodem. Qual'n. non. Dist. \( \frac{1}{2} \). Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, 1589. R. est. Com. 57.

FLETTON—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 9li. 3s. 9d. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Ellis. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 91.

FALKESWORTH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 6s. 3d. P. Sr Edw: Montague [Mr John Casle, 1630, 1645<sup>1</sup>]. I. Clement Cook. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 50.

GLATTON CUM HOLME CAPLA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 8s. 11d. ob. P. Robert Pavie of London, haberdasher. I. Alexander Whatton. D.

noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 343.

HADDON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 5s. P. [Georg Lime of Southwick in com. Northampton, Esq.<sup>3</sup>] [John Dryden, Esq., 1682<sup>1</sup>]. Walter Lime. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 71.

Morborne—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 10li. 6s. 6d. ob. P. Anthonie Forrest. Esq. [Eliz Colet, vidua, pro hac alterna vice, 16831]. I. Henery For-

rest. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 60.

Overton Longavill-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 6s. 5d. ob. P. St W<sup>m</sup> Reyner. I. Everard Digbigh. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Dup. Glaston in com. Rutland. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 13. Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: R. est. Com. 80.

OVERTON WATEVILL—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 12li. 11s. 4d. ob. P. Pembroke Hall in Cambridg. I. Walter Whalley. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Pr.

L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Com. 84.

SAWTREY ALL SAINTS—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. The L. Candish. Sr Edw: Watson. I. Miles Hales. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 104.

Sawtrey S<sup>t</sup> Andrewes—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 8li. 12d. ob. P. John Cronwalles, Esq. [Jo: Cotton, Barr:, 1689<sup>1</sup>]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Garfield. D. Mr in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Acrodde' (see pp. 167, 211; P.D., 1587, no. 1).
<sup>8</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

Arts. Dup. Denton in eodem dec: Qual'n. non. Dist. 1. Pr. L. per

Ep: Lincol: R. est. Com. 98.

STANGROUND CUM FORSHEAD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 6s. 10d. ob. P. Emanuell Colleg in Cambridg. I. Samuell Starling. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. R. non. Com. 276. Folio 26.

Steepington—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 13s. 6d. ob. I. Abell Smith. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Dup. Thornow in com. Northampton. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 1. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Com. 107.

STILTON—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 10li. [K.B. 11li. 5s. 10d.]. P. The L.

B. of Lincol. I. Edw: Germaine. D. Dr in Diuinit; Pr. L. R. non. Com. 129. Recus. I man, I woman.

Waternewton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 9s. 2d. P. Christopher Smith, Esq. 1. Samuell Willingham. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Com. 73.

WOODSTONE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 11s. 3d. P. St Anthonie Mildmaye. I. Robert Barnewell. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Com. 96.

Woodwalton-Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 11li. P. Gilbert Pickering, Esq., and W<sup>m</sup> Marshall, gent. I. Joseph Walter. D. Bac: in Dininit: Pr.

non L. R. est. Com. 120.
YAXLEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 11li. P. [The Earle of Lincolne<sup>1</sup>] [D'nus Rex<sup>2</sup>]. I. Thomas Brodehurst. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est Com. 280.

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## AKELEY DECANATUS

Asbie de la Zouche-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 14li. 10s. 5d. P. The Earle of Huntington. I. Arthur Hildersham. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 700.

Barrow cum Membris Quarndon, Woodhurste & Part of MOUNTSARELL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 15li. [K.B. 15li. 28.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Robert Rustat. D. Mr of Arts. Dup. Skelfington in dec: Gascott. Qual'n. By the Earle of Hunt: Dist.
9. Pr. L: per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 600.
Belton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 18s. 4d. P.

The Earle of Huntington. 1. Daniell King. D. Bac; of Arts. Pr. non.

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 227.

Breedon cum Membris—O. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic: but serued by a Curat. 17. Br. 16li. 13s. 4d. stip.; Worthington 12li. P. The Kings Matie. 1. Hen: Heywood. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 522. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

Castledonington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. 2s. 3d. ob. P. Humphrey Atterly, in Com: Warwick, gent. [Hen: Markham, 1681<sup>2</sup>]. I. Peter Wood. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 380.

Coldorton—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 10li. 6s. ob. P. Sr Henery Beau-

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

mont. I. James Stacie. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. Com. 160.

DISWORTH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 4li. P. Thomas Gray, Esq. I. Hen: Twittie. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 133.

DISHLEY—Q. P'ge approp. not end with a vie: but serued by a Curat. I'. cu: ôli. 13s. 4d. stip: P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Thomas

Wilson. D. Noe grad: R. est. Com. 132.

HATHURNE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. P. Samuel Elmer [James Abney, Esq.,  $1682^{\tilde{i}}$ ].  $\tilde{I}$ . Thomas Barrowdale.  $\tilde{D}$ . Mr in Arts.  $\tilde{Pr}$ . L. per Ep: Lond:, Elmer. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 183.

[Swithland—Q. P'ge prop. I'. roli. 4s. 6d. P. Kings Majesty<sup>1</sup>].

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KEGWORTH—O. P'ge prop. V. 25li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. Christ College in Cambridg. I. John Ireton. D. Bac: in Divinit: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 335. Recus. 4 men.

[Loc<sup>2</sup>] KINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 6li. 7s. 3d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Benbridge, gent. I. John Crafts. D. Bac; in Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 311.

[Lo<sup>2</sup>] NGWHATTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Boilston. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 204.

Loughborowe—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 40li. 16s. 3d. P. Eman: Coll: in Camb: I. John Browne. D. Bac: in Diuin: R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

1200.

Onelippe—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 4s. 4d. ob P. Walter Ashton, gent. I. Robert Cooper. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 54.

OSGATHORP—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. P. The Earle of Huntington. I. W<sup>m</sup> Robinson. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 70.

PACKINGTON—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 15s. 10d. P. The Earle of Huntington. 1. Richard Sowter. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 230.

Seale alias Nether Seale—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 8s. 11d. ob. P. Edw: Stanley. I. Walter Royle. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R.

est. Hosp. est. Com. 240. Recus. I woman.

Shepshead—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 10s. P. Sr Henerie Beaumont. I. Peter Alerenshaw. D. Noe grad: R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 392.

SWEPSTONE ET SNARSTONE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 18s. 4d. P. Sr Thomas Humphrey. I. Nicholas Beale. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L: per Ep: Peterbor:, Tho:, Edm: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 250. Recus. 1

Thurcaston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 23li. 7s. 8d. ob. P. Emanuell Coll: in Cambridg. I. Brate [sic] Babington [W<sup>m</sup> Web<sup>1</sup>]. D. Dr in Diuinit:

[Mr of Arts.1] Com. 216.

WHITWEAKE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. oli. 14s. 7d. P. Sr Henerie Beaumont. I. Hen: Barloe. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 317.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The manuscript has been injured.

### FRAMLAND DECANATUS

BARKSTONE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 5s. 5d.

P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Peter Sergeant. Com. 123.

BOTTESFORD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 51li. 5s. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Samuel Flemyng. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dup. Cottenham in com. Cant., Eliens: dioces: Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 48. Pr. L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 477.

Broughton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 5s. 7d. ob. P. Sr Andrew Noell. I. W<sup>m</sup> Smith. D. noe grad: Dup. Whatton V: in com. Nott:

Qual'n. non. Dist. 5 R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 124.

ВUСКМІКЅТЕК—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 16s.

[K.B. 8li. 7s. 3½d.]. P. The Countesse of Shrewesterie. I. W<sup>m</sup> LLoyd. D. Bae: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 232.

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Burrow—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 12li. P. Sr John Burrow [Rachel Burrow, '831]. I. Erasmus Burrow. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 80.

Braunston-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 15li. 10s. 5d. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Robert Grace. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Aram R: in com. Nott: Qual'n. By the Arch.B. of Cant. Dist. 10. Pr. L. per Univer: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 160.

Coldoverton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 12s. 3d. ob. P. St John Spencer. I. Edw: Cowper. Dup. Seagrave R., dec: Gascott. Qual'n. By the L. Barkley. Dist. 9. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 124.

CLAXTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 9s. 5d. [K.B. 19li. 10s. 2d.]. P. Sr Andrew Noell. I. Thomas Wright. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 335.

Coston—Q. P'ge prop. I. 16li. 6s. 3d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

Gilbert Witherall. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com 95. CROXTON KERIALL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 7li. 15s. 5d. ob. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Richard Neale. D. Noe grad. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 160.

Dalbie Parua—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. P. Valentine Hortopp, gent. I. Edw: Inkersall. D. Noe grad. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 120.

Eastwell—(). P'ge prop. I'. 9li, 12s. 1d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Dodd. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

Eaton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 11s. 3d. P. Robert Baker and Ralph Jackson in right of his wife. I. Thomas Cauont.<sup>2</sup>

D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 140. Edmundthorp—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 12s. 7d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Stephen Beaver. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Ashwel in com. Rutland. Qual'n. By the Lord Montioye. Dist. 2. Pr. L: per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 212.

GARTHORP—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 10s. [K.B. 7li. 5s. 2d.]. P. Sr Edward Watson. I. Christopher Richardson. D.

Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 94.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.
<sup>2</sup> 'Cawnte' in *L.C.*, 1614, f. 133.

[GOODBEY<sup>1</sup>] [GOADBY MAWRWOOD<sup>2</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. P. Sr Georg Villers, [1680 $^{\circ}$ ]. I. John Bishop. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. per

Ep: Lincol: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 100.

Horbie-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. P. The Earle of Rutland. I.
Robert Snowdon. D. Dr in Diuin: Dup. Hickling in Com. Nott:

Onal'n. Degree. Dist. 2. Hosp. est. Com. 230.

HORSTON—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 8li. 20d. P. The King's Matie. I. Thomas Davemport. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 54.

Hose—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 4s. 2d. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. John Hickling. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp.

est. Com. 164.

Kerbie Bellare—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic: but serued by a Cur. I'. cu: 12li. stip. P. [blank] Sheldon, of Beelie [sic]. I. Henery

Merke. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est Com. 200. КЕТТLЕВІЕ—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 15li. 10s. 3d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Hortop, gent. I. Thomas Neale. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. *Hosp.* est. *Com.* 133. Folio 29.

KNIPTOH—Q. P'ge prop. V. 16li. 12s. 3d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Watson.

I. W<sup>m</sup> Ward. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Com. 126.

MELTON CUM MEMBRIS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 16li. 8s. od. P. W<sup>m</sup> Digbie, Esq: I. Isaak Cooper. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 910.

Musrox—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 13s. 1d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Sircott. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

PLUNGOR—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 4s. [sic]. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Richard Hickman. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp.

est. Com. 99.

REDMELL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 9s. 2d. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Bryan Vincent. D. Bac: in Diuinit: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 170.

Saltbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 7li. Earle of Rutland. 1. Thomas Rowse. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp.

est. Com. 88.

Saxbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. P. Sr Phillip Sherrard, Sr Georg Caluerley. I. John Lorington. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 76.

Scalford—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 8li. 22d. ob. P. Nevill Barsey, gent. I. Win Bincks. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 160.

Somerbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 6li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 6li. 16s. 8d.]. P. Thomas Greene, yeoman [Anne Greene, vid:, 1685, Febr.<sup>2</sup>]. I. Edward Pollard. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 146.

Sproxto $\mu$ =0. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 9li. os. 5d. q. [K.B. 7li, 4s. 4d.]. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. John Whitehead. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 122.

STAPLEFORD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 13li. 6s. 4d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand. 2 Added by a later hand,

[K.B. 13li.]. P,  $S^r$  Phillip Sherrard. I. Zacharie Jenkinson. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 240. Statherne—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 3s. 1d. ob. P. [The Earle of

Rutland<sup>1</sup>] [Coll. S<sup>n</sup> Petri, Cantabr., 1690<sup>2</sup>]. *I.* Roger Rudd. *D.* Mr of Arts. *Pr.* L: per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickam. *R.* est. *Hosp.* est. *Com.* 230. [Stonesby—Q. Vic. I. vic. 5li. 6d. P. Joh'es De La Fountaine,

THORPE ARNOLD -Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 6li. 10s. [K.B. 6li. 178.  $8\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. John Hawford, yeoman. I. Zacharie Hawford.

Com. 162. Recus. 3 women.
Waltham—Q. P'ge prop. V. 19li. 5s. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. John Bringhest. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 167.

WIFORDBIE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. P. Georg Smith, Esq. I. John Hutchin. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 24. WIMONDHAM—Q. P'ge prop. I. 12li. P. W<sup>m</sup> Gulson, Cl'icus. I. W<sup>m</sup> Gulson. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Peterb:, Howland. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 160.

#### GARTRE DECANATUS

[Bowden Mag. Cum Capellis Stae Mariæ in Arderne, Sti Dion-YSII IN MARKET HARBOROUGH, & BOWDEN MAG.—Q. Vic. P. Deane & Chapt<sup>r</sup> of Christs Church in Oxford<sup>2</sup>].

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Bellesdon cum Rolleston et Goodbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 14li. 10s. P. Sr Wm Skeffington. I. Anthonie Cade. D. Bac: in Diuin: Dup. Alaxton in dec: Gascott. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 5. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 431. Recus. I woman.

Barsworth Husband—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 24li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. Erasmus Smith, Esq. I. John Duport. D. Dr in Diuinit: Dup. Medborne in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the Kings Matie. R. non. Hosp. non. Com. 320.

Burton Ouerrie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 5s. 10d. P. Wm Burditt, cl'icus. I. W<sup>m</sup> Burditt. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol. R.

est. Hosp. est. Com. 217.

Bringhurst cum Easton et Draytox—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I. vic. 11li. [K.B. 11li. 15s.]. P. [The Deane and Chapter of Peterb:<sup>1</sup>] [Sr Lewes Watson, k't and Baronett<sup>2</sup>]. I. [Richard Lee<sup>1</sup>] [Jonathan Coxe<sup>2</sup>]. D. Noe grad: Pr. L: per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 403.

CARLETON CURLEW AND PART OF ILSTON—O. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 18s. 11d. [K.B. 18li. 15s. 10d.]. P. John Bale, gent. [Galfr'us Palmer, 1684<sup>2</sup>]. I. Hugh Weston. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Narborow in dec: Goodlaxton. Qual'n. By the Earle of Worcester. Dist. 7. Pr. non L.

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 76.

Скахно-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 16s, 8d. P. John Brudnell, Esq. I. Thomas Hill. D. Mr in Arts Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 56.

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Foxon—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: U. vic. 7li 3s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Richard Jorden. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 200.

GLEN MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. [7. vic. 12li. 8s. [K.B. 12li. 14s. 2d.]. P. M<sup>r</sup> Neale. I. John Clark. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. L: per Ep: Lincolne, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 238.

GALBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 2s. 6d. P. Thomas Tookey, cl'icus. I. Thomas Tookey. D. Bac: in Diuin: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 173.

GLORESTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. P. Edw: King, Esq. [Ro: Comes Cardigan, '87¹]. I. Arthur Greenough. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 64.

GUMLEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 2s. 6d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincolne. I. James Bingley. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L.

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 110.

HALLOUGHTON EX PARTE BOREALI—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 6s. 8d. [K.B. 18li. 13s. 4d.]. P. Francis Dent of London, Merchant. I. Harold Patchet. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. [sec next entry].

HALLAUGHTON EX PARTE AUSTRALI—Q. P'ge prop. V. 18li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 17li. 6s. 8d.]. P. [Thomas Hasilrige, Esq.<sup>2</sup>] [Miles Hasilrige, Bar<sup>t</sup>, '83<sup>1</sup>]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Welch. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 405

[in partibus boreali et australi].

HORNINGHOLD—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic: I'. vic. 6li. 16s. 8d. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Turpin. I. Roger Vaudrey. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 96.

Houghton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 12s. ob. [K.B. 16li. 1s.  $o_2^1d$ .]. P. Bryan Caue, Esq. I. Christopher Pollard. D. Noe grad: Pr. non.

L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 189.

Kibworth [Kibworth Beauchami<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 35li. 15s. 5d. [K.B. 39li. 15s.]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>ie</sup>. I. John Berridg. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Shelton in dec: Eaton, Arch: Bedford. Qual'n. By the L. S<sup>t</sup> John. Dist. 19. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com 444.

KNOSSINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 118. 8d. P. Sr James Harington. I. Rich: Sampson. D. Bac. in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp.

est. Com. 113.

Laughton cum membris—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 10s. 5d. P. Sr Edw: Griffin. I. Thomas Osborne. D. Dr in Diuin: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 670. Folio 31.

LOWGHTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 10s. 5d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Cotton, gent. I. Thomas Cotton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est.

Com. 118.

Lubbenham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I. vic. 8li. 5s. P.  $M^r$  Grimes. I. Georg Stranginarme. D. Noe grad: Pr. L: per Ep:

Lincol: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 261.

MEDBORNE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 33li. 6s. 8d. [K.B. 35li. 11s.  $o_2^1d$ .]. P. S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Nevill. I. John Duport. D. Dr in Dininit: Dup. Husbands Bosworth, dec: eodem. Qual'n. By the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. Dist. 8. R. non. Hosp. est. Com. 243.

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NORTON IUXTA GALBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 7li. P. W<sup>m</sup> Whalley. I. Thomas Ruddington. D. Ba: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 154.

Noseley and part of Ilston—Q. P'ge approp. with a free Chappell as it is sayd. V. cur. 13li. 13s. 4d., besides his table for stip. P. Thom: Hasilrig, gent. I. Rich: Hopkinson. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Peterbor:, Howland. Com. 41.

Owston—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic: but serued with a Curat. I'. cur. 20li. stip. P. The L. Harington. I. Rob't Campbell. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 152.

Pickwell-Q. P'ge prop. V. 16li. P. Wm Caue, Esq. I. Wm Pocklington. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 120.

Saddington—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 19li. 2s. 6d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Rich: Holland. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 110.

SCRAPTOFT—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. 10s. P. Hen: Wigley, gent. I. Hen: Sterk. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. est. Hosp. est. Com. 106.

St Maries in Arden—Q. P'ge approp. serued by 3 Curats. I'. cur. 10li. quilibet. P. Christchurch in Oxon. I. Thomas Hodgson. D. B:

in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 881.

Shankton--Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 10li. 13s. 4d. P. Matthew Sanders, Esq. [Justinianus Isham, Bar., 1689<sup>1</sup>]. I. John<sup>2</sup> Corney. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 69.

SLAWSTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 5s. 7d. ob. P. John Brudnell, Esq. I. [blank] Tompson. D. Mr in Arts. Pr.

non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 129.

Stokerston—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. P. John Burton, gent. [Sr Tho: Burton, 1681<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rob't Paine. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 70.
Stanton Wiuell—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 18s. 11d. ob. P. John

Brudnell, Esq. I. Paul Brudnell. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 78.

Thedingworth—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. Elizabeth Broccas, vidua. I. Leanard Ward. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Winwick in Com. North't', Ep: Linc: Patron: Qual'n. By the Ladie An Montegle in her widowhood. Dist. 7. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Cooper. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 205.

THURNBIE CUM BUSHBIE ET STOUGHTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 10li. 19s. 10d. P. [Sr Thomas Beaumont<sup>3</sup>] [Sr Henry Beaumont, Bartt., '851]. I. Roger Croseley. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per

Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 249.

Welham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic 6li. 3s. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Loasbie. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 86.

WISTOU CUM NEWTON, KILBIE ET FLECKNEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. Kilb: 5li. sti.; F: 8li. sti.; vic. 9li. 10d.; rec. onely

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'William' (see p. 217; L.C. 1614, f. 130).

12li. 6s. 8d. P.  $M^r$  Browne in right of his wife. K:—Francis Chamberlaine. F:— $W^m$  Noell, gent:, and Anne Crafts, widow. I. Rob't Watts. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 335. Folio 32.

GOODLAXTON DECANATUS

[AILEST<sup>3</sup>]ON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 31li. 8s. 11d. ob. P. Sr Georg Mannors. 1. John Heathcoat. D. B: in Diuin: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 250.

Ashbie Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 10s. od. ob. q. [K.B. 7li. 18s.  $11\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Richard Cattell, yeoman. I. Thomas Mason. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R, est. Hosp. est. Com. 110.

Mason. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 110.

Ashbie Parua—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 7s. 6d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

I. Thomas Bracegirdle. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est.

Com. 8o.

ASTON FLAMVILL CUM BURBAGE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 12s. 8d. ob. P. The Earle of Kent. I. Anthonie Gray. D. noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 24o.

BITTESWELL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. 3s. od. ob. q. P. W<sup>m</sup> Crafts, gent. I. [blank] Tilley. D. noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 8o.

BLABIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 5s. P. [Sir Georg Belgraue<sup>1</sup>] [King's Maj<sup>tiè<sup>2</sup></sup>]. I. [blank] Hinton. D. Dr in Diuin: R. non. Hosp. non. Com. 300.

BROUGHTON ASHLEY—Q. P'ge prop. V. 26li. 10s. 10d. P. The L. Gray. I. Francis White. D. Ba: in Diuin: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 240.

BRUNTINGTHORP—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 7s. 6d. P. Edw: Clark, father of the Incumbent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Clark. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 115.

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CROFT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 3s. 4d. P. Edw: Turvill, Esq. I.
John Shenton. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 100.
Cosbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 13s. 4d. I.

Thomas Needham. D. noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 212.

COTTESBITCH—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 6s. 8d. P. John Quarles of London, gent. I. Henery Dillingham. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 72.

CLEYBROOK—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 30li. 5s. [K. B. 30li. 10s. 5d.]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Higginson. D. Mr in

Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 437.

Desford—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 9s. 7d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thom: Bonnie. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 215.

Dunton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 12d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Hewet, gent. I. John Chawner. D. noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 110.

EARNESBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 16s. 8d. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Fawnt. I. Rich: Langley. D. noe grad. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 90.

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Elmesthorp-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. Sr Hen: Harrington. I. Rob't Crompton [James Rudd<sup>1</sup>]. D. noe grad: [D. Mr Art<sup>1</sup>].

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 10.

ENDERBIE CUM WHESTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 10li. 3s. 9d. [K.B. 10li. 8s. 9d.]. P. [Thomas Ward, gent.<sup>2</sup>] [Thomas Dolman, mil., 1678.<sup>1</sup>] I. Zacharie [blank]<sup>8</sup>. Com. 350.

Foston—O. P'ge approp.<sup>4</sup> I'. 14li. 2s. 3d. ob. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Fawnt. I. Francis Mounsfield. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est.

Com. 90.

FROLESWORTH—O. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 10s. P. Francis Staresmore, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Staresmore. D. no grad: Pr non. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 147.

GILMORTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 14s. 9d. ob. P. John Wale,

yeoman. I. Edw: Hawtord. D. noe grad: R. est. Com. 180.

GLENFIELD KIRBIE ET BRAUNSTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 9s. 9d. ob. P. Sr Walter Hastings. I. Edw: Howe. D. no grad: Dup. Misterton in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the L. Haroden. Dist. 10. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. R. est. Com. 178. Recus. 2 men, 2 women.

KILMECOATE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 20li. 16s. 3d. P. Sr Fulk Greveil. I. John Stocton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. non. Com. 210.

KNAPTOFT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 34li. 12s. 6d. [K.B. 32li. 12s. 6d.]. P. The Lad: Turpin, vid. I. John More. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per

Ep: Lincol:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 300.

LEARE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 10s. [K.B. 9li. 14s.  $9\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. The Earle of Kent. 1. Alexander Shepperd. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Buckingham Vic., in com. Buck: Onal'n. By the Earle of Worcester. Dist. 28. Pr. L: per Ep: Lincoln, Wickam. R. non. Hosp. non. Com. 70. LUTTERWORTH—Q. P'ge prop. V. 26li. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

Edw: Clements. D. Mr in Arts. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 564.

MISTERTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 13s. 4d. P. Sr John Poultney. I. Edw: Howe. D. noe grad: Dup. Glenfield in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the L. Haroden. Dist. 10. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: R. non. Com.

NARBOROW HUNCOTT—Q. P'ge prop. V. 26li, 14s. 8d. ob. P. John Bale, gent. I. Hugh Weston. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Carleton and [sic] Curlewe, dec. Gartre. Qual'n. By the Earle of Worcester.

Pr. non L. Com. 204.

NORTHKILWORTH—O. P'ge prop. V. 25li. [K.B. 15li. os. 5d.]. Francis Cherrie of London, Merchant. I. [blank] Buckerige. D. Dr

in Diuin: Com. 120.

Thurleston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 9s. 7d. [K.B. 13li. 19s. 7d.]. P. Edw: Turvill, gent. I. Rich: Sherwood. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Norvig: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 120.

ODEBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 8li. P. John Waldram the yonger, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Andrew. D. noe grad: Pr. non L.

R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 350.

PEATLING MAGNA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 5li. 9s.

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<sup>3</sup> I.e. Zacharie Goddell (Cp. L.C. 1614. f. 119d.).

2d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Jervis, yeom'. I. Tho: Pollard. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L.

per Ep: Lincoln, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 130.

SAPCOTT—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 11s. 7d. ob. P. Sr John Tufton [Jo: Pettiward, Ar.; et Gul: Mart, Novr, 1685°, Comes Huntingdon', 1681°]. I. John Worship. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 162.

Peatling Parua—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 14s. 11d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Randall Woodcock. D. B: in Diuinit: R. est. Hosp. est.

Com. 60.

Shawell—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. P. Henery Leigh, gent. I. John Hodgkinson. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 122.

SHEMFORD [SHERNFORD<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 18s. 9d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Allan Washington. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L: per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 151.

Southkilworth—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 8s. 1d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Gest. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 75.

STONIE STANTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 13s. 1d. ob. P. Jerome Poole, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Scampton. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per dom: Ep:

Lincoln, Wickam. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 140,

SWINFORD -Q. P'ge prop. [sic] end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 7s. 11d. P. Francis Leigh, gent. I. Humphrey Thomas. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 80.

Thorp Thomas Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 5s. 2d. ob. P. Nicholas Britton, gent. I. Thomas Lee. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 77.

WILLOUGHBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 11s. 3d. P. [The L. Gray, of Greubie<sup>2</sup>] [Tho: Comes Stamford<sup>n</sup>]. I. Robert Debanck. D. B: of

Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 106.

Wiggeston—Q. P'ge prop. [sic] end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 8s. 9d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Tho: Thornton. D. Ba: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 380.

## GOSCOTE DECANATUS

Alaxton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 18s. 4d. P. The L. Crumwell. I. Anthonie Cade. D. B: in Diuin: Dup. Billesden in dec: Gartree. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 5. Pr. L. per Vniuers; Cant: R. non. Hosp.

non. Com. 47.

Ashbie Fulwell—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic 9li.
P. Francis Smith, Esq. I. W<sup>m</sup> Child. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp.

est. Com. 226. Recus. 5 men, 2 women.

Asfordbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. 11s. 8d. P. Sr Percivall Willoughbie. I. Martin Hill. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 200.

BARKBIE—Q. P'ge prop. [sic] end. with a vic: I'. vic. 10li. P. John Stanford, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Gibson. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 260.

Beebie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 2s. 6d. P. The L. Spenser [Comes

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Shaftesbury, 1690<sup>1</sup>]. 1. John Alsopp. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R.

est. Hosp. est. Com. 112.

Belgraue cum Burstall et Thrumaston—Q. P'ge approp. not end, with a vic: but serued by a Curat. I'. cur. 201i. stip. P. The L. B. of Liechfield. I. Laurence Bayly. D. [blank] in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. *Hosp.* est. *Com.* 483.

Brookesbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 12s. 6d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Villers, Esq. I. Richard Smith. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Ratherbie in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the L. Burrow. Dist.  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. non.

Com. 10.

Soth Croson—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 8li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. W<sup>m</sup> Key. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Wick-

am. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 130.

Cussington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 7s. 6d. [K.B. 17li. 7s. 6d.]. P. Mathewe Babington, Esq. 1. Brute Babington. D. Dr in Diuin: Dup. Thuraston [sic] in dec: Akeley. Onal'n. Degree. R. non. Hosp. non. Com. 121.

Dalbie Chacombe—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 8li. [K.B. 81i. 4s. 7d.]. P. Sr Thomas Conisbie. 1. Samuell Watts. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 126.

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Frisbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 7li. 15s. Nicholas Sharp, gent. [The L<sup>d</sup> Chancellor as under value in 1681<sup>1</sup>]. John Siluerwoode. D. B. in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 140.

Hobie—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 22li. 8s. 9d. P. The L. Barkley. I.  $W^m$ 

Read. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 140.

HUMBERSTONE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 8li. D' Chippingdale. I. Thomas Wilson. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. Hosp. est. Com. 120.

HUNGARTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 9li. 8s. 1d. ob. P. Brian Caue, Esq. I. Richard Nayler. D. noe grad: R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 196.

LOASBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 17s. od. ob. [K.B. 7li. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Fawnt. I. Nicholas Fisher. D. Mr in

Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Liechfield. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 70.

LODDINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic: but serued by a Curat. V. cur. 13li. 6s. 6d. P. The L. Crumwell. I. Edmund Washington. D. noe grad: R. est. //osp. est. Com. 160. Recus. 1 man.

Prestwold—Q. P'ge approp. not. end. with a vic. 1'. cur. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. The Countesse of Shrewseburie. I. W<sup>m</sup> Ward. D. noe grad:

Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 320.

QUENBORROWE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. Rob'tus Page, ar. [Doro: Wright, vid., 16801]. I. Francis Squier. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 225.

RAGDALE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic., but serued by a cur. P. Georg Shurley, Esq. I. Edw: Dalton. D. noe grad: Com. 40.

RATHERBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 8li. 8s 4d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Brett, gent. [Theo: Barnard, gen, 16821]. I. Richard Smith. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Brookesbie in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the L. Burrow. Dist.  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 80.

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RATCLIFF CUM WREAKE—O P'ge not approp. for the vicar hath all tiths whatsoeuer. V. vic. 7li. 17s. 8d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Richardson. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 55.

Rearesbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 9s. 7d. P. Mr Noble, gent., Sr Rob't Cotton. I. W<sup>m</sup> Whitaph. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 146.

SAXULBIE—O. P'ge prop. V. oli. P. Rob't Brookesbie, Esq. [Wm] Brett, Gen., 1680]. I. James Oxnard. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R.

est. Hosp. est. Com. 100. Recus. 2 women.

Seagraue—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. [K.B. 19li. 8s.  $11\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. The L. Barkley. I. Edw: Cowper. D. B: in Diuinit: Dup. Coldouerton in dec. Framland. Qual'n. By the L. Barkley. Dist. 9. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 178.

SILEBIE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. to his knowledg. I'. cur. 10li. stip. I. Thomas Chamberlaine. D. Mr in Arts Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp est. Com. 341.

Siston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 2s. 11d. P. The Convocac'on House of the Vniuersitie of Oxon. 1. Hugh Roberts.

D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 274.

SKEFFINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 12li. 13s. 9d.]. P. The Earle of Huntington. I. Rob't Rustat. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Barrow in dec: Akeley. Qual'n. By the Earle of Hunt: Dist. 9. Pr.

L. per Arch: Cant: R. non. Hosp. non. Com. 59.

Thrussington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. P. Sr Thom: Coningsby. I. W<sup>m</sup> Burne. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 140.

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TILTON—Q. P'ge approp end. with a vic. V. vic. 12li. 16s. 8d. P.  $M^r$  Colebie, gent. I.  $W^m$  Lant. D. Noe grad: Dnp. Wardley in Dioces: Peterb: Qual'n. By the Earle of Rutland. Dist. 5. Pr. L. per Ep: Peterb:, Scambler. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 230.

Tugbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. ['. vic. 11li. 8s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Brisbie. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 106.

Twiford—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 8li. [K.B. 8li. 8s. 6d.]. P. John Hunt, gent. I. Robert Scarborrow. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 245.

Waltox—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. P. Rob't Blunt, clericus. I. Rob't Blunt. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

Wimeswold—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. P. Trinitie Coll: in Cambridg. 1. Peter Rathbone. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 351.

## SPERKENHO DECANATUS

APPLEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. Edw: Staueley, gent. I. Hugh Blith. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 225.

BARWELL CUM STAPPLETON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 10s. 7d. ob. P. The L. Harrington. I. John Torksey.  $\hat{D}$ . B: in Diuin:  $\hat{R}$ . est. Hosp. est. Com. 284.

Cadebie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Wolston Dixie,

Esq. I. Laurence Bott. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:,

Wickham. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 72.

[Conston alias¹] Congeston—Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. Julius Watson, clericus. I. Julius Watson. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickham. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 6o.

EARLESHILTON, PART OF KIRKBIE MALLERIE SEQUEND'—Q. P'ge prop. P. W<sup>m</sup> Dilk, gent. I. W<sup>m</sup> Holdsworth. R. est. Hosp. est.

Com. 340.

FENNYDRAYTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 21d. ob. P. Georg Purefey, Esq. I. Anthony Nutter. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 90.

HEATHER—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 17s 8d. ob. P. Stephen Edward, gent. [Al: Duport, gent., 1681]. I. John Ashe. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 94.

HIGHAM—Q. P'ge prop. T. 7li. 9s. 4d. ob. P. The L. Gray. I. John Cawne. D. Ba: in Diuin: Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 130.

HINKLEY CUM STOKE GOLDING', WIKIN ET DADLINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 9s. 8d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Westminster. I. Jasper Griffith. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 435.

MARKET BOSWORTH CUM MEMBRIS—Q. P'ge prop. V. 55li. 18s. 4d. P. Wolston Dixey, Esq. I. W<sup>m</sup> Pelsant. D. Bac: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R est. Host. est. Com. 701. Recus 2 women

per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 704. Recus. 2 women.

Kirbie Mallerie [et Capell' Shilton']—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li.
P. W<sup>m</sup> Noell, Esq., or Georg Dilk, ge. I. W<sup>m</sup> Ällen. D. Mr in Arts.

Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 70.

MARKFIELD—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. os. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> or the Earle of Hunt: 1. Anthonie Briggs. D. Noe grad: R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 170.

[IBSTOCKE—Q. P'ge prop. P. The Kings Matie, Bp. Roff'. I. Je.

Laude<sup>1</sup>]. Folio 37.

NEILSON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 24li. 9s. 9d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Hubbuck. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

Newbold—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 8s. 11d. ob. P. The Earle of Shrewsburie. I. John Abell. D. Noe grad: Pr. L. per Ep: Peterbor;

Howland. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 100.

Norton Iuxta Twicrosse—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Royle. D. B. in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep. Lichfield. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 200.

ORTON SUPER MONTEM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 12s. 8d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Roger Spenser. D. Bac: in

Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 103.

Pickleton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. P. The L. Harrington. I. Thom: Dauie. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 66.

SHAKERSTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 2s. 3d. ob. P. Arthur Barfoot, ge. [Sir Edward Abney, knt., 1680¹]. I. John More. D. Noe grad; R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 200.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand,

Sheepie Boreal:—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 4s. 9d. ob P. Mr Ash-

ley, gent. [Mr Ayray1].

SHEEPIE AUSTR: CUM RATCLIFF CULIE—O P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 4s. 9d. ob. P. Mr Ashley, gent. [John Oneby, Wm. Almey and Robert Oneby, Decr., 1685<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Savage [Gregorie Kent, filius patroni<sup>1</sup>]. D. Mr of Arts [Bac: Art:<sup>1</sup>]. Dup. Sutton Bonington in Com: Nott: Qual'n. By Henery L. Barkley. Dist. 13. Pr. L. per Ep: Coventr:, Bentham. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 98. SIBESDON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. 19s. 9d. ob. P. [Gul: Bromley,

Ar:, 1689]. I. David Tuke. D. B: of Diuin: R. est. Hosp. est. Com.

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[Thurleston R.—I'. 13li. 9s. 7d. P. Tho: Paget<sup>2</sup>].

THORNETON CUM BAGWORTH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Henery Heild, gent. [Tho: Brailsford, gen., '841]. I. Georg Marvin. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 382.

TWICROSSE—Q. P'ge approp. serued by a Curat. I'. cu: 7li. stip. P. The Earle of Huntington. I. Henery Fewkes. D. Noe grad: R.

est, Com. 106.

WITHERLEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 2s. 3d. ob. P. Mr Edwards, in right of his wife. I. John Briggs. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L: per Ep: London, Elmer. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 132.

## LECESTER DECANATUS

ALL SAINTS IN LECESTER—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 3s. 9d. [K.B. 4li. 8s. 5d.]. I. Wm Rudyard. D. Noe grad: Pr. non R. est. Hosp. est.

St. Maries in Lecest:—Q. P'ge approp., vicar: concealed. I'. vic. 8li. V. cu: 8li. stip. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Jesson. D. Noe

grad: Com. 300.

St Martins in Lecest:—O. P'ge approp. yet a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 14s. 4d. I. Tho: Holmes. D. Bac; in Arts. Pr. non L. R. est. Hosp. est. Com. 150.

#### EXEMPTES

ROTHLEY CUM MEMBRIS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 11li. P. Humphrey Babington, Esq. 1. Adrian Babington. D. Mr in Arts. Hosp. est. Com. 500. Recus. 2 men, 2 women. Folio 38.

RATBIE CUM MEMBRIS—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. P. The L. Gray. I. W<sup>m</sup> White. D. Noe grad: Pr. non L. R. est.

Hosp. est. Com. 200.

# ARCHIDIACONATUS LINCOLN:

#### AUELAND DECANATUS

ASLACKBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 12li. 10s. 7d. ob. P. The Earle of Lincolne. I. Alexander Maborne. Com. 200.

1 Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand. See the entry relating to this parish on p. 294.

BILLINGBOURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 2od. P. The Earle of Lincolne. I. Anthonie Hill. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 220.

Borne-Q P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Jackson. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln, Wickham.

Com. 900.

Dunesbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 14s. 7d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Boulton. D. B: of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Wickam.

Demelbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 11s. 3d. P. Sr Richard Pell.

Rich: Tomlinson Com. 60.

Dowesbie—O. P'ge prop. 1. 12li. 7s. 6d. [K.B. 11li. 19s. 2d.]. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Rigdon [Redman Burrel, Ar., '82<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rob't Buckberie. non L. Com. 60.

Folkingham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. [K.B. 21li. 12s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P.

The Earle of Lincolne. I. John Hoskin. Com. 100.

Horbling—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 
U. vic. 6li. 9s. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Symon Bradstreet. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 260.

Haisbie-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 2s. 11d. P. Gabriell Savill, gent. I. Rob't Hawford. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 50.

HACKENBIE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 17s. 6d.

P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Tho: Gamon. Com. 200.

Kirkbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 3s. 4d. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. James Griffith. Dup. Little Paunton, dec: Grantham. Dist. 10. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 91.

Morron—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 22d. P. The I. Tho: Frank. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 440. I'. 9li. 22d. P. The L. B. of Lincoln.

NEWTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. P. Gabriell Savill, ge: I. Georg

Gamon. Pr. non L. Com. 85.

Osbornebie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 5d. P. The Ladie Buck. 1. Miles Whale. D. B: of Arts. Dup. Willowbie in eodem dec: Dist 1. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 160. Folio 39.

Ріскwortн—Q. P'ge prop. Г. 12li. 12s. 3d. ob. [K.B. 11li. 12s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Fawne Smallam, ge:, W<sup>m</sup> More, yeom'. I. W<sup>m</sup> Mapletoft.

Pr. non L. Com. 94.

RIPPINGALE DUARUM PARTIUM—Q. \ I. Rob't Collingwood. D. B. P'ge prop. 1'. 14li. 7s. 1d. P.  $\widetilde{W}^m$  in Arts. Qual'n. By the Earle Litster, gent.

RIPPINGALE 3tiae PARTIS—Q. P'ge (Pr. L. per Ep.: Lincoln. Com. prop. 1. 7li. 3s. 9d. P. Rob't Colling-\ 228. Recus. 1 man.

wood, clericus.

SWATON CUM SPANBIE CAP.—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. Ι'. vic. 12li. 7s. 1d. P. The Earle of Lincoln. I. Rich: Carrington. non L. Com. 208.

THREKINGHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 8s. 8d.

P. The Earle of Lincolne. I. Ralph Palfreyman. Com. 133.

WILLOUGHBIE-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 7li. 15d. P. John Towneley, Esq. [Comes Lindsey, 1682, Comes Lindsey, 16911]. I. Miles Whale.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

D. B: in Arts. Dup. Osbornebie in eodem dec: Dist. 1. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 22.

WALCOTT—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1'. cur: 53s. 4d.

stip. P. Thomas Cunney, Esq. I. Robert Rochford. Com. 50.

### BELTISLOWE DECANATUS

Basingthorp—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. 17s. 1d.

P. Thomas Cunney, Esq. Com. 80.

BITHAM MAG:—Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 13s. 4d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. W<sup>m</sup> Idle. Pr. 110n L. Com.

BITHAM PARUA—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. 8s. 4d.

P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. Walter Howse. Com. 65.

BITHFIELD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li. 11s. 5d. ob.

P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Rich: Edwards. Com. 106.

BIRTON-Q. P'ge prop. I. 16li. 12s. 3d. ob. P. The Kings Matie.

I. W<sup>m</sup> Pollard. D. B. of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep. Lincoln: Com. 140. Carebie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li, 17s. 1d. P. Sr John Hatcher. I.

W<sup>m</sup> Browne. Com. 40. Спетом—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 4li. 15s. 10d. P. John Hacket, ge: I. Humfrey Marsh. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 52.

Colsterworth—Q. P'ge prop. I. 14li. 10s. P. Wm Barkesdale, ge: I. Wm Hotchkin. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Stoke austr: in eodem dec. Qual'n. By the L. Arch: B: of York. Pr. L. Com. 80.

CORBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 12s. 3d. ob.

P. John Merridale, ge: I. Rich: Elame. Com. 182.

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EDNAM-Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1. cur. 13li. 13s. 4d. stip. P. The L. Monteagle or the L. Beauchamp. I. James Floyd. Pr. L. per Ep: Noruig: Com. 209.

Guneie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 4li. 4s. 2d. P. St Phillip Sherrard. I.

John Richardson. Com. 54. IENHAM—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 19s. 9d. P. John Thimblebie,

Esqu: I. John Handson. Pr. L. Com. 169.

Lavington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 14li. 7s. 1d. P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Armin. I. Tempest Wood. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 140.

Northwitham—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 19s. 4d. P. St Henerie Pack-

inham. 1. John Sandes. Pr. L. per Ep: Peterb: Com. 60.

Southwitham—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 3li. 12s. 11d. P. Thomas Harrington, gent. I. Bennet Smith. Com. 95. STEVENBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 6s. 8d. P. Sr Phillip Sherrard.

I. Mathew Browne. Com. 83.

1 Added by a later hand.

STOKE AUSTRAL: [alias Kirk Stoke<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 5s. P. W<sup>m</sup> Barkesdale [Medietatis Præbend. Grantham, Ecclesiæ Cath. Sarum<sup>1</sup>]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Hotchkins. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Colsterworth in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the L. Arch: B. of York. Dist. 1. Pr. L. Com. 80.

SWAFIELD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 2s. 11d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

John Menzeis. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L: Com. 89.

STOKE BOREAL.—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 15s. P. The Kings Matie. 1. Nicholas Walker. D. B: in Divinit: Com. The same that be in Stoke australl., both one parish.

SKILLINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. vic. 4li. 19s. 4d.

P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. John Parker. Com. 97.

Swinesteed—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 18s. 7d. P. The Kings Matie [Comes Lindsey, 1681]. I. Wm Nicholls. Com.

WITHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li, 12s. ob. P.  $W^m$  Harrington, Esq. 1. James Gartfield. Com. 363.

#### BULLINGBROKE DECANATUS

BULLINGBROK—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 19s. 2d. P. Sr Vincent Skinner. I. Raphaell Throgmorton. Com. 168.
EASTERKEALE AUSTRAL:—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 15s. 7d. ob.

P. Leonard Kirkman, gent: I. W<sup>m</sup> Jackson.

EASTERKEALE NORTH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. Com. Leonard Kirkman, gen: I. Georg Jackson. D. Mr in Arts. 25o. Dup. Westerkeal in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the Earle of Shrewesbury. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

ENDERBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 6s. 3d. [K.B. 12li. 11s. 3d.] P. The Earle of Lincolne. 1. Roger Metcalf. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. L.

per Ep: Lincol:, 1588. *Com.* 65. Halton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 18s. 11d. *P*. The L. Willoughbie of Earsby. 1. W<sup>m</sup> Symons. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Thedlethorp Helene, in Calcewath dec: Com. 195.

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Hagnebie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. P. The L. Burleigh. Com. 30.

HARBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 4s. 7d. P. Sr Vincent Skinner. I.

Rob't Wight. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 48.

HUNDLEBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Wm Webbe. Pr. non L. Com. 100.

Kirbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 11s. 3d. P.

The L. Willoughbie of Earesbie. I. Richard Rising. Com. 140.

Lusbie—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 8li. 15s. P. Tho: Palfreman, gent. 1. John Downes. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Manbie R. in Lowthesk dec: Qual'n. By the late Earle of Lincolne. Dist. 10. Com. 66.

MININGSBIE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. The Kings Matie [racione ducat' sui Lancastriæ<sup>1</sup>]. I. Edw: Vstwayt. Pr. L. per Ep:

Lincoin, Thomam. Com. 80.

RATHBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 6li. 14s. 7d. P. The Kings Matie. 1.

John Willerton. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 80.

Spilsbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. vnknowne, serued by a curat. cur. 8li. stip.  $\widetilde{P}$ . The L. Willowby of Earsbie. 1. Francis Parker. Pr. non L. Com. 266.

STICKNEY—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 11s. 3d. P. The L. Burleigh. I.

Meridith Price. Pr. non L. Com. 320.

STEEPING PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. The Kings Matie in the righ of the Dutchie of Lanc: I. John Stubbes. Pr. non L. Com. 120.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

STICKFORD—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The L. B of Lincoln. I. Thomas Abraham. D. B; in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincolne, 1590. Com. 160.

Sibsey—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 11li. 11s. 3d. P.

The Kings  $Ma^{tie}$ . I. John Crosse. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 576. Thorp—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 20i. 10s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 2011. 198. 4d.]. P. Edmund Garner, yeam'. I. Henerie Vezey.

D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 300.

Tointon Austr:—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 1d. q'. P. The Kings Matie and the L: Willowbie of Earsby. I. Rich: Turpin.

D. B. in Arts. Dup. Friskney V. in dec. Candisho. Dist. 4. Com. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:

Tointon Petri Boreal.—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. id. q'. P. The Kings Matie and the L: Willowby of Earsby. I. Rich: Keye.

Tointon Omnium Sanctorum—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I', vic. 5li. 10s. 10d. ob. P. The L. Willowbie of Earsbie. I. Laurence Freman. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 88.

WESTERKEALE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 20d. P. Sr Edmund Withipole. I. Georg Jackson. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Easterkeale Boreal: in eodem decan: Onal'n. By the Earle of Shrewsburie. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Com. 320.

#### CANDELSHO DECANATUS

ADELTHORP—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Georg Cater. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 149.

Ashbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Thomas Tayler, Esq. I. John Barker. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 87. Folio 42.2

Bagh [Burgh<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 13li. 6s.

8d. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. Alexander Cooke. Com. 305.

BRAYTOFT—Q. P'ge approp. [sic]. V. 18li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Leonard Ithell. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 95.

Croft—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 23li. 7s. 3d. ob. P. Sr Valentine Browne. 1. W<sup>m</sup> Worship. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 220.<sup>2</sup> CANDLESBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 9li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. Magdalen Coll:

in Oxon. I. Rob't Deaues. Com. 80.2

CARLETON CUM DALBIE—Q. Prebend. I'. 12li. 18s. 9d.; cur: 7li.

stip. P. [The prebend.<sup>1</sup>]. Com. 63.<sup>2</sup>

Dribie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. os. 4d. ob. P. John Prestcott, ge: [Sir John Bolles, bart, 1679<sup>1</sup>]. I. Martin Holden. D. B. in Arts. Com.  $27.^{2}$ 

FIRSBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 2d. ob. P. Sir Edw: Carre. I.

John Kinsey. Com. 69.2

Friskney—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 17. vic. 15li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Richard Turpin. D. B: in Arts. Com. 264.2

1 Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> A leaf of the manuscript is missing, containing the last nine columns of the entries beginning with Burgh and ending with Winthorpe, and the first six columns of the entries beginning with Wainfleet All Saints and ending with Hellow or Belleau. The missing parts have been supplied in *italic* type so far as the particulars are given in *L.C.*, 1603 (abridged edition), ff. 20-1,

GUNBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 3li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The Earle of Rut-

land. I. John Buley. Com. 50.3 INGOLMELLS—Q. P'ge prop. I. 23li. 10s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 32li. 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Eddon<sup>2</sup> Wood [Rich: Ballet, Ar:, 1680<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Clark. D. Mr of [Arts]. Com. 100.3

IREBIE—Q P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur: 5li. stip.

The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. Wm Tayler. Com. 67.3

Orbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 10li. 2d. ob. P.

The L. B. of Lincoln. 1. Rich: Prior. Com. 130.3

Partney—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 10s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 11li. 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sir W<sup>m</sup> Wrey [Peregrine, Rich<sup>d</sup>, and Charles Berty, Esq<sup>s</sup>, Dec., 1685<sup>1</sup>]. I. Edw: Salmon. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 83.<sup>3</sup>

Sutterbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

I. Martin Holden. D. B: in Arts. Com. 25.3

Skegnes-Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. 6s. 8d. P. Tho: Darnell, Esq.

I. Hamond Coxon. Com. 50.8 SKREMBIE—Q. P'ge prop. U. 16li. 12s. 2d. ob. P. The Earle of Lincoln. I. Richard Foster. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 68.3

SKENDLEBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I', vic. 4li. P. The

Kings Matie. I. Rich: Foster. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 92.3

Steeping Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 8s. 4d. [K.B. 7li. 18s. 4d.]. P. Sr Edw: Carre. I. Henery Lord. D. B: in Arts. Com. 120.3

WINTHORP—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. P. The

L. B. of Lincolne. I. Thomas Wade. Com. 140.8 Folio 43.3

Wainfleet omnium Storum—Q. Rectory. V. 16li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The Kings Majestie. I. Henry Foster. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 222.

Wainfleet Maria-Q. Approp. without a vic. V. cur. 6li. 1. Thomas 13s. 4d. stip. P. Edward Barnes. Com. 106. Foyes.8

Wainfleet St Thomas—V. cur. 40li. [sic] stip. Com. 50. Welton-Q. Rectory. V. rec. 14li. 7s. 11d.; cur. 6li. 1os. sti: 1. John Enderby.<sup>3</sup> Com. 134. Recus. 2 men, I woman.

#### CALCEWATHE DECANAT:

Anderby—Q. Rectory. V. 13li. 10s. 2d. ob. P John Tompson, gent. I. William Lathwath. D. Bat. of Arts. Dup. Little Carlton in dec: Lowthesk. Dist. 5. Com. 90.

Aby-Q. Vicarage. V. 6li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The Lord Willoughy of Earsby. I. Peregrine Browne. D. Bac. of Arts. Dup. Well in eodem

dec: Dist. 2. Pr. non L. Com. 64.
Alford—Q. Vicarage. V. 10li. P. The Lord Bishop of Lincolne. I. Joseph Overton.<sup>3</sup> Com. 370.

Billesby—Q. Vicarage. V. 13li. 3s. 4d. P. Edward Billesby, Esqr. I. Francis Vaugham. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 240. Recus.

Beesby—Q. Rectory. V. 13li. 2s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 13li. 10s.  $2\frac{1}{2}$ d.]. P. The Kings Matte. 1. Robert Smith D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep. Lincoln. Com. 97.

1 Added by a later hand.

<sup>3</sup> See p. 303, n. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectsus 'Owen' (L.C., 1614, f 51d). He was dean of Armagh (P.D., 1609, no. 6).

Cawthorfe-Q Vicarage. V. 3li. 4s. 4d. ob. P. Sr Henry Glenham.<sup>1</sup>

Com. 25.

Cumberworth—Q. Rectory. V. 9li, 10s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 10li. 10s. 2\frac{1}{2}d.]. P. John Tompson, gent. I. John Hope. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non  $\vec{L}$ .

Claxby—Q. Vicarage. V. 5li. 2s. 2d. ob. P. Richard Johnson, esquier. I. John Pearson. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 45.
Calceby—Q. Vicarage. V. 5li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Dimocke and

Emott Dimock, vidua. I. X'topher Dennis, Pr. non L. Com. 45.

Farlestrope—Q. Vicarage. V. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie, Thomas Scarborgh. D. Bac: of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 74. Gayton—Q. Rectory. V. 13li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Matte. 1. X'topher Medealf. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 107.

Hanney-Q. Donatine. V. cur: 6li stip. P. Mrs Ann Cooke, vid.,

Sr John Savill, Dr Bradlev jure v.voris. I. John Whalley. Com. 56.

Huttoft—Q. Vicarage. V. 6li. 10s. 8d. P. The Lord Bishope of Lincolne. I. William Chapman. Pr. non L. Com. 289.

Hoggesthorpe—Q. Vicarage. V. 10li. P. The Lord Bep of Lincolne.
I. John Osmotherley. Pr. non L. Com. 280.

Hellow—Q. Rectory. V. 13li. 3s. 9d. P. The Lord Willowby of

Earsby. 1. Richard Allen. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 98. Folio 44.

HAWE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. P. Sr John

Bell. I. Edw: [blank]. Com. 4.

LEGBORNE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1'. cur: 4li. stip.

P. The Kings Matie. I. Christopher Stephenson. Com. 140.

MABLETHORP MARIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Georg Fitzwill'm, Esq. I. Tho: Veale. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 90. MABLETHORP PETRI—Q. P'ge prop. 1.7li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The L.

Willowbie of Earsbie. 1. Tristram Huddlestone. Com. 67.

Mumbie cum Capella—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 12s. 10d. ob. P. The L. B of Lincoln. I. Alan Freer. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 240.

Maltbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. Sir John Bell [Rob'tus Marsh, '85<sup>2</sup>]. I. Henery Martin. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L.

per Ep: Lincol: Com. 80.

Маккве—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. to his knowledge.

V. cur; 5li. stip. I. Rob't Marshall. Com. 254.

SOUTHRESTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [Ratione Ducatus Lancastr', 1688<sup>2</sup>]. I. Rich: Clough. Pr. non Com. 60.

Surrox—Q. Prebend, a p'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd. V. p'ge 19li.; vic. 6li. 13s.; cur. 5li. stip. P. Tho: Spark, preb: I. Thomas Spark. R. non. Com. 92.

SWABIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 22d. ob. P. Magdalen Coll: in

Oxon. I. Paul Bagley. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 40.

Salebie—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. P. Sr James Harrington. I. Georg Scortreth. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 100. Strubbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 13s. 4d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. Wm Litster. Com. 124.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 303, n. 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

STEINE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. Georg Fitzwill'm, Esq. I. Samuell Willingham. R. non. Com. 90.

TOTTILL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 17s. 1d. P. [Sr Fulk Grevill1] [Gul:

Baro Alington, 16822]. I. Roger Smith. R. non. Com. 52.

THEDDLETHORP OMNIUM SANCTORUM—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd of an inc:<sup>3</sup> I'. vic. 5li. 5s. 2d. ob. [K.B. 7li. 5s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ .]; cur: 6li. 13s. 4d. stip. I. Radulph. Marshall. Com. 88.

THEDDLETHORP HELENE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 18li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The L. Willowby of Earsbie. I. W<sup>m</sup> Symond. Dup. Halton R:, dec: Bullingbrok. Qual'n. By the L. Willowbie of Earsbie. Dist. 10. non. Com. 146.

Trustrop—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. W<sup>m</sup> Fitzwill'm,

Esq. I. James Hollingworth. D. B: in Diuinit: Com. 116.

THORESBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Wm Miles. Com. 28.

WILLOWBIE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 39li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. The L.

Willowbie of Earsbie. 1. Libeus Sadler. Com. 454.

WITHEREN—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 18li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Georg Fitzwill'm, Esq. [Tho. Newcomen, Ar:, 16882]. I. Nicholas Madison. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 180. Folio 45.

VLCEBY—O. P'ge prop. V. 18li. 16s. 8d. [K.B. 9li. 16s. 8d.].

Edw: Copledike, Esq. 1. Francis Gonnas. Pr. non L. Com. 50.

Well-Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 2s. 3d. ob. P The L. Willowbie of Earsbie. I. Peregrine Browne. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Abie V: in eodem dec: Qual'n. o. Dist. 2. Com. 14.

#### GRAFFOOE DECANATUS

ABURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 13s. 11d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Alexander Gee. Dup. Thorp in eodem dec:

Qual'n. o. Disl. 2. Com. 143.

Basingham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 26li. 16s. 8d. P. Sr Anthonie Thorold, Sr Georg St Poll, Anthonie Thorold, ge:, and Tho: Clark. John Barnes. D. B: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: Com. 255.

BALTHAM—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 15s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Matie.

I. W<sup>m</sup> Eure. Com. 57.

CARLETON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 10d. P. Sr. Diab. Kellet D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 186.

Doddington cum Whishbie—Q. P'ge prop. P. Tho: Tayler, Esq.

1. Ralph Bethiell. Com. 140.

EAGLE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., but voyd. I'. vic. 3li. 5s. 10d.; cur: 6li. stip: P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Terwhite. I. Georg Bromley. Com. 80. HICCAM-Q. P'ge prop. V. 19li. 15s. 11d. P. The Kings Matie.

NORTON DISNEY—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 6s. 8d. P. [Henery Disney, Esq.<sup>1</sup>] [Dux Albemarl, 1682<sup>2</sup>]. I. John Wilson.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

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 voyd but serued' in L.C. 1603 (abridged edition), f. 22.

[Norstark<sup>1</sup>] [North Scarle<sup>2</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 4li. 17s. 3d. ob. P. Sr Phillip Terwhit [Edmund: Nicholson, Armiger, Mar: 12:, 1690<sup>2</sup>]. I. Thomas Griffin [Tho: Squire, March 12:, 1690<sup>2</sup>]. D. [B. in Arts<sup>2</sup>]. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 80.

STAPLETHORP—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd. I'. vic. 3li. 3s. 4d. [K.B. 5li. 3s. 4d.]; cur: 5li. stip. P. Richard Rothwell, ge:

Charles Slack. Com. 130.

Swinderbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 3li. 19s. 9d.

ob. P. Henery Disney, Esq. I. Edw: Alred. Com. 112.

SKELLINGTHORP—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. of 5li. and a dwelling house. I'. vic. 6li. 18s. 9d.; cur: 5li. stip: P. The Spittle the street in the Countie of Lincolne. I. Rob't Vaughan. Com. 130.

THORP—Q. P'ge prop. I'. oli. 10s. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincol: I. Alexander Gee. Dup. Awbourgh V: in eodem dec: Qual'n.

Dist. 2. Com. 120.

Thurlebie—Q. P'ge approp. without a vicar: V. cur: 6li. 13s. 4d. stip. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. John Booth. Com. 77.

#### GRANTHAM DECANATUS

ALLINGTON [OCCIDENTALIS, ALINGTON ORIENTALIS<sup>2</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 13s. 11d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Symon Battrey. Pr. L. per Ep: London. Com. 85.

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BARROWBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 31li. 17s. ob. [K.B. 31li. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Georg Savill. I. James Thornton. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Wolstrop R. in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the Earle of Rutland. Dist. 1. Pr. non L. Com. 178.

Belton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. [Richard Brounelowe, Ar'2]. Com. 129.

BARKSTONE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 7s. 6d. P. Abraham Conham. I. Edmund Battie. D. B. in Diuinit: Dup. Denton R. in eodem dec: Qual'n. degree. Dist. 6. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: Com. 136.

BOOTHBIE PANNELL—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 11li. 10s. 5d. P. Francis

Pannell, Esq. I. Ambrose Ward. Com. 105.

Brasebie Capella—Q. Chappell depending on the vicar' of Grant-

ham ex parte aust. I. Wm Turnball. Com. 57.

Denton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 18li. 8s. 4d. P. Abraham Conham. I. Edm: Battie. D. B: in Diuinit: Dup. Barkstone R. in eodem dec. Qual'n. degree. Dist. 6. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: Com. 176.

Grantham Australis—Q. P'ge or prebend end. with a vic. V. vic. 12li. 10s. P. The prebendarie. I. Thomas Deane. Com. 1008.

Grantham Borealis—Q. P'ge or prebend end. with a vic: I'. vic. 12li. 10s. P. Abraham Conham the parson and prebend'. I. Thom: Dilworth. D. Mr of Arts. Com. vide sup'.

GONERBIE—Q. a member of Grantham. I. Richard Atkinson. Com.

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HEYDOR-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 12li. 3s. 7d. [K. B. 12li. 6s.  $10\frac{1}{2}(\tilde{l}_{*})$ ].  $\tilde{P}$ . The prebendarie of Heydor. Com. 206.

HARLAXTON-Q. P'ge prop. V. 25li. 6s. 10d. ob. P. The preben-

<sup>1</sup> Struck out by a later hand. 2 Added by a later hand.

darie of Grantham, Mr Barksdale. I. Ralph Caluerrie [sic]. D. B: in Dup. Wiborton R: in North Holland. Qual'u. Knights sonne. Com. 265.

HONINGTON-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: 1'. vic. 4li. 5s. [K. B. 4li. 5d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Richard Gace. D. noe grad:

Dup. Ancaster V: Qual'u. o. Dist. 1. Pr. non L. Com. 97.

Paunton Magna—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 9s. 7d. P. Mr Abraham Conham, prebendary of Grantham. I. Francis Allen. Com. 145.

PAUNTON PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. P. Sr Thom: Grantham. I. James Griffith. Dup. Kirkbie R. in Aueland dec: Dist. 10. Com. 64.

ROPSLEY-Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 14s. 2d. P. The Earle of Rut-

land. I. John Ascough. Com. 123.

Stroxley—Q. P'ge prop. V. 3li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. Arthur Hall. I.

James Hanson. Com 32. SEGBROKE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 4s. 9d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

Robert Gibson. Com. 109.

Sciston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: I'. cur. 10li. sti: P. John Porter, ge: I. Richard Norrice. D. B: in Arts. Com. 106.

SAPPERTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 9s. 8d. ob. P. W<sup>m</sup> Savill, ge: I. W<sup>m</sup> Turnbull. Com. 22.

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Somerbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 12s. 6d. P. [Maurice Baud, Mr Brownlow, Sr Jo: Brownlow, 1680<sup>1</sup>]. I. [blank] Wood. Com. 98.

Willisworth—O. P'ge prop. V. 10li. P. Henery Allen, ge: I. [Richard Stephens<sup>2</sup>] [John Smith<sup>1</sup>]. Pr. non L. Com. 106.
Woolstrop—O. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 2s. 8d. ob. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. James Thornton. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Barrowbie R. in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the Earle of Rutland. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Pr. non L. Com. 173.

Welbie—O. P'ge prop. I'. roli. 6s. 3d. P. John Battie, Clark. I.

Thom: Gace. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 57.

[WYWELL CUM HUNGARTON—Q. Parsonage. P. Ric. Williams<sup>1</sup>].

## GARTREE DECANATUS

ASTERBIE-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 10s. [K.B. 8li. 10d.]. P. Sr Wm Skipwith. I. Rich: Greene. Com. 80.

BUCKNALL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 11s. 10d. ob. [K.B. 9li. 11s. 10\frac{1}{2}d.].

P. The L. Willoughbie of Parham. I. Arthur Wright. Com. 80.

Belchford—Q. P'ge prop. V. 17li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 18li. 6s. 8d.]. I. John Convers. Dup. Thimblebie R. in dec: Hornecastle. Qual'u. By the late L. B. of Lincol: Dist. 4. Com. 140.

Calkwell—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 4li. 8s. 6d. ob.

P. Bryan Eland, ge: I. Henery Greene. Com. 13.

Donington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 12s. 3d. ob. P. S<sup>r</sup> Tho: Moun-

son. I. Thom: Kent. Com. 128.

GAWDBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 6li. 3s. 4d. P. [The King<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rob't Tayler [[blank] Angier']. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Somerbie R. in Jarborrogh decan'. Qual'n. By the late Arch: of Cant'. Dist. 17. Com. 61.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. 2 Struck out by a later hand.

Golcebie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. q'. P.

Chr'ofer Puckering, Esq. I. Peter Holden. Com. 55. HORSINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. oli. 11s. 3d. P. Magdalen Coll. in Oxon. I. Theodore Tanzey [Rob't Browne, 16911]. D. B: in Diuinit: [Mr in Arts<sup>1</sup>]. Dup. Hagworthington in dec: Hill. Qual'n. Degree. Dist. 7. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Oxon. Com. 120. Hemingbie—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 17li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. Tho: Barton,

ge: [Eliz: Wright, vid:, '88']. Com. 804.

MINTING—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 9s. 2d. P. The L. Willowghbie of Parham. I. Richard Beuerley. Pr. non L. Com. 103.

RANDBIE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1'. cur: 3li. 13s. 4d. sti: [K.B. 4li. 13s. 4d.]. P. [Gulielmus Diconson, Ar., 1689]. I. John

Woods. Com. 60.

STAINTON—Q. P'ge approp. I'. cur: 3li. 13s. 4d. sti: P. [Gulielmus

Diconson, Ar., 1689<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Woods, predict'. Com. 56.

STURTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. P. The

Kings Matie. I. Cr'ofer Waters. Com. 103.

Stanigott-Q. P'ge prop. 1. 7li. 12s. 3d. ob. P. John Guavara, Esq. I. Rob't Allabaye.2 Com. 50. Folio 48.

Stixwold—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. [K.B. 7li.

10s.]. P. Vincent Welbie, Esq. I. Rich: Travers. Com. 80.

SCAMELSBIE—Q. P'ge approp. a member of the prebend of Melton, not end. with a vic. 1'. p'ge 23li. 13s. 4d.; cur: 8li. stip: P. The prebendarie of Melton. I. Nicholas Hodgson. Com. 112.

#### GRIMESBIE DEC'ATUS

AILSBIE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur: roli. sti: P.

Francis Mussenden, Esq. I. Matthew Wimprev. Com. 138.

Ashbie cum Fenbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 14li. 10s. 10d. Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Nicholas Suger. D. B. in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: Com. 110.

Bradley—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 10s. 9d. P. Cr'ofer Wentworth,

I. Thom: Whittle. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 96.

Belesbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li 17s. 6d. P. The Collegiat Church of Southwell in Nottingham. I. Francis Kettlewell. D. B. in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 38.

BARNOLDBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 14li. 3s. 4d. [K.B. 14li. 13s. 4d.]. P. The sayd Church of Southwell. I. Tho: Atkinson. Pr. L. per Ep:

Lincoln: Com. 129.

Briggesley—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 4s. 3d. ob. P. The sayd Church of Southwell. I. Hugh Moodie. Pr. non L. Com. 92.

CLEE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. P. The L. B. of Lincolne.

I. Zacharias Saunders. Com. 200.

Cotes Magna—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 22d. [K.B. 11li. 10s. 10d.]. P. Sr Thomas Barnardiston. I. Thom: Forman. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Wintringham R: in Manlac dec:, Stowe. Qual'n. By the Kings Manie. Dist. 14. Com. 194.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Allelay' (cp. p. 178).

Cotes Parua—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd. V. vic. 4li. 18s. 4d.; cur. 6li. stip: P. Trinitie Coll: in Camb: I. W<sup>m</sup> Watham.

Com. 31.

Coxwold—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 7s. 6d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Broxeholme. Com. 36. Caborne—Q. P'ge approp. end. Jo: Robinson, Custod: Spiritwith a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 17s. 6d. P. Sr ualit:

Tho: Mounson. Com. 42.

EASTRANDELL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vie. I'. vic. 6li. 13s. 4d.; cur. 5li, stip. P. Trinitie Coll: in Camb: I. Wm Ascough. Com. 44.

GRIMESBIE JACOB' ET GRIMESBIE MARIE VNITED—Q. P'ge appropend. with vicarridgs. I'. vic. 7li.; vic. 6li. 18s. 4d.  $\widetilde{P}$ . W<sup>m</sup> Hennage, Es. [Sr Henry Heron, Gr: Magna<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rob't Lord. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. *Com.* 500.

GRIMESBIE-Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 17s. 6d. P. Sr Wm Wray [Marchio Winc<sup>r</sup>, '87<sup>1</sup>]. I. Thomas Humfrey. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per

Ep. Lincoln: Com. 48.

HATCLIFF-Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 4s. 2d. P. The Collegiat Church of Southwell. I. Oliver Watters. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Thornton R. in Wallescroft dec: Qual'n. By the Arch B: of Cant. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 28.

HAWERBIE CUM BEESBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 7s. 3d. P. The Coll: Church of Southwell. I. W<sup>m</sup> Morton. D. B: in Arts. Com. 44.

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HEALING—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 4s. 2d. P. Francis Mussenden,

Esq. 1. W<sup>m</sup> Harting. Com. 60.

Hawton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 8s. 4d. P. Rob't Godg, ge:, owner. The Kings Matie patron. I. Wm Baylden.

HUMBERSTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic:, voyd. I'. cur. 8li:

offr:, tithes. P. The Lo: B. of Lincol'. I. Edm: Linold. Com. 220. IREBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 181i. P. Sr John Hollis. I. Thom:

Langhley.<sup>3</sup> Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 68.

LACEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 10d. P. Sr Wm Wray [Nicho:

Sanderson, 1680-1<sup>1</sup>]. *I.* John Clark. *Com.* 126.

Norcoats—Q. P'ge prop. I. 12li. 10s. 10d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [iure duc: Lanc: I. Nathaniell Pilkington. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Eborae: Com. 104.

NEWTON—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. The L. B. of Duresme.

1. Tho: Pilkington. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 57.

ROTHWELL—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. [Sr John Bell and John Marris, yeom'<sup>2</sup>] [Rich: Sykes, Gent., 1684<sup>1</sup>]. I. Robert Marris. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 68.

Scarthoe—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 10s. 10d. P. John Bringherst, Clark. I. Maurice Gunson. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 76.

SWINHOPE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 4li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. Georg Allington,

Esq. I. John Greene. Com. 24.

SWALLOW-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. Sr Georg St Poll. I. W<sup>m</sup> Andrew. Com. 76.

3 See p. 181, note 2.

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[NORTH<sup>1</sup>] THORESBIE—Q. P'ge approp. V. 24li. 10s. 10d. P. [Tho: Morrison, Esq<sup>2</sup>] [Christoph: Smith, Esq., 1677<sup>1</sup>]. *I*. Hugh Mapletoft. *D*. B: in Arts. *Pr*. L. per Ep: Carli: *Com.* 225.

Tetney—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d. *P*.

The L. B: of Lincoln. I. Richard Odling. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L.

Com. 310.

WATH—Q. P'ge approp., whose vic: being long voyd is ioyned to the vic: of Howton aforsayd. V. vic. 54s. 2d. P. Thom: Morrison, Esq.

I. Wm Baylden. Com. 80.

Waltham—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. 10s. 10d. P. The Coll: Church of Southwell in Nott. I. Richard Banes. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 150.

### HILL DECANATUS

ASWARBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 7s. 8d. ob. [K.B. 7li. 19s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Elizabeth Copledike, vid: I. Tho: Leek. Com. 46.

Asgarbie prebend—Q. P'ge approp. without a vic:  $\Gamma$ . cur. 6li.

stip. P. The prebendarie. I. Roger Metcalf. Com. 67.
Ashbie Puerorum—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 3s. 4d. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. 1. Rob't Allen. D. noe grad: Dup. Somerbie R: in this dec.; they are vnited. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Com. 47.

BAGENDERBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 8s. 1d. ob. [K.B. 6li. 18s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Andrew Gedney, Esq. I. Anthonie Blackborne. D. B: in Arts. Pr.

L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 64.

BRINCKLE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. P. The L. Burleigh. I. Tho: Oresbie. Com. 47.

CLAXBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 10s. 10d. P. Tho: Cauendish, Es:

I. Austin Fitzwill'ms. Com. 45.

Fulletbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 21li. 2s. 8d. ob. P.  $M^{ris}$  Anne Armin, vid: I. Samuel Allen. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep; Lincoln:

Com. 90.

GREETHAM—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. The L. B. of Lincoln presented him. I. Georg Cockborne. D. Noe grad: Dup. Tointon mag: R. in dec; Horncastle. Qual'n. By the L. Arch. of Cant'. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Com. 56.

HAMRINGHAM—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 14s. 2d. P. Thomas Hudson, Clark. I. Roger Hunterhowe. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 63.

Hagworthingham—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 10s. 5d. P. [The Kings Ma<sup>tie2</sup>] [Bp. of Ely<sup>1</sup>]. I. Theodore Tanzey. D. B. in Diuin: Dup. Horsington R:, dec: Gartre, Qual'n, Degree, Dist. 7. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Oxon. Com. 128.

HARRINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 10s 5d. [K.B. 9li. 16s.  $10\frac{1}{2}d$ ]. P. Mr Copledike. I. Gabriell Bewit. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Hatton R. in Wraggo dec. Qual'u, By the L. Willowbie of Parham. Dist. 8. Pr. non L. Com. 83.

KITTESBIE CUM ORMESBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 3s. 9d.; 9li. 10s.

2d. ob. P. Sr Rich: Skipwith. I. Wm Pomphret. Com. 92.

LANGHTON IUXTA PARTNEY—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 10s. 3d. ob. P. Sr John Langhton. I. Bryan Burton. Pr. non L. Com. 66.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

Oxcombe—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 16s. 6d. ob. P. Andrew Gedney, Es: I. Georg Booth. Pr. non L. Com. 39.

SCRAFELD—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. Richard Skipwith, Es: [John Seaton, 1685<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rich: Lake. Com. 40.

Salmondbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. [Anthonie Thorold, Esq.²] [Edward King, Ar.; 1687¹]. I. Rob't Phillips. Com. 50. Somerbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 6s. 5d. ob. [K.B. 4li. 16s. 5½d.]. P. Georg Littleberie, ge: I. Rob't Allen. D. Noe grad: Dup. Asbie puerorum V. in eodem dec: Qual'n. none, his liuings are vnited und' the broad seal. Dist.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Com. 42.

SAUELTHORP—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. Sr John Langh-

ton. I. Thom: Fowler. D. B: in Arts. Com. 80.

Tetford—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 15d. [K.B. 5li. 10d.]. P. Tho:

Tayler, Esq. I. John Key. Com. 130.

WINCEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I. 6li. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Georg Siluester. Com. 40.

### HOLLAND AUSTRALIS DECAN:

COWBIT CAPELLA—Q. vide Spalding in this deanery. V. cur; 6li. sti. I. Symon Okeden. Com. 160.

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Croyland—Q. P'ge approp. without a vic. V. cur: 10li. sti.

Mr Auditor Conniers. I. Rob't Chapman. Pr. non L. Com. 304.

FLEET—Q. P'ge prop. V. 15li. P. [The Kings Ma<sup>tie2</sup>] [Tho: Lodington, clericus, '84<sup>1</sup>]. I. Moses Wilton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L.

per Ep: London. Com. 240.

GEDNEY—Q. P'ge approp. but presentative without Cure, for that there is a vicar: V. p'ge—23li. 12d. ob. [K.B. 23li. 11s.  $o_2^1d$ .]; vic.—3oli. 10s. ob. P. p'ge—The Kings Matie and Sr Wm Welbie; vic —The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Newland, Vicar. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch; Cant: Com. 240.

GEDNEY FENNE END CAP:—O. The answere is made in Gedney. I'. cur. 4li. 17s. out of certaine copie lands, for stip: I. W<sup>m</sup> Hodgkinson.

Com. 110.

LUTTON SUTTON—Q. look Sutton Mary in this deanry. I'. cur: 13li. 6s. 8d. sti: I. W<sup>m</sup> Ginshaw.<sup>3</sup> D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 180.

Holbecth—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 20li. 5s. 10d.

P. The L. B: of Lincoln. I. Othoniell Bradley. Com. 420.

Moulton-Q. P'ge approp. end with a vic. 1. vic. 33li. 7s. 10d. [K.B. 28li. 13s. 4d.]. P. The Kings Matie. 1. James Ashton. Com. 420. Pinchbeck—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. V. vic. 40li. 6s. 5d. ob.

P. Sr Thomas Lambert. I. Rob't Newton. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 650. Sutton Marie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 40li. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. 1. Thomas Clark. D. B: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per

Vniuers: Cant: Com. 260.

SUTTON EDMUNDS—Q. Look Sutton Marie whereof this is a member. I'. cur. 3li, 9s. 1d. sti. I. James Tayler. Com. 260.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. 2 Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>3</sup> Rectius 'Grimshaw'.

Sutton James—O. Look Sutton Marie as before. V. cur. [blank]. I. Thomas Ward. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 210. Surfleet—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd.

V. vic. 11li.

I. James Morton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 140.

SPALDING—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. V. cur. 13li. 6s. 8d. sti. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Browne. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 1006.

TIDDE MARIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 17li. 6s. 5d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thomas Fell. D. Mr in Arts. Qual'n. [Mr Lea qualified to

hold that and Buckden']. Dist. [271]. Pr. non L. Com. 140.

WHAPLODDE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 16li. 14s. 9d.

ob. P. p'ge—Rob't Johnson of Luffnam in com. Rutland, cle:, owner; vic.—The Kings Matie patron. I. Clement Frekingham. Com. 113.

WHAPLODE DROVE CAPLA—Q. Look Whaplode. V. cur. 10li. sti:

out of certaine lands. I. Edw: Odling. Com. 89.

Weston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic:, voyd a long time past. V. cur. 10li. stip: P. The Kings Matie. I. Robert Collier. Com. 140.

### HOLLAND BOREALIS

Alderkirk—Q. P'ge prop. V. 50li. 18s. 1d. 0b. V. cur. 20li. stip. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. [blank] Ouerall. Ric: Thistlewhat.<sup>2</sup> D. Dr in Diuinitie. Pr. non L. Com. 230.

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BUTTERWICK—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 3s. 9d. [K.B. 811. 4s. 2d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Norman. Pr. non Com. 190.

Benington—Q P'ge prop I'. 33li. 8s. 10d. 0b. P. Rob't Carre of Aswarbie, Esq. I. [John $^{\circ}$ ] Stephen Brittaine. Pr. non L. Com. 200.

Boston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 33li. 6s. 8d. P.

The Borrow of Boston. I. Thomas Woole. Pr. non L. Com. 1500. BICKER—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 15li. P. The deane and Chapter of Lincolne. I. Thom: Buttler. Pr. non L. Com.

Brothertoft Capla—O. Look Kirton in this deanerie. V. cur.

[blank]. I. Rob't Rawlet. Com. 131.

Donington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 13li. 17s. 3d. ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Georg Piek. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 600.

Fosdike Capla—Q. look Algarkirk aforsayd. V. cur: 10li. sti: I.

Thomas Rile. D. B. in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 130.

Frampton—Q P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 18li. 19s. 4d. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Shelley. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 44.

FREESTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 15li. 12s. 10d. ob. [K.B. 16li. 11s. 10d.]. P. Tho: Goldingham, ge:, by vertue of a

lease from his Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Rich: Edwards. Com. 495.
Gosberton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li.; vic. [sic] sti: 13li. 6s. 8d. P. The D. and Chapter of Lincolne. I. Georg Dyer. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 400.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> He was probably a curate.

<sup>3</sup> This addition to the clerk's name is an error.

LEUCTION AUSTRA:—O. P'ge prop.

V. 16li. 4s. 4d. ob. P. Wm Hunston
in Arts. Qual'n. By the Countin Arts. Qual'n. By the Countin Arts. [Sam: Whiting, Gen:, 16891]. LEUCETTON BOREALIS—O. P'ge prop. (esse of Warwick. Pr. L. per

I'. 15li. 18s. 9d. P. The Kings Matie. Arch: Cant. Com. 160.

Kirton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 21li. 10s. 10d.

P. The Kings Matie. I. W<sup>m</sup> Tuckney. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L per Ep: Lincol: Com. 557.

LEEK-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 13li. 6s. 8d. P. Owner, Rob't Johnson, archdeacon Lecester. Patron, the Kings Matie. 1.

Thom: Browne. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 520.

QUADRING—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 10li. 15s. ob. [K.B. 10li. 1s. 3d.]. P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. James Hart. Pr. non Com. 260.

Swinshed—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 14li. 9s. P.

Trinitie Coll: in Camb: I. Wm Hudson. Com. 1000.

SKIRBECK—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 34li. 17s. 8d. ob. V. cur. 20li. stip. P. [The Mayor and Burgesses of Boston, 16801]. I. John Pratt. Edm: Digle, cur. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Belton R: Grantham d: Com. 120.

Sutterton—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 23li. 3s. 4d.

P. The Kings Matie. I. Rob't Eliott. Com. 288.

Toft-Q. P'ge prop. V. 19li. 6s. 8d. I. Anthonie Ingoldesbie. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 240.

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WIGTOFT—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 11li. 5d. [K.B. IIIi. 58.]. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. John Foster. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 302.

WRANGLE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. 18s. 6d.

ob. P. The Kings Matie. I. Nicholas Francis. Com. 220.

Wiberton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 6s. 8d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Yaxeley, ge: [L<sup>d</sup> Castleton<sup>1</sup>]. I. Ralph Caluerley. D. B: of Arts. Dup. Harlaxton R. in dec: Grantham. Qual'n. By birth. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Thomam. Com. 265.

### HORNCASTLE DECAN:

Ashbie Capla Iuxta Horncast'—Q. see Horncastle. P. [Ep'us Carliolensis<sup>1</sup>]. I. Perciuall Welbie. Com. 87.

BAMBURGH—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. V. cur. 8li. stip.

P. Tho: Dighton, Esq. I. W<sup>m</sup> Stanrod. Com. 80. Consbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 39li. 10s. 9d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Dimmock. I. Georg Skelton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:

Edlington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. [K.B. 8li. 4s. 7d.]. P. Mr Johnson, Archd: Lecest. [D'nus Rex, 16801]. I. Edw:

Turner. D. B. in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 170.

Dalderbie—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 4li. 19s. 9d ob. P. Rob't Palfreyman. I. John Hodgson. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Thomam. Com. 46.

HORNCASTLE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 15li. [K.B. 14li. 4s. 2d.]. P. The L. B. of Carlile. I. Rob't Hullinghedg. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. Com. 646.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

Haltham [super Bane<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. I'. 8li. 11s. 3d. P. Sr Edw: Dimmock. I. John Salmon. Com. 40.

KIRKBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 13li. 13s. 6d. ob. P. The Kings Matie.

I. Georg Clark. Com. 200. Langhton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 19s. 7d. P. Sr Rich: Skipwith.

I. Vrian Kirk. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 66.

Marome [alias Mareham alias Maryn¹]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 10s. 10d. P. The L. B. of Carliel. I. Thom: Corey. D. B: of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: London: Com. 277.

Morbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 11s. 8d. P. The L. B. of Carlile.

I. Gilbert Woodcliff. Dup. Waring [sic] following. Com. 54.

Maring Capla—I. Idem [Gilbertus Woodcliff]. Com. 50.

Marton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 4s. 2d. P. The Earle of Lincoln.

I. Tho: Tayler. Com. 53.

ROUGHTON-O. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 15s. 2d. ob. P. St Edw: Dimmock. I. Clement Hodgson. Com. 72.

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SKREILSBIE-Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 17s. 6d. P. St Edw: Dymmock. I. John Houghton. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant:

Tointon Capla—Q. see Horncastle. I'. cur. 4li. stip. I. John

Lawley. Com. 53.

Tointon Mag'—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 20d. I. Georg Cockborne. D. noe grad: Dup. Greetham R. in Hill dec: Qual'n. by L. Arch. Cant.

Com. 50.

THIMBLEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li 10s. 10d. P. John Connyers, Esq. I. John Connyers. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Belchford R: in Gartree dec: Qual'n. By the late L. B: of Lincoln. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 100.

THORTON [sic]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li. 12s. P. The D: and Chapter of Liechfield. I. Thom: Greene. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Wilkesbie R. in eodem dec: Dist. 2. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 88.

Totteshall—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 16li. sti. P. The Earle of Lincoln. I. Rich: Knolles. Pr. non L. Com. 400.

WOODENDERBIE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 5li.

stip. I. W<sup>m</sup> Smith. Com. 57.

WADDINGWORTH—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 10d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

I. Nicholas Larke. D. B: in Arts. Com. 32.

WOODDALL—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 5li. stip. P. The L. B. of Lincol'. I. Vrian Kirk. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L.

WILKESBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. 5s. P. Sr Edw: Dimmock. I. Tho: Greene. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Thorton [sic] V. aforsayd. Dist. 2.

Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 24. [Wispington—O. Vic.<sup>1</sup>]

### JARBURGHE DECAN:

BIGBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 10s. 10d. P. Rob't Terwhite, Es. I. John Syluester. Com. 69.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

BARROW-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 9li. 16s. ob. P.

The Kings Matie. I. Wm Cowper. Com. 155.

BARNETBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 4s. 2d. P. The L. B. of Lincol'. I. Rich: Bate. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com.

BONDBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 4s. 4d. ob. P. Rob't Skerne, Es. I. W<sup>m</sup> Kennington. Pr. non L. Com. 63.

Barton [St. Mary, Barton St. Peter<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 19li. 5s. ob. q'. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. 1. John Lewes. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 608. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

Broklesbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. Sli. 10s. 10d. [K.B. 7li. 10s. 10d.].

P. Sr W<sup>m</sup> Pelham. I. Edw: Watson. Com. 76.

CAYSTER CUM CLIXEBIE ET HOLTON—Q. Prebend: p'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. p'ge 32li.; vic. 7li. 6s. 8d.; Cayster—cur. 4li. sti:; Holton—cur. 4li. sti: P. The prebendarie. I. Georg Spensley. Com. 406. Folio 55.

CROXTON—Q. P'ge approp. [sic]. I'. 8li, 14s. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Thom: Thompson. Com. 60.

Cadney—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d. P.

Rob't Terwhite, Esq. I. John Tinck. Com. 200.

ELSHAm—Q. P<sup>\*</sup>ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>, W<sup>m</sup> Manbie, Esq. I. Ralph Robotham. Com. 210.

FERRIBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 12li. 17s. 6d. P. The L. B. of Lincolne. I. Thomas Peachie. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 158.

Grisbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li. 17s. 8d. P.

The Kings Matte. I. Thomas Leach. Com. 80.

GROXHILL[sic]—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 14li. 18s. P. The Kings Matie and John [blank], Esq. I. John Holland. Ċom. 470.

Horkstowe—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. 18s. 4d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Hugh Gelder. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep:

Lincoln: Com. 122.

HAWBURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li, P. S<sup>r</sup>  $W^m$  Pelham. I. Marmaduke Reyner. Com. 120.

HALTON ORIEN'—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Booth, gen:

KILLINGHOLME—Q. P'ge approp. end. with Noe grad: Dist. a vic. V. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [Sr Com. 320. W. Pelham, 1623<sup>1</sup>].

Immingham-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 18s. 4d.

P. Rob't Terwhite, Es. I. John Scamon. Com. 150.

KIRNINGTON-O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. 17s. 10d. P. Edw: Francis, ge: [Geo: Jolland, gen:, 1680]. I. Rich: Langley. Com. 100.

KEALBIE—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1'. cur. 6li. 13s. 4d.

stip: P. Edw: Aiscough, Es. I. Rob't Balles.<sup>2</sup> Com. 120.

LIMBER-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 10s. [K.B. 9li. 18s. 4d.]. P. The Kings Matie. 1. Thom: Barcroft. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 180.

<sup>1</sup> Added by later a hand.

<sup>2 &#</sup>x27;Robert Bowles' was curate and schoolmaster in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 21d.).

MELTON ROSSE PREBEND—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 8li. stip. P. The prebendarie there. I. Edw: Bella. Com. 8o.

NORTHKELSEY PREBEND—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. p'ge 16li. 10s.; vic. 4li. P. The prebendarie there. I. Thomas Walkington. Com. 400.

NETTLETON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 10s. 10d. P. Rob'rt Terwhite,

I. Henery Hooke. Com. 200.

RIBIE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 4li, 18s. 4d. P. John Legard, Es. Mr Tayler, Esq., Patron, 1621° 1. Rob't Rayner. Com. Folio 56.

SAXEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. [Michael Warton, Arm., 1681]. I. Richard Richardson. D. Mr in

Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Ebor:, Edwinum. Com. 230.

Somerbie—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 7li. 7s. 6d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Rob't Tayler. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Gawdbie R. in Gartree dee: Qual'n. By the late Arch: of Cant. Dist. 17. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:, Thomam. Com. 30.

STALLINGBURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. 10s. P. The L. B. of Lincol: 1. Tho: Welles. D. Mr in Arts.

Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 500.

SEARBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li.

D. and chapter of Lincolne. I. Thomas Berrie. Com. 161.

THORNTON [CURTIS<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 18s. 5d. P. The Kings Matie [Sr Edmund Winn<sup>1</sup>]. I. Israell Tayler. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 270. Recus. 2 men, 2 women.

WRAWBIE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. oli. 10s. [K.B. gli, 14s. 7d.]. P. Clare Hall in Camb: I. Rich: Binnes. D. Mr in Arts.

Pr. non L. Com. 400. Recus, 1 man, 2 women.

Worletbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 8s. 4d. P. Sr Jarvais Elwayes. I. Roger Hurst. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com.

Wotton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 8s. 4d. [K.B.

4li, 18s. 4d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Tho: Newton. Com. 110.

VLCEBIE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. 18s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Henery Killingley. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 200.

### LAFFORD DECANATUS

ANWICK—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 4s. 11d. ob. P. W<sup>m</sup> Thompson, ge: I. Rob't Wilson. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 140.

ASWARBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 12li. I. W<sup>m</sup> Will'ms. D. B. 4s. 7d. P. Rob't Carre, Esq. Com. 8o. Diuin: Qual'n. Degree.

ASGARBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. Dist. 3. D. B. in

14s. 4d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Carre. Com. 60.

Awnsbie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 7d. ob. P. The D. and Chapter

of Lincolne. I. Edw: Leeming. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 100.

ASHBIE [DE LA LOND¹]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic.
6li. 8d. [K.B. 6li. 8s. 4d.]. P. Edw: King, Esq. I. Tho: Schochie. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 102.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

BLOXHAm—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 4s. 4d. ob. [K.B. 9li. 9s.  $4\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Sr Gregorie Woollmcr. I. W<sup>m</sup> Coulswell. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Deeping Guthlac R. in dec: Nesse. Dist. 24. Pr. L. per Ep: Linc:, Thom: *Com.* 50.

Brounswell—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 6li. 13s. 4d. [K.B. 9li. 18s. 11\frac{1}{2}d.]. P. Sr Edw: Carre. I. Henery Holdesworth. D. B: in Arts. Com. 60.

Burton—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic 
V. vic. 7li. 12s. 8d. P. Tho: Horsman, Es. [Sr Tho: Orby, '811]. I. Wm Westhall. Com. 75. Folio 57.

Cranwell—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. - I'. vic. 3li. 6s. 8d. P. The L. B. of Lincoln. 1. Thomas Johnson. Com. 60.

DIGBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 2s. 1od. ob.

P. S<sup>r</sup> Edw: Carre. 1. John Palfreman. Com. 140.

DIRRINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 12s. 3d. [K.B. 6li. 3s. 9d.]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> and Sr Gregorie Weelmer. I. Ralph Bower. Com. 102.

Eueden—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 9li. 8s. 1d. ob. P. Daniell Harbie, Esq.

I. W<sup>m</sup> Glen. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, 1590. Com. 86.

Howell—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 10s. P. Sr Charles Dymmock

[Josephus Edmonds, ar., 1681]. I. Charles Wheldale. Com. 84.

HECKINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 12li. 16s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [Sr Henry Heron, 1686, Jan<sup>ry1</sup>]. I. Thomas Morley. Pr. non L. Com. 420.

Helpringham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 3s. 3d. P. Anthonie Newloue, ge: I. W<sup>m</sup> Burnebie. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non Com. 320.

HOALE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 6s. 3d.

The Kings Matie. I. Samuell Sanders. Pr. non L. Com. 460.

IWARBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 10s. 10d. P. Rich: Rothwell, ge: I. John Williamson. Pr. non Com. 280.

INGOLSBIE—O. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 6s. 10d. ob. P. [Gabriell More, ge:<sup>2</sup>] [Hen: More, S.T.Dr, 1684<sup>1</sup>]. I. John Fisher. D. Mr in Arts. *Pr.* non. *Com.* 209.

KIRKBIE [Sti DIONYSII<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 12s. 6d. P. St W<sup>m</sup> Carre [St Rob't Carr, 1681<sup>1</sup>]. I. Rob't Heblethwait. D. B: in Diuin: Dup. Beckingham in dec. Loueden. Qual'n. Degre. Pr. L. per Vniuers: Cant: Com. 170.

KYME—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. V. 10li. stip. P. Sr Edw: Dymmock. I. [Tho: Duffield<sup>2</sup>] [Francis Collie<sup>1</sup>]. D. [Art.

 $M^{r1}$ ]. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, 1608. Com. 300.

Lessingham Borealis—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 15s. 5d. Rob't Barnard, ge: [Gul: Thorrold, Barr:, per Guard:, 1680<sup>1</sup>]. John Morris. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:

Lessingham Australis—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 13li. 2s. 8d. ob. 80. P. Sr John Stanhope [Jane Drake, widdow, 1680]. I. Thomas Noak.

Quarington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 2s. 3d. ob. P. Rob't Carre, Esq I. Rob't Hitchcock. Com. 120.

Rowston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 5s. 5d. P.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

James Revet, gen. [Nicolaus Bacon Ryvett, 16861]. I. Cr'ofer Hawes. Pr. L per Ep: London: Com. 70.

Ruskington R.2—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. P. The Kings Matie.

W<sup>m</sup> Willimott. Pr. L: per Ep: Lincol: Com. 231. Recus. 1 man.

Ruskington V.—Q. P'ge this medietie approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 3li. 7s. 3d. [K.B. 3li. 17s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Willerton. Com. both one parish.

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ROWSBIE—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 10li. 12s. ob. [Memorandum that Rawsby in the first fruits Office is valued at no more than 5li. os. 11d. as is attested by Mr William Prettyman. P. Sr John Stanhope [Gul: Thorold, Barronettus, 1680]. I. John Talbott. Com.

SLEEFORD Nova—Q. Prebend or p'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. p'ge 10li. 19s. 7d. [K.B. 11li. 19s. 7d.]; vic. 8li. P. The prebendarie theirof. I. Edm: Newton. Com. 440.

SWARBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. P. Georg Fayrefax, ge: I. Tho: Beare. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 94.

SKREDINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 15s. 2d. ob. P. The D. and Chapter of Lincoln. 1. Rich: Rochford. Com. 140. WILLOUGHBIE CUM SILK:—Q. P'ge prop. V. 14li. 8s. 1d. ob. P.

Sr Wm Armin [Tho: Barnardiston, Barrtus, 16821]. I. Hugh Tuke. Mr in Arts. Pr. L: per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 180.

### LINCOLN: CIUITATIS DECAN:

St. Bennetts—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. The Chaunter of the Cathedrall Church of Lincoln. I. John Halley. Com. 127.

St. Botolphes—Q. Prebend, a p'ge approp. I'. p'ge 20s.; cur:

smale tiths 20s. valew. P. The prebend: I.  $W^{m}$  Miles. Com. 107.

St. Martins—Q. Prebend, p'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 4li. 13s. 4d. P. The prebendarie. I.  $W^m$  Ingram. Com. 304.

St. Maries—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 3s. 4d. ob. P. The Chanter of the Cathedrall Church there. I. John Cheueley. Com. 80.

St. Michaell—Q. P'ge approp. to the Chantership in the Cathedrall Church ther. I. cur. 4li. stip. P. The Chanter. I. Adam Gartsed.

St. Margarets—Q. The tithes here belong to the prebend of Hevdor. I'. cur. 20s. P. The prebend: of Heydor. I. Georg Moch. Com.

St. Marie Magdalene—Q. The Rectorie is a donatiue. I'. p'ge 5li.; cur. 5li. stip. P. The D. and Chapter of Lincoln. I. John Cheesman. Com. 213.

St. Nicholas—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. P. The D. and

Chapter of Lincoln. I. Rich. Foster. Com. 76.

St. Peters at Arches—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 5li. 12s. 8d. ob. P. [The Kings Majestye<sup>1</sup>]. I. Adam Gartsted. Com. 123.

St. Pauls—Q. P'ge prop., but voyd it is so smale. I'. p'ge 10li. 10d.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This is a mediety of the rectory.

[K.B. 21i. 5s. 10d.]; cur. 10li. 10d. in smal tiths. P. The Kings Matie. I. Tho: Forman. Com. 123.

St. Peters at Gots—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. P. The

Chaunter. I. Wm Tayler. Com. 149.

ST. Peters in Eastgat—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur. 4li. P. The Chanter. I. Rob't Nicholson. Com. 252. Folio 59.

St. Swithans—O. P'ge approp. I'. cur. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. The

Chanter. I. John Hawley. Com. 70.

### LONGOBOBIE DECANATUS

Armstone—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. 6s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Vincent. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 198.

Boothbie [iuxta Nauenby<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 12s. 1d. P. John Thompson, gen: I. Francis Prigeon. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non

L. Com. 78.

Bracebrigg—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 3li. 9s. 10d. ob. P. Sr Tho: Grantham. I. Anthonie Hartley. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 70.

Braunston—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 17s. 11d. [K.B. 18li. 17s. 11d.]. P. Sr Wm Wraye [Tho: Meres, Miles, 16801]. I. Cutbert Dale. D. B: in diuin: Pr. L. per Vniuer; Cant: Com 230. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

BLANCKNEY-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 10s. 7d. ob. [K.B. 16li. 10s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Anthonie Thorold, Es. I. W<sup>m</sup> Lownd. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 220.

BILLINGAYE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 11li. 4s. 2d. [K.B. 13li. 14s.]. P. Sr Edw: Dymmock. I. Wm Johnson. Com. 360. Recus. 1 man.

CANWICK—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 3s. 4d. [K.B. 5li. 6s. 8d.]. P. Mr Auditor Conniers [Tho: Freeston and Mary uxor,  $82^{\circ}$ ]. I. Wm Tayler. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 107.

Colbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 12s. 2d.

Oryell Coll: in Oxon. I. Wm Lange. Com. 179.

Duxston-Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 1od. P. The L. B. of Lincoln I. Rob't Gray. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 120.

Hanworth—O. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 6s. 8d. [K.B. 13li. 16s. 8d.]. P. The Kings Matie, I. Amos Bedford. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: *Com.* 140.

KIRKBIE GREENE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 11li. 7s.

6d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Nicholas Marten. Com. 80.

METHERINGTON [sic]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 8li. 1d. P. Sr Edw: Carre. I. Richard Wilson. Pr. L. Com. 200.

Nocton [alias Nortox $^1$ ]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 10s. 10d. [K.B. 7li. 17s. 11d.]. P. The Kings Matie. I. Wm Crowther. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. Com. 80.

NAVENBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 10s. P. Christ Coll: in Camb:

I. Alan Hanbie. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 122.

Scopwick—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 8li. P. The L. B. of Lincol'. *I.* Georg Bond.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand,

Skimmond-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 13s. 9d. ob. P. Sr Edw: Harrington [Jo: Cary de Stanwell in Com: Midd:, Ar:, 16801]. I. Michaell Hanworth. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 15. Folio 60.

TIMBERLAND—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 12li. 2s. 11d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Tho: Humbleton. Com. 298.

Waddinton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 20li. 16s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. Alexander Southack. D. B. in Diuin: Pr. L. per Ep. Lincol: Com. 270.

Welborne—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 19li. 16s. ob. P. Sr John Popham,

L. cheif iustice. I. Francis Trigge. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 169. WASHINBURGH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 26li. 13s. 4d. P. Hamond Sutton, gent. I. Hugh Browne. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 256.

Wellingore—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 11li. 10s. P. The Deane and Chapter of Lincoln. I. John Nichols. Com. 280.

### LOUEDEN DECANATUS

ANCASTER—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 6li. 13s. 4d. P. Th: Towne, yeom'. I. Richard Gace. D. noe grad: Dup. Honington V: in Grantham dec: Qual'n. o. Pr. non L. Com. 118.

Benington [alias Long Billington<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 20li. 22d. ob. P. The Kings Matie iure duc: Lanc: I. Henery Sharrock. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Ebor: Com. 680.

Beckingham—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 41li. 6s. 8d. I. Rob't Heblethwayt. D. B: in diuin: Dup. Kirkbie R. in Lafford dec: Qual'n. degree. Dist. 10. Com. 223.

Brantbroughton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 35li. 13s. 4d. P. Elizabeth Vaux, vid'. I. Roger Parker. D. Dr in Diui: Dup. Kettlethorp R. in

Lawres dec: Qual'n. degree. Dist. 12. Com. 292.

CATHORP—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. 11s. 10d. ob. P. Anthonie
Thorold. I. Richard Thorold. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 45.

Carleton Scroop—Q. P'ge prop. I. 13li. 17s. ob. [K.B. 13 $\overline{li}$ . 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. [Robert Palmer, Esq. 1]. I. W<sup>m</sup> Pointell. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 103.

CLAYPOLL AUSTRALIS—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 15li. 15s. I. P. Rob't Martin Crowsfield. D. B: in Arts.
CLAYPOLL BOREAL.—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 16li. 8s. 2d. I. Esqu: Tho: Townerowe.

FENTON CAPLA—Q. See Beckingham abousayd. I'. cur. 4li. stip.

I. Tho: Wright. Com. 37.

Fulbeck—Q. P'ge prop. V. 20li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. Ephraim Garthwayt [Harvey Stanton, ar., 16801]. I. Miles Garthwayt. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol:

HAUGHAM CUM MARSTON—O. P'ge prop. I'. 33li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. John Brudnell, Esq. I. Henery Nelson. D. B: in diui: Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 340.

Hough—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I. vic. 15li. 6s. 8d. P. Anthonie Thorold and Auditor Coniers, owners; The King's Matie, pat:

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

I. Matthew Rushton. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com.

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Lednam—Q. P'ge prop. V. 29li. 12s. 8d. ob. I. Rich: Lange. Com. 278.

NORMANTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. 2s. 6d. P. [Sr Robert<sup>1</sup>] Carre. I. Rich: More. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 70.

STRAGLETHORP CAP.—Q. See Beckingham aforesayd. I. Tho:

Wright. Com. 45. STUBTON—Q. P'ge prop. I. 12li. 3s. 9d. P. Sr Jo: Stanhope [Tho: Moore, Gen.,  $1682-3^{1}$ ]. I. Henery Brumley. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 104.

Westburgh—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 20li. P. Antho: Thorold, Es. I. Cr'ofer Wilson. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Grantham<sup>2</sup> R. in Corringham dec. Qual'n. By the late Earle of Rutland. Dist. 26. Com. Pr. L. per Vniuers. Cant. 120.

WESTBOURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 6li. 3s. 4d. [K.B. 6li. 13s. 4d.]. P. Sr Jo: Stanhope. I. Andrew

Sharp. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:

### LOUTHESK CUM LUDBURGH DEC:

Aluingham—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. I'. cur: 40s. stip. P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Tho: Barret. Dup. Cockrington. Com. 83. Recus. 3 men, 1 woman.

AWTHORP—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 13s. 4d. P. Sr Hen: Glenham.

Com. 58.

BURWELL—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. but served by a Curat. I'. vic. 8li.; cur: 5li. stip. P. Sr Hen: Glenham. I. Rich: Rodes. Com. 90.

CARLTON PARUA—Q. P'ge prop. V. 5li. 16s. 10d. ob. P. Charles Cooke, ge: I. Wm Laythwayt. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Anderbie R. in

Calcewath dec: Qual'n. o. Dist. 5. Com. 36.

Castle Carlton—Q. The p'ge is a donative without a vic. V. cur. 5li. stip. P. Sr Roger Halton, Francis Thorndike, Mr Stare, owners. I. Georg Thorndike. Com. 40.

Carlton Magna—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 13s.

4d. P. Franc: Thorndike, ge. I. Thom: Ellis. Com. 120.

Coningsholme—O. P'ge prop. I'. gli. 13s. 6d. ob. I. Rich: Porton.<sup>3</sup>

Conham Barth'i—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 12s. 8d. ob. Barnes, Esq. I. W<sup>m</sup> Buck. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 120.

Conham Marie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 10li. P. The Kings Matie. I.

Tho: West. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 64.

Cockrington Leonard—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 17s. ob. [K.B. 5li. 1s.  $5\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. The L. B of Lincolne. I. Franc: Marshall. Com. 110.

Cockrington Marie—Q. P'ge approp. not end, with a vic.—I'. cur.

<sup>2</sup> Rectius Grayingham.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>3</sup> Rectius 'Porter' (see above, p. 180).

40s. P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Tho: Barret. Dup. Aluingham. Com. 153.

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Calstrop, Eastwickham—Q. P'ge prop. Eastwickham, p'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. p'ge 6li. 2s. 6d.; vic. 3li. 6s. 8d. P. The Earle of Arundell. The Kings Matie. I. Rich: Thornell. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: *Host*. one Church. *Com.* Calstrop 32, Eastwickham 3. FARFORTH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 6s. 8d. P. Georg Anton, Esq.

I. Tho: Yates. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 42.

Fulstowe—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li. [K.B. 8li. 10s. 3d.]. P. The L. Willoughbie of Earsbie. I. Georg Clark. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 400.

Fotherbie—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 3li. P. Tho: Tayler, Es. I. Thomas Robinson. Com. 60. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

Grimesbie Parua—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., but voyd. \(\Implies\). eur. 5li. stip. P. Anth: Thorold, Esq. I. Thomas Robinson. Com. 12. GARTHORP—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1. cur. 15li. stip. Com. 340.

GRIMOLBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 10s. P. The Lad: Hennadg,

vid: I. John Cash. Pr. non. Com. 180.

Gayton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 11s. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. Ι. Rich: Bartholmewe. Com. 32.

Haugham—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 8li. 2od.

W<sup>m</sup> Hanbie, Esq. I. John Coe. Com. 50.

HALLINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 15s. 7d. ob. P. The Countesse of Southampton. I. Hen: Fayrebanek. Com. 70. JARBURGH—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 9li. 13s. 9d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Radley, gent. I. [blank] Bennet. D. Mr of Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln:, Barlow.<sup>1</sup> Com. 133. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

Kedington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., but voyd. I'. vic. 53s. 4d. [K.B. 3li. 6s. 8d.]; cur: 6li. 13s. 4d. sti. I. Bennet Clark.

Kelsterne—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 13s. 4d.

P. The Kings Matie. I. Rob't Pannott. Com. 56.

LUDBURGH-O. P'ge prop. V. 20li. 17s. 8d. ob. P. Tho: Morrison, Esq. I. David Allen. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com.

Lowth--O. Prebend p'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. p'ge 36li. 5s. 4d.; vic. 12li. P. The prebendarie, Mr Tuswell. I. Alexander Cooke. Com. 1400.

Muckton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 3s. 6d. ob. P. Sr Hen: Glenham.

[Matt: Lister, 1682<sup>2</sup>]. I. Rob't Beckring. Com. 72.

MANBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 10s. 2d. ob. P. Sr Edw; Dymmock. I. Tho: Downes. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Lusbie R. in dec: Bullingbrook. Qual'n. By the late Earle of Lincol'. Com. 111.

NORTHELKINGTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1. vic. 4li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. Sr John Luke. I. Rob't Whicham. D. Mr in Arts. Pr.

non. Com. 36.

<sup>1</sup> This item is written by the original scribe, but it must be a few years later than the Liber, since Barlow became bishop of Lincoln in 1608, unless, indeed, the Liber in its present form was compiled at a rather later date from the original returns. <sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

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ORMESBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 3li. P. The

Kings Matie. I. John Kelk. Com. 60.

RATHBIE—Q. P'ge prop. I. 12li. 6s. ob. P. Wm Hambie, Esq. [Barnaby Bowtell, Magdal' Bowtell, 1681]. I. Rich: Hambie. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 44.

RUCKLAND—O. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 3s. 9d. P. Leon Skipwith, ge:

I. Ralph Leavers. Pr. non. Com. 21.

RESTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 10s. 11d. ob.

P. Sr Charles Dimmock. 1. Jo. Thomas Dyon. Com. 42.

Salfletbie Petri—Q. P'ge prop. U. 5li. P. Charles Cook, ge., Rob't Greene, yeom'. I. John Squire. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 92.

Salfletbie Clementis—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 7li. 2d. ob. P. The Kings

Matie iure duc: Lanc: I. Henery Cramer. Com. 56.

Salfletbie omnium Sanctorum—O. P'ge prop. 1'. 12li. 19s. 4d. ob. P. Magdalen Coll: in Oxon. I. Thom: Leonard. D. B: in Diuinit: Pr. L. per Vniuer: Cant: Com. 120.

Skidbrok—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 11li. 3s. 2d. ob. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. W<sup>m</sup> Dye. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lin-

col: Com. 150.

[NORTH<sup>1</sup>] Somercotes Marie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 18s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. John Williamson. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 24.

Somercotes [Australis alias Sancti<sup>1</sup>] Petri—Q. P'ge prop. 22li. 6s. 3d. P. The Kings Matie iure duc: Lanc: I. Wm Cotes. Pr. non.

Com. 250.

Stewton—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. P. Sr Hen: Glenham. I. Hugh

Aiscough. Com. 28.

Sothelkington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. 6s. 6d. P. Sr John Bolle. I. Thom: Banck. Pr. non. Com. 120.

TATHWELL—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. roli. P. D: and Chapt' of Lincol', owners; and L. B: of Lincoln, Patron. I. Reginald Hatfield. Com. 60.

UTTERBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. voyd. I'. vic. 5li. 6s. 8d. P. Vnknowne. I. W<sup>m</sup> Lacebie. Com. 54.

WYAM—Q. P'ge prop. I. 8li. P. Thom: Ellis, Esq. I. Thom:

Mombie. Com. 33.

WITHALL [sic]—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 16s. 10d. ob. P. The Kings

Matie I. Walter Allen. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 50.

Welton—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 11li. 12s. 1d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I John Kighley. Com. 40.

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NESSE DECANATUS [alias STAMFORD DEC:1 [sic]]

Baston—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 15d. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>, Pat: ; S<sup>r</sup> Jo: Spenser, owner. I. Edw: Stoakes. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 203.

BURHOLME—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 11s. 8d. P. The Kings Matie. I. John Bull. D. B. in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 64.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'John' should probably be omitted (cp. pp. 87, 152, 181; L.R.S., ii, 186, 237).

Braceburgh—Q. P'ge prop. I'. oli. 10s. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>, I. Gawin Harriman. D. B. in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 70.

CARLEBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 9li. 22d. ob. P. The L. Burleigh and Rob't Monck. I. Tho: Baguley. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 83.

DEEPING JACOBI—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 19li. 11s. ob. [K.B. 6li. 19s.  $9\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. Tho: Lowe, Alderman of London. I. Rob't More. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 806.

Deeping Guthlaci—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 16li. 15d. P. The L. Burliegh. I. Wm Coulsell. D. Mr in Arts. Dup. Bloxham R: in Lafford dec: Qual'n. By the late L. B: of Lincol, Dist. 24. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 362.

Gretford—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 18li. 10s. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I.

John Tunstall. Pr. non. Com. 128.

Langtoft—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 5li, 5s. 7d. ob. P. Sergeant Herne. I. Rob't Gregg. Pr. L. per Ep; Lincoln; Com. 202.

STOWE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic., voyd. V. vic. 4li. 3s. 9d.

P. Rob't Johnson, Archd: of Lecest: I. Jo: Bull. Com. 33.

Tallington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 9li. 9s. 9d. ob. [K.B. 8li. 9s. 8d.]. P. Sr Roger Manors. I. Rob't Wright. Com. 72.

Thurlbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 10li. 9s. 4d. ob.

P. Eaton Colledg. I. W<sup>m</sup> Baker. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincol: Com. 323. VFFINGTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 21li. 5s. 2d. ob. P. The Earle of Rutland. I. Laurence Stanton [Tho: Spratt<sup>1</sup>]. D. Dr in diuin: [Dr in Divinity<sup>1</sup>]. Com. 183.

WEST DEEPING—Q. P'ge prop. 1. 9li. 17s. 11d. P. [The Kings

Matyel]. I. Anth: Hunt. Pr. non. Com. 64.

### STAMPFORD DECANATUS

St. Marie—Q. P'ge, approp. or noe, he knowes not. I'. p'ge 4li. 8s.

9d. [K.B. 4li. 18s. 9d.]; cur. 4li. stip. P. [The Lo: B<sup>pp</sup> of Lincol' supposed, vid: book of Acts Feb: 3<sup>d</sup>, 1624<sup>1</sup>]. I. Tho: Barnewell. Com. 200. All Saints—Q. P'ge approp. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> presenteth once, end. with a vic. V. vic. 3li. 15s. and Broksebies twise. I. Thomas St. Peters—Q. P'ge prop. Barker. D. B. in Arts. Dup. both V. 8li. 17s. 8d. ob. vnited. Pr. non L. Com. 203.

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St Mich'is, St Andrew—Q. Parsonages approp. end. with vicaridges. V. P. The Ladie Burleigh is Patron of these 3 vnited Churches. I. Thomas Shorthoes. Pr. non St Stephans—Q. P'ge prop. I'. L. Com. 200.

58s. 9d.

S<sup>ti</sup> Georgii—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 3li 10s. 7d. ob. 1. Richard Snow-P. Tho: Rippington, Esq., [blank] Broksbie, ge:, den. D. noe grad: and the Alderman of Stampford. Com. 80. > Qual'n. L: Crum-

Sti Joh'ıs—Q. P'ge prop. V. 4li, 10s. 10d. P. well. Dist.  $\frac{1}{8}$ .

vt supra. Com. 60. Recus. 1 man, 2 women.

#### WALLESCROFT DECANATUS

BINBROOKE GABRIELL—Q. Noe p'ge but a portion of ground belong-

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand.

ing to Milton prebend; vic. end. V. vic. 8li. P. The prebend' of Milton Mannor. 1. Hugh Carter. Com. 112.

BINBROOK MARIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 10li. 4s. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Rich: Adamson. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 70.

CROXBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 6li. 4s. 2d. P. The Kings Matie. W<sup>m</sup> Nayler. D. Bac: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 44.

CLAXBIE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 10s. 10d. P. Judith Witherwick.

I. Rich: Codde. Com. 107. Recus. 3 men, 1 woman.

Eastrasine—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic: V. vic. 10li. P. The Kings Matie. I. Thomas Horrocks. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 360.

Kirkbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 8li. 11s. 8d. [K.B. 8li, 18s. 4d.]. P. Sr Tho: Mounson. I. Rob't Fetherston. Com.

KINGERBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. P. The la: Pickering. I. Nicholas Clark. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln. Com. 50.

Kelsey Marie—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. 4s. 2d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

I. W<sup>m</sup> Mason. D. B: in Diuin. Pr. L. Com. 160.

Kelsey Nich'ı—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. Sr Edw: Aiscough. I. Francis Rawlingson. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L: per Ep; Lincoln. Com. 90.

Lixwoon—Q. P'ge prop. V. 16li. 4s. 2d. P. [Robert Terwhite, Esq.<sup>2</sup>] [Car: Cæsar, Miles, 1685<sup>3</sup>]. I. Mordoche Bownell.

Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: London:  $\overline{Com}$ . 150.

NEWTON-Q. P'ge prop. I'. 4li. 11s. 10d. P. Sr Phillip Constable [L<sup>d</sup> Castleton, '82<sup>3</sup>]. I. Tho: Lawson. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 50.

NORMANBIE—Q. P'ge prop. 1'. 9li. 10s. 10d. P. Judith Witherwick.

I. Tho: Bilcliffe. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 92.

OWERSBIE—Q. P'ge approp: end. with a vic. 1. vic. 8li. 18s. 4d. P. S<sup>r</sup> Tho: Mounson, owner; Ambrose West, yeom', patron. I. Ambrose West. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep; Lincoln: Com. 200. Folio 66.

RASINE DRAX—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Michael Jessep. Com. 120.

Rasine Tupholme—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li.

P. The L. B. of Lincoln. I. Tho: Typpin. Pr. non. Com. 160.

STAINTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 4li. 17s. 6d. P. The Kings ) I. W<sup>m</sup> Matie. Com. 58. Field.

Thorganbie 3 partium—Q. P'ge prop. V. 7li. 17s. 6d. (D. noe P. Tho: Gilbie, ge: Com. 55. grad:

THORGANBIE 4 PARTIUM<sup>4</sup>—Q. P'ge prop. V. 30s. 2d. ob.

Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

THORESWAY—Q. P'ge prop. V. 8li. 10s. 10d. P. The Kings Matie. 1. David Hadeliff. D. B. in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep. Lincoln: Com. 225. TEVELBIE—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 6li. 16s 8d.

P. Rob't Terwhit, Es: I. Wm Ward. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 327.

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'M.A.' (see Valuatio Beneficiorum, below; P.D., 1596, no. 39).

<sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand. 3 Added by a later hand.

<sup>4</sup> Rectius 'quarte partis'.

THORNTON LE MORE—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li, 10s. 10d. P. Sr Edw: Aiscough. I. Oliuer Waters. Dup. Hattcliff R:, dec: Grimsbie. Qual'n. by the Arch: B: of Cant: Dist. 8. Com. 28.

TOFT—Q. P'ge prop. V. 9li. 10s. 10d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>.

Georg Bilcliff. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 80.

Westrasine—Q. \*P'ge prop. V. 19li. 10s. 10d. P. Rob't Will'mson, ge. I. Tho: Stockham. D. B: in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 160.

WALLESBIE—O. P'ge prop. V. 23li. 8s. 1d. ob. [K.B. 23li. 18s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ .]. P. John Connvers, esq. I. Edw: Spinks. Pr. L per Ep: Lincoln. Com.

WILLINGHAM—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 5li. 4s. 4d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Henneage, Esq.  $\widetilde{I}$ . Adam Baxter. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L.

VTTERBIE<sup>2</sup>—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. V. cur. 3li. 6s. 8d.

P. John Dye. I. Wm Vtterbie. Com. 56.

### WRAGGO DECANATUS

APELEY—Q. P'ge approp. not end. with a vic. 1. cur. 46s. 8d. stip. P. Sr Phillip Terwhit. I. Ralph Reueley. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 50.

BURGH—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 7li. 10s, 10d. P.

W<sup>m</sup> Welcome, ge: I. Eustace Doughtie. Pr. non. Com. 56.

Візтектнокр [sic]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 15s. 4d. [K.В. 5li. 18s. 4d.].

P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. 1. Hen: Leach. Pr. non. Com. 50.
Benningworth—Q. P'ge prop. V. 23li. 8s. 6d. ob. P. W<sup>m</sup> Hennage, Es: [Sr Hen: Heron, mil: Balnei, 1680<sup>8</sup>]. I. Hugh Bilcliff. Com. 200. Folio 67.

BARDNEY—O. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. 1'. vic. 7li. P. The L.

B. of Lincoln. I. John Gartsted. Com. 400.

Easterrington—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. 10d. P. The old Countesse of Rutland. I. Cr'ofer Chapman. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 70.

EASTBARKWITH—Q. P'ge prop. V. 11li. 10s. 10d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Hennage, Esq. [or Jo: Brownlowe and W<sup>m</sup> Brownlowe<sup>4</sup>]. I. Charles Richardson.

D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 90.

HAINTON—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 7li. 10s. 10d.; cur. oli. stip. P. The D. and Chapter of Lincoln. I. Roger Dighton. Com. 178.

Houlton cum Beckring—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 17li. 10s. 10d. P.

The Earle of Rutland. Com. 200.

HATTON—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 7li. 10s. P. Ch'ofer Dighton, ge: [Sr Humf: Winch, Bartt, 1680 $^{8}$ ]. I. Gabriell Bewet. D. Mr of of [sic] Arts. Dup. Harrington R., Hill Dec: Qual'n. By the L. Willowbie of Parham.

Dist. 8. Pr. non. Com. 82.

KIRMOND—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 5li. P. W<sup>m</sup>

Hennage, Esq. I. Rob't Seale. Com. 50.

Rectius 'Ussleby.'
 Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Edmund' (Reg. xxx, f. 166; P.D. 1601, no. 72).

<sup>4</sup> Added by a somewhat later hand.

Lissington—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 12li. 16s. 8d. P. The D. and Chapter of York. I. John White. D. Mr in Arts. Com. 79.

Ludford Parua—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 18s. 4d. P. Marie Brox-

holm', vid. I. Peter Brittanne. Com. 40.

LUDFORD MAGN:—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. l'. vic. 4li. [K.B. 4li. 4s. 4\frac{1}{2}d.]. P. Wm Hennage, Esq. I. Georg Blanchard. D. B: in Arts. Pr. non. Com. 60.

[Langhton<sup>2</sup>] [Langton Iuxta Wragby<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. 13s. 4d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> [D'na Elizabetha Pierrepont, vid', '70, '80']. I. Rob't Pepelech.<sup>3</sup> Com. 122.

Leggesbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. 4s. 2d.

P. Sr Georg St Poll, owner. The heyre of Hamlet Marshall, Clark, patron. I. Hamlet Marshall. D. B: in Arts. Dup. Staunton V. in eodem dec: Qual'n. By the Arch: of Cant: Dist. 2. Com. 92.
PANTON—Q. P'ge prop. V. 12li. P. The Incumbent. I. Walter

Shepperd. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 84.

RANDE CUM GOLTHOE—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 8li. 5s. P. Sr James

Harrington. I. Humfrey Barlow. Pr. non. Com. 123.

STAYNTOII—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. V. vic. 4li. 18s. 4d. P. The Earle of Darbie. 1. Hamlet Marshall. D. B. in Arts.  $Du\phi$ . Leggesbie V: in eodem dec: Dist. 2. Com. 106.

SNELLAND—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 3li. 17s. 6d. P. Sr Geo: St Poll. I.

W<sup>m</sup> Pell. D. Mr in Arts. Pr. L. per Ep: Lincoln: Com. 50.

Sixhill—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic. I'. vic. 6li. P. [Sr Henry Heron, mil. Balnei, 1679<sup>1</sup>]. I. Humfrey Harrison. Com. 43. Recus.

STAINFIELD—Q. P'ge approp. not end, with a vic. V. cur: 4li, stip. P. S<sup>r</sup> Phill: Terwhite. 1. Ralph Leueley.

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Sotbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. oli. 10d. P. The Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. I. Hamlet Gregg. Pr. L. per Arch: Cant: Com. 80.

Wickenbie—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 6li. 17s. 6d. ) I. Georg Buddle. *P.* [*blank*] Booth. *Com.* 83. D. B: in diuin: FRISTROP—Q. P'ge prop., a peculiar. P. The Qual'n. Arch: Cant:

de; and Chapter of Lincolne. Com. 45. Dist. 1.

V. vic. 8li. 4s. 2d. P. Wragbie—Q. P'ge approp. end. with a vic.

Franc: Tooley, ge: 1. Ch'ofer Burton. Com. 160.

WESTBARKWITH [WESTBARKWORTH<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. WESTBARKWITH [WESTBARKWORTH<sup>1</sup>]—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 5li. 10s. [K B. 5li. 5s.]. P. Sr Antho: Turringham. I. Rich: Perston.<sup>4</sup> D. Mr in Arts. Pr. non L. Com. 58.

WILLINGHAM—Q. P'ge prop. I'. 13li. 10s. 10d. P. W<sup>m</sup> Hennage,

Esq. I. James Bancroft.  $\vec{Pr}$ . non. Com. 110.

Westerrington—Q. P'ge approp end. with a vic. I'. vic. 4li. [K.B. 5li. 5s.]. P. Sr Geo: St Poll. I. Wm Marshall. Pr. non. Com. 100.

### ARCHIDIACONATUS STOWE:

The return for this archdeacoury is not printed here because all the particulars are contained either in the Liber Cleri, A.D. 1598, or in the Liber Cleri, 1603-4, which are printed below.

<sup>1</sup> Added by a later hand. <sup>2</sup> Struck out by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Rectius 'Depelech' (see p. 183; L.C. 1614, f. 14d.). <sup>4</sup> Rectius 'Preston' (see p. 183; P.D., 1591, no. 12).

## [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1598.]

[Lincoln Diocesan Registry.]

Folio 1.

### STOW ARCHIDIACONATUS

### ASLACKHOE DECANATUS

Churcheis—Parsones, vicars & Curates. Chappells & Curates.

BLYBURGHE—a parsonage; her matie [patron]; Henry Askoughe, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospital'; no other benefice; not leased.

Caneby—a parsonage; her matie [patron]; Richard Lamming, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried;

resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; leased.

CAMMERINGHAME—a vicaridge; Marmaduk Tirwhite, patrone; Symon Arrowsmithe, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased. Folio 1d.

Cotes—a vicaridge, voyd.

FILLINGHame—a parsonage; Baliol colledg in Oxon, patrone; void

of an incumbent.

[Glentham]—Robert Bennet, curate; bachiler of art; full minister; no preacher; admytted by  $M^r$  Commissary; of good behaviour; vn-maried; not beneficed; but one cure.

Folio 2.

GLENTWORTHE—a vicarage; Sr W<sup>m</sup> Wray, knight, patronn; Robert Catlyn, incumbent; no graduate; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

HACKTHORNE—a vicaridge; the quenes matie, patrone; Xp'ofer Feildinge, incumbent; no graduate; a preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resident; hospitallis; no other benefice; not leased.

Hanworthe—a parsonage; M<sup>r</sup> Robert Granntham, [patron]; Robert Cramme, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 2d.

Harpeswell—The parsonage here ys impropiated And ther ys here no vicaridg; Thomas Bulcocke, curate; mr of arts; full minister; a preacher; admytted by —; of good behaviour; maried; not beneficed; curate also of Hemswell; stipend yerelie vs vili.

Hemmeswell—The parsonage here ys impropiate and ther ys no vicaridge; Thomas Bulcock, curate; mr of artes; full minister; a preacher; admytted by—; of good behaviour; maried; not beneficed;

curate also of Harpeswell aforesayd; stipend yerely ys xjli.

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INGHAME—a vycaridge; Robert Mounson, gent, [patron]; Thomas Walker, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

NORMANBY—a vycaridge; the eathedrall church of Lincoln, [patron]; Thomas Wade, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

OWMBIE—a parsonage; the quenes matie, patronne; Phillipp Wright, incumbent; bachiler of art; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 3d.

Spridlington—a parsonage; John Oldfeild, gent., patronne; Robert Shaw, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Saxby—a vicaridge; Nicholas Saunderson, esq<sup>r</sup>, patrone; Thomas Watson, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; his behaviour not knowen for th<sup>t</sup> he lyeuthe not in the countie; not resydent; not hospitalis.

Waddinghame Petri—a personage; the quenes matie, patronne; Robert Pritchard, incumbent; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; not resydent; not hospitallis; letten to Mr Turswell.

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WYLLAWGTON—a vicaridge; Nicholas Ryley, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

### CORRINGHAME DECANATUS

BLYTONNE—a vicaridge; Sr W<sup>m</sup> Wraie, patrone, in her ma<sup>ties</sup> right; Robert Atkinsonne, incumbent; m<sup>r</sup> of arte; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 4d.

BELTONNE—John Meltonne, curate; bachiler of artes; full minister; a preacher; admytted by Mr Commissary; of good behaviour; maried;

not beneficed; but one cure; stipend, xili.

EPWORTHE—a parsonage; her matie [patron]; Rychard Massey, incumbent; mr of art; of good behaviour; vnmaried; not resydent; not hospitalis; not leased.

Richard Barnard, curate; bachiler of art; full minister; a preacher; admitted by  $M^r$  Commissary; of good behaviour; not beneficed; no other cure.

Folio 5.

GAYNSBURGHE—a vicaridge; John Jackson, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other

benefice; not leased.

Greinghame—a parsonage; the heir of S<sup>r</sup> Anthony Thorold, knight, [patron]; Chr'ofer Wilson, incumbent; m<sup>r</sup> of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resident; not hospitalis; parson also of Westburghe in y<sup>e</sup> deanery of Loveden in tharchdeaccury of Lincoln.

Richard Fisher, curate; no graduate; a deacon; no preacher;

of good behaviour; maried; not beneficed; no other cure.

Folio 5d.

Haxay—a vycaridge; tharchbishop of Yorke, patrone; John Newland, incumbent: m<sup>r</sup> of arte; a preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; resydent; hospitalis; vycar also of Gedney in Holland; not leased.

Heapame—a parsonage; her matie, patrone; William Farmery, incumbent; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; parson

of Springthorp in this deaneric.

Folio 6.

Lea—a personage; Mr Welpoole, patrone; Theodor Walpoll, incumbent; bachiler of arte; no precher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; parson of Gayteburton in the deanerie of Lawres in this archdeaconry of Stow; not leased.

Lawghtoune—a vicaridge; Mr Dalisone, patrone; Rob't Bull, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried;

resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

M<sup>r</sup> Barlowe; scholem<sup>r</sup>; no graduate; not in orders; no preacher; admytted by M<sup>r</sup> Commissary: of good behaviour; not maried; not beneficed; his yerely stipend ys xxli.

Folio 6d.

Northrope—a vicaridge; the L. Bishop of Lincoln, patronne; no incumbent; Ralphe Robothom, curate; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; not beneficed; no other cure.

Owstonne—a vycaridge; Tharchbishop of Yorke, patronne; Robert Charleton, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; not otherwise beneficed; not leased.

Chappell: Westbutterwicke—John Rhodes, curate; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; not beneficed; no other cure; stipend.

Folio 7.

Pylhame—a personadge; her matie, patrone; Ralf Wray, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent;

hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Skottor—a personage; the deane and chapter of Peterburghe, patronne; John Dawbnay, incumbent; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 7d.

Skottonne—a personadge; Mr Meares, patronne; John Cooper, incumbent; bachiler of diuinitie; a preacher; of good behaviour; vn-maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; prebendarie and residenciarie of the collegiat churche of Sowthwell of York dioc.

John Barlowe, curate; no graduate; no preacher; admytted by [blank]; of good behaviour; not beneficed; no other cure.

Folio 8.

Springthorpe—a personage; her matie, patrone; William Famery, incumbent; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; parson also of Heapam in this deanerie; not leased.

WROOTE—a vicaridge; her matie, patrone; Rob't Dobsonne, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 'Farmery,' as above under 'Heapame'.

Folio 8d.

### LAWRES DECANATUS

Aystrope—a personage; Mr Amcote, patrone; Stephen Luddington, incumbent; a maister of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resident; not begrifale; no other benefice.

maried; not resident; not hospitalis; no other benefice.

BROXHOLME—a personage; Sr Thomas Mounson, knight, patrone;
Francis Remington, incumbent; bachiler of divinitie; no preacher;
of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice;
not leased.

Folio 9.

BURTON IUXA LINCOLN—a personage; Sr Thomas Mounson, patronus; Georg Huddlestone, incum:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; prebendary also of Lafford and vicar chorall in the cathedrall churche of Lincoln; not leased.

Buslingthorp—a personage; Thomas Sutton, esqr, patrone; Ethelbert Slade, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; no other benefice; leased.

Folio 9d.

Bratylbie—a personage; Baliol colledg, Oxon, patrone; Henry Luddington, incumb:; bachiler of artes; no preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

CHERIE WILLINGHAME—a vycaridge; Thomas Welcome, gent, patrone; John Tuttie, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 10.

Faldingworthe—a personage;  $S^r$  Georg  $S^t$  Poll, patrone; John Chadwick, incumb;;  $m^r$  of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; no other benefice; letten to dyuerse.

[blank], curate; mr of artes; full minister; a preacher; admytted by Mr Commissary; of good behaviour; not beneficed;

but this only cure; stipend yearely.

FISKERTOUNE—a personage; the deane and chapter of Peterburghe, patrone; Francis Rhodes, incumbent; bachiler of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 10d.

GAYTBURTON—a personage; Mr Walpoole, patrone; Theodore Walpoll, incumb:; bachler of arte; no precher; of good behaviour; maried; not resydent; not hospitallis; parson of Lea in the deanry of Corringham in this archdeconry.

Thomas Woodd, curate; no graduate; full minister; no preacher; admitted by M<sup>r</sup> Commissary; of good behaviour;

maried; not beneficed; no other cure.

Folio 11.

GREETEWELL—curate—[blank].

Folio 11d.

Kettlethorpe—a personage; George Eland, incumbent; bachiler

of diuinitie; a preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; not resydent; not hospitalis.

Curate [blank].

Folio 12.

Kneathe—curate—[blank].

MARTONNE—a vicaridge; the L. Byshop of Lincoln, patrone; Roger Newton, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 12d.

Newtonne-a vicaridge; John Stow, yeoman, patrone; Chr'ofer Jackson, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resydent; hospitallis; no other benefice; not leased.

NETHLAMME—George Mooche, curate; no graduate; full minister; no preacher; admitted by the Commissary; of good behaviour; not maried; not beneficed; but one cure; stypend yearelie ys vjli. xiijs. iiijd. Folio 13.

RYSEHOLME—a personage; Bayliol colledg, Oxon, patrone; John Herd, incumbent; bachiler of artes; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; vycar also of Bishopp Norton a peculiar of the cathedral churche of Lincoln, scituate in the deanery of Aslackhoe in this archdeaconrie; not leased.

REFFAME—a vicaridge; the quenes matie, patrone; Vincent Soare, incumb;; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 13d.

SNARFORD—a personage; the Subdeane of the cathedral church of Lincoln, patrone; Peter Beridge, incumbent; no graduate; of good be-

haviour; not resydent; not hospitalis.

Sudbrooke—a personage; the Lord Bishop of Lincoln, patrone; John Wright, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resident; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased. Folio 14.

Saxilby—a vicaridge; the Lord Bishop of Lincoln, patrone; Humfrey Knight, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resident; hospitallis; no other benefice; not leased.

SKAMPTOUNE—a personage; Richard Bridge, gent., patron; Gyles Smythe, incumb:; bachiler of artes; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased. Folio 14d.

Skothorne—a vicaridge; her matie, patrone; Abrahame Hollyday, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resy-

dent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Torksey—Thomas Storr, curate; no graduate; full minister; a preacher; admytted by Mr Comissary; of good behaviour; maried; not beneficed; but one cure.

Folio 15.

VPTONNE—a vicaridge; the Lord Willughbie of Parram, patrone; Thomas Dainport, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Wyllingham Iuxa Stow—a personage; Rob't Johnson, yeaman, patrone; Joh'es Garland, incumb:; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 15d.

### MANLAKE DECANATUS

AWLTHROPP—a personage; the quenes matie, patrone; George Meriton, incumb:; bachiler in diuinitie; a preacher; of good behaviour; not maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Chappell: Amcotes—Thomas Graves, curate; mr of artes; full minister; a preacher; admytted by Mr Commissary; of good behaviour; not maried; not otherwise beneficed; but one cure; stipend yerelie, xxh.

Folio 16.

Awckburrowe—a vicaridge; Doctor Chippingdale, patrone; Richard Clyffe, incumb:; mr of artes; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

APPLEBY—a vicaridge; Mr Claytone, patrone; Thomas Seward, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 16d.

BURTOUNE IUXA STATHER—a vycaridge; the Lord Sheffeld, patrone; Rob't Hall, incumbent; bachiler of arte; of good behaviour; not

maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Brawghtowne—a personadge; Lo. Anderson, patrone; Will'm Robinsone, incumb:; mr of artes; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; leased to Marmaduke Tyrwhit, esqr.

Folio 17.

BOTTISFORTHE—a vicaridge; the cathedral churche of Lincoln, patrone; Henry Jeniper, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

CROOLLE—a vicaridge; Mr [blank] Grove, patrone; John Bawdwynne, incumb:; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 17d.

FRODINGHAME—a vicaridge; M<sup>r</sup> Edw. Skipwith, patrone; Roger Goodwynne, incumb:; bachiler of artes; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

FLIXBURROWE—a personadge; Mr Towneley, patrone; Humfrey Browne, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice.

Folio 18.

Haltoune occidentalis—a personage; my Lo. B. of Norwiche, patrone; Richard Forman, incumb:; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Hebalstowe—a vycaridge; Mr Southill, patrone; Wyllam Tayle-forthe, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 18d.

LUDDINGTONNE—a vycaridge; Robert Good, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Messinghame—a vicaridge; the Lord B: of Lincoln, patron; Richard

Robothame, incumb;; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 19.

MAUNTONNE—a personadge; Mr Southill, patrone; Richard Turswell, incumb:; bachiler of dyvinitie; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; not resydent; not hospitalis; parson also of Waddingham mae in this deanery and prebendary of Lowthe in the cathedrall churche of Lincoln; leased to Mr Sowthill.

Chr'ofer Deacon, curate; no graduate; no preacher; admytted by Mr Commissary; of good behaviour; not maried; not beneficed; but one cure.

Folio 19d.

Redbourne—a vycaridge;  $W^m$  Ellys, gent, patrone; John Elnstone, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried;

resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Roxby—a vicaridge; Mr Eastoft, patrone; Robert Dawsonne, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 20.

Ryseby—a vycaridge; Thomas Partington, esqr, patrone; George Shaw, incumb;; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitallis; no other benefice; not leased.

Scawby—a vycaridge; Rob't Tyrwhit, esq<sup>r</sup>, patrone; Seathe Sheplay, incumb:; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

Folio 20d.

Waddinghame Mary—a personadge; her matie, patrone; Richard Turswell, incumb:; bachiler of dyvinitie; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; parson also of Maunton in this deanery and prebendary of Lowthe in the cathedrall churche of Lincoln; not leased.

Folio 21.

Wyntringhame—a personage; Sr Wm Wray, knight, patrone; Thomas Forman, incumb:; mr of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitallis; parson also of Cotes maga in the deanery of Grymmesby of tharchdeaconry of Lincoln; not leased.

[blank], curate; admytted by Mr Commissary; of good behaviour.

Folio 21d.

Wyntertoune—a vycaridge; her ma<sup>tie</sup>, patrone; Rob't Wylbie, incumbent; m<sup>r</sup> of artes; a preacher; of good behaviour; maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

WHITTONNE—a vycaridge; my Lo. B. of Lincoln, patrone; George Woade, incumbent; no graduate; no preacher; of good behaviour;

maried; resydent; hospitalis; no other benefice; not leased.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 'Elston' in L.C. 1603, f. 73. <sup>2</sup> 'Wade' in L.C. 1603, f. 73.



# **TLIBER ARCHIDIACONATUS** STOWE, A.D. 1603.]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

[Folio 1.]

### [ASLACKHOE DECANATUS]

[Blibigh—Quality P'ge prop. Value 19li. Patron The Kings Matte. Incumbent Henery Aiscough. Communicants 60.17

[Cainbie-Quality P'ge prop. Value 4li. 13s. 4d. Patron | Edwardus

Tourney, Ar., 1684<sup>2</sup>]. *Incumbent* Rich: Laming. *Communicants* 42.<sup>1</sup>] [CAMERINGHAM—Quality P'ge approp. endowed with a vic. Value vic. 5li. 4s. 2d. Patron Rob't Terwhit, Es. Incumbent Symon Arrowsmith. Communicants 92.1]

[COATES—Quality P'ge approp. Value curate 3li. 6s. 8d. stipend. Nicholas Wright [Curate]. Communicants 201]. The owner of this Impropriate parsonage is Douglas the widdowe of Charles Butler late of

this parishe esq., deceased.

FILLINGHAM—Edmund Lillie clerke parson here certifieth by Wm Lincoln his Curate sayinge that the number of co'icante in this parishe is 200 And that there is not in this parishe anye man or weoman but such as doe frequent the Church & doe allso co'icate orderlye. And that hee the said Curate receaueth for yearly stipend at the parson or his fermors hande for servinge the Cure xli. yearly The patron of this parsonage is

the Mr Fellows & schollers of Baliall Colledge in Oxon<sup>3</sup>]

[GLENTHAM—Mathewe Walker clerke vicar there saith the number of co'icante here is 200 And that there is not in this parishe anye man or weoman but such as doe frequent the church & doe allso co'icate The parsonage here is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinate is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kinges booke is valewed to viijli. The owners & proprietarye of this parsonadge is the deane & Chapter of the Cathedrall Church of Lincoln This parsonadge in the Kinge booke to his knowledge is not valewed The patron of this vicaradge is the deane & Chapter of Lincoln aforesaid<sup>3</sup>]

[Glentworth—Robert Atkinson clerke vicar there saith the number of co'icante here is 120 & that there is not anye man or weoman in this parishe but such as doe frequent the Church & doe allso co'icate orderlye The parsonage is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinante is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kinge bookes is valewed to vijli. The parsonadge here to his knowledge

<sup>2</sup> Added by a later hand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Supplied from L.C., 1603, f. 68, since the Liber Archidiaconatus Stowe is defective.

<sup>3</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

is not valewed. The owner or proprietarye of this parsonage is Sr Will'm

Wray knight & he is patron allso of the vicaridge here<sup>1</sup>]

[HACKTHORNE—Will'm Lincoln Clerke vicar here saith that the nomber of co'icante here is 90. And that there is not in this parishe anye man or weoman but such as doe frequent the Churche & co'icate orderlye. The parsonage here is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & he this examinante is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kinge booke is valewed to iiijli. The parsonage here to his knowledge is not valewed in his maiesties booke. The owner & proprietarye of this parsonage is the Kinge matie & his matie is allso patron of this vicaridge!]

[Hanworth—Rob'te Oram clerke parson there saith that the number of Co'icante here is 24 And that in this parishe there is neither man nor weoman but such as doe frequent the Church & allso doe Co'icate orderlye, Excepting viz. one man & one weoman who have not receased in this parishe this twelve moneth. And the patron of this parsonage is

Robert Grantham of Dunholme in the Countye of Lincoln gent.<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 2.

[Hemswell—Thomas Bowcocke² clerke Curate there¹] saith the number of Coʻicants [in this parishe is¹] 208 [And that there is not anye man or weoman¹] within this parish but such as [doe frequent the church and doe¹] also coʻicate orderly. The parsonage [here is impropriated¹] & the owner & proprietarie there of is the Maior [Sheriefes & Cominaltie¹] of the Citie of Lincolne of whome hee [this examinate recea¹] ueth yearely for servinge the Cure here xjli. [The parsonadge here¹] is valued in the Kinge bookes to xxvijli. xiijs iiijd.

HARP[ESWELL—Thom<sup>1</sup>] as Bowcock<sup>2</sup> clerk Curate there saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icant? here is 80tic [And<sup>1</sup>] th<sup>t</sup> there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doe frequent the church & doe also Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is impropriated & the owner or proprietary thereof is S<sup>r</sup> Hannord Whichcote Knight at whose hands hee this examinante receiueth for yearly Stipend for serveing the Cure vjli. And this parsonage to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kings bookes.

INGHAM—Thomas Walker clerke vicar here saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 80tie—And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and doe alsoe Comunicate orderly [And¹] that the rectory here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge e[ndowed¹] and tht hee this examinante is the Incumbent thereof [& the same¹] is valued in the Kinges booke to iiijli. xiijs. iiijd. The parsonage or Rectory here is not to his Kn[owledge valued in¹] his Maties bookes The Rectory here consisting [in the profitte and¹] revenewes of Corne whereof Robert Moun[son gent. is owner & proprietary¹] Hay whereof Sr William Wray Knight [is owner & proprietary¹] The third parte is of Corne & hay whereof the Kinges Majestie [is owner & proprietary¹] The patron of this vicaridge when [he was p'nted therto was¹] Richard Bartie³ esqre whoe [is nowe patron he knoweth not¹]

Kirton—James Nayler clerk [vicar there saith that the number of comunicant he[re is 440] And there is not [anye man or weoman in this parishe but such as doe freq[uent the Church & co'icate orderlye. The parsonadge here is [impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed whereof

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Bawcock' in L.C. 1603, f. 69.

<sup>3</sup> In L.C. 1603, f. 69, a later hand has added—' Patron Sr Rob't Mounson, knt.'

he this examinante is incumbent & such his vicaridge in the kinge booke towarde all charge yearely is valewed to vjli. xiijs. iiijd. The owner & proprietarye of this parsonadge is allwayes the Subdeane of the Cathedrall Church of Lincoln for the tyme beinge web subdeanerye is in the kinge booke valewed yearelye towardes all chardges to the sume of xxxvli. viijs, jd. ob. The patron of the vicaridge here is the said Subdeane of Lincoln Cathedrall church aforesaid for the tyme beinge<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 2d.

Norman[Bie—Richard Cater Clerke vicar there saith that the number of Comunicant here is 60. And that there is not anye man or weoman in this parishe but such as [doe frequent the Church, & doe allso co'icate lorderly. [The parsonadge here is impropriated and hath a vicaridge lendowed and [he this examinate is incumbent thereof lorderly and such his vicar[idge is valewed in the King book to vli lorderly The parsonage is not Kn[owen to be valewed in the said book lorderly The owner or proprietarie [of this parsonadge is the deane & lorderly Chapter of the Cathederall [Church of Lincoln. The patron of lorderly this vicaridge is the

said [deane & Chapter<sup>1</sup>]

Norton Episcopi—John Heard vicar here saith that the [number of co'icante here¹] is 189 And that there is not any man or woe[man in this parish but¹] such as doe frequent the Church—And doe alsoe Co'icate [orderly¹] The parsonage here is impropriated haveing a vicaridge endowed whereof hee this examinant is Incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued to ixli. The proprietary or owner of this parsonage is alwayes the Prebendarie of this Norton aforesaid in the Cathedrall Church of Lincolne for the tyme beinge & is valued in the Kings bookes to vijli. iijs, iiijd. The patron of this vicaridge is all wayes the said Prebendarie for the tyme beinge. And hee the said examinant saith th¹ hee is parson alsoe of Riseholme² in this Archdeaconrie and Deanry of Lawres—Turne to the same & there doeth appeare his further Answer.

[Ounbie—Phi¹]llip Wright clerke parson there saith tht the number of Co'icante [here¹] is 60tie [And that¹] there is not in this parish any man or woeman but [such as doe¹] frequent the Church and alsoe doe co'icate orderly [The patron¹] of this Rectory is the Kinges maiestie

[SPRIDLINGTON—Robert Shawe clerke¹] parson there saith that the number of co'icante here is 80tie. [There is one man a recu¹]sant here who hathe not been at the [Church these vij yeares¹] last past, all others in the parish both [men & weomen have recea¹]ued the holy communion order[lye that be of lawfull yeares of discre¹]tion & doe frequent the Churche. [The patron of this parsonage is John¹] Ouldfeild³ of this towne gent.

[SAXBIE—Rob'te Shawe curate here saith that the num¹]ber of co'icante here is [22. And that there is not anye man or weoman in¹] this parish but such[as doe frequent the church & doe orderly co'icate¹] The parsonage [here is taken to be impropriated & that Sr Nicholas¹] Saunders[on⁴ knight is owner or proprietarye of this parsonage, w<sup>ch</sup> is

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

L.C. 1603, f. 69, adds that the distance between the benefices was 8 miles, and that Heard had no qualification for holding two benefices.
 L.C. 1603, f. 69, has 'Caldfield', which is a mistake.

In L.C. 1603, f. 69, a later hand has added 'Lord Castleton, 1681.'

valewed in the Kinge booke to vijli, iiijs, ijd. And here is no endowed vicaridge knowen, he this examinate receaueth yearely for servinge the Cure the summe of iiijli.<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 3.

WAD[DINGHAM PETRI—Robert Pridchard parson here saith that the number of co'icant? here is 95. And that there is not in this parishe anye man or weoman but such as doe frequent the Church & doe co'icate

orderlye. The patron of this parsonage is the Kinge maiestie.<sup>1</sup>]

WILLOUGHTON—Nicholas [Ryley clarke Vicar here saith that the number of of Coi'cante [here is 85]. And [that there is in this parishe neither man nor weoman that is a recusa [nt or doth deny to receaue the holy comunion The of parsonage he [re is impropriated of and hath a vicaridge [endowed of And hee this [examinate is of incumbent & such his vicaridge in the Kinges [bookes is valewed of of to vijli, yearly towards all charges The parsonag [is not valewed of of the Maties bookes to his knowledge. The owner & proprietary of the parsonage is the provost & Schollers of the Kings Colledge in Cambridge and Hamond Sutton gent. And they the said provost & Sutton are patrons of this vicaridge.

### CORRINGHAM DECANATUS

BLYTON—Thomas Raynebow clerk vicar there saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icante here is 240tie. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doeth frequent the church & doth alsoe Comunicate orderly. The parsonage there is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge indowed whereof hee this examinant is Incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued yearly towards all charges to the summe of xijli. The parsonage here to his Knowledge is not valued in the kinges bookes. The owner or proprietary thereof is Sr William Wray Knight who is also patron of this vicarid[ge<sup>1</sup>]

Belton—John Melton clerke Curate here saith the number of Comunicante here is 700. And that there is here one man the is a recusan[t¹] all others both men and woemen doe frequent the Church & doe Comunicate orderly the parsonage here is Impropriate & hath noe vicaridge endowed he this examinate is Curate there [&¹] receiveth for his yearly Stipend xxli. at the proprietaries hands which is the maior Sheriffes and Comonality of [the¹] citty of Lincolne. And this parso-

[nage<sup>1</sup>] is in the Kings bookes [valued<sup>1</sup>] to xxxijli. iijs. iiijd.

Folio 3d.

[CORRINGHAM—Richard Tailer clerke vicar here saith tht the number of colicante here is 307. And that there is not in this parishe anye man or weoman but such as doth frequent the Church & colicate orderly. The parsonage is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed whereof he this examinate is incumbent. And such his vicaridge is valued yearely in the Kinge booke towarde all chargell to xijli. [The parsonage in the Kinge booke by the name of the prebend [of Coringham in the Cathedrall church of Lincolne towards [all chardges yearelye is valewed to the sumel] of xxxiijli. xs. The [patron of this vicaridge is the prebendaryel] of Corringham aforesaid [for the tyme beinge. 1]

EPWORTH—Richard [Massey clerke parson here<sup>1</sup>] saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icante [here is 500 & there<sup>1</sup>] is neither man nor woman in this

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

parish [that is a recusant ei1] ther in frequentinge the Church or in

Co'icatinge. [The patron1] of this parsonage is the Kinge matie.

GAINSBROUGH—Jerome Phillips2 clerke vicar here saith the number of Co'icante here is 1059. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doe frequent the Church & doe also Comunicate orderlie the parsonage is here Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinante is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued to xxijli. xvjs. ijd. the parsonage here to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kings bookes the proprietary or owner of the parsonage is all waies the Lord Bishop of Lincolne for the time beinge & his Lor'pp is all wayes patron of the said

GREINGHAM—Chr'ofer Wilson parson and Richard Fisher Curate here say the number of Co'icants in this parish is 112 And the there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doth frequent the Church and doth also Communicate orderlie Hee this examinante Fisher aforesaid Curate receiveth yearly for wages and stipend vili. xiijs. iiijd. The patron of this R'c'orie is Anthony Thorold of Marston in the county of Lincolne Esquier and this parsonage in the Kings bookes is valued to the summe of xxvli. xvijs. vjd. And hee this examinante Wilson is parson of Westbrough<sup>3</sup> in the Archedeaconry of Lincolne and Deanry of Loveden w<sup>ch</sup> is distant from this his benefice of Greingham by the space [of<sup>1</sup>] xxvj myles and his other benifice of Westbrough in the [Kinge  $booke^{1}$  is valued to the sume of xxli. The patron [of this parsonage<sup>1</sup>] of Westbrugh is Anthony Thorold of Marston [aforesaid in the<sup>1</sup>] Countie of Lincolne esqre now in mynoritie [He the said Willson] is a Maister of Arts and Chaplaine [to Edward late earle of Rutland Deceased<sup>1</sup>]

Folio 4.

HAXEY—John Newland clerk vicar there sayth [tht the number of Co'icante<sup>1</sup>] in this parish is 700. And the there [is<sup>1</sup>] not in this [parishe anye man'i] or woeman [that'] is not a frequenter of the Church [or one that<sup>1</sup>] Comunicateth not. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridg endowed and hee this examinant is Incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued to xxviijli. vjd. ob. The parsonage here to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes The proprietary of this parsonage is the Archbishop of Y[orke1] his Gr: And his Gr: is patron of this vicaridge

HEAPHAM—William Farmerie clerk pars[on1] here saith that the number of Co'icante in this parish is  $[60^1]$ . And that there is not in thi $[5^1]$ parish eith man or woema n thi at is a recusant or any being of Lawfull yeares of discrecion but doe receive the co'ion The patron of this parsonage is the princes Grace of Wales in Right of the Dutchie of Cornewall And this parsonage in the Kinges bookes is valued to xli. And further hee this examinant sayth that hee is also parson of Springthorpe in this Deanry. Turne thereto where you shall finde his further Answers

LEA—Theodore Walpoole clerk parson here sayth that the number of Comunicante here is 162 And tht there is not any man or woman in this parish but such as doth frequent the Church & doth Co'icate orderly:

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

3 L.C. 1603, f. 69, adds that he was qualified by 'the late Earle of Rutland.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Hen: Clifford' is given as vicar in L.C. 1603, f. 69; but he was not instituted until 9 Nov., 1608 (Bp. Cert.). Phillips was certainly vicar in 1603.

The patron of this parsonage is Thomas Lambert Esquier<sup>2</sup> And this parsonage is valued in the Kinges bookes to ixli. iiijs. ijd. And hee this examinante is parson of Gaitburton in this Archdeaconry and Deanry of

Lawres. Turne therto where his further Answers doe appeare.

Laughton—Robert Bull clerk vicar here saith that the number of Co'icante in this parish is 160tie. And the in this parish there is not any man or woman but such as doe frequent the Church & alsoe Co'icate orderly the parsonage there is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge indowed and hee this examinante is Incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued to xijli. by the yeare. The parsonage here to hes Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes. The owner and proprietary of this parsonage is Sr Roger Dallison Knight. And hee the said Sr Roger Dallison is patron of this vicaridge.

Folio 4d.

[NORTHORPE<sup>1</sup>]—Brian Dickons curate here saith th[at<sup>1</sup>] the number of Co'icants here is 80tie—And that [there<sup>1</sup>] is not any man or woeman [in<sup>1</sup>] this parish but [such as doe freq<sup>1</sup>]uent the Church and [comuni<sup>1</sup>]cate orderly—The par[sonage here<sup>1</sup>] is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endow[ed<sup>1</sup>] voide diverse by passed yeares of any Incumbent and therefore served by him this examinante whoe receiveth for wage and Stipend yearly the sume of iiijli. And this vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued to iiijli. The owner or proprietary of this parsonage and patron of this vicaridge is alwayes the Bishop of Lincolne for the time beinge

[Owsron<sup>i</sup>]—Robert Ch[arle<sup>1</sup>]ton clerk vicar there saith th<sup>i</sup> the number of Co'icants here is 438. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman th<sup>i</sup> is a recusant either in comeing to Church or in Comunicateinge. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge indowed. And hee this Examinante is Incumbent there of And such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued yearly towards all charges to xixli, xs. The parsonage here to his Knowledge in the Kinges bookes is not valued. The proprietary or owner of this parsonage is the Lo: Archb: of Yorke. And the said Archb: is patron of this vicaridge.

PILHAM—Ralphe Wray clerk parson here sayth the number of Co'icante here is 50tie: And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish the is a recusant or any other that is of lawfull yeares and discretion but doth receive the holy Comunion the patron of this parsonage

is the Kings Matie

Scotter—John Dawbney clerk parson here saith that the number of Comunicants here is 300. And that in this parish there is neither man nor woeman that is a recusant but all men & woemen here the bee of Lawfull yeares & discretion doe receive the holy comunion. The patron of this parsonage is the Bishop of Peterborough for the time beinge

Folio 5.

SCOTTON—John Cowper clerk parson by John Barlowe [clerke curthere<sup>1</sup>] saith that the number of Co'icant<sub>{</sub> in this par[ishe<sup>1</sup>] is 260. [And<sup>1</sup>] that there is neither man nor woman in this parish that is [a recu<sup>1</sup>]sant or th<sup>t</sup> doeth refuse to bee a partaker of the holy Comunion being of Lawfull

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 'Sr Tho: Lambert' in *L.C.* 1603, f. 70.

<sup>3</sup> In *L.C.* 1603, f. 70, a later hand has added: 'Edvardus Vic: comes Irwin, 1685; Vic: Comes Irwin, 1685'.

<sup>4</sup> '86' in *L.C.* 1603, f. 70.

yeares and discretion. And the the yearely Stipend weh hee this Examinante [Barlowel] receiveth yearly is viijli. And that the patron of this

parsonage is Anthony Meers gent, as hee taketh itt.

SPRINGTHORPE—William Farmery clerk parson here saith that the number of Co'icauts here is 90tie And tht there is neither man nor woeman in this parish but such as doeth frequent the Church and alsoe Co'icate orderly. The patron of this parsonage is the Kinges Majestie and [thist] parsonage in the Kinges books is valued to xiiijli. iijs. iiijd. And this his benefice is distant from Heapham aforesaid scarce halfe a myle hee is a Mr of Arts and Chaplaine to William late Bishop of Lincoln deceased and thereby qualified.

WROOTE—Robert Dobson clerk parson here saith that the number of Co'icante here is 52 And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as Doth Co'icate and frequent the Church orderly. The

patron of this parsonage is the Kinge Mafie

### LAWRES DECANATUS

AISTROPP—Thomas Youle clerk parson there saith that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 48 And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish that is either a recusant or any such as doth not receive the Communion orderly. The patron of this parsonage is Sr

Richard Amcoat<sub>f</sub> of this parish Knight

Barlings—Richard Warrington clerk curate there sayth th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icants here is 99 and that there is not here any man or woeman that is a recusant or th<sup>t</sup> being of Lawfull yeares and discretion refuseth to come to Church th<sup>t</sup> doe not receive the holy Comunion here is not any rectory or parsonage but a donatine where[of¹] the late Countesse of Derbie Lady Margaret was doner and now the Donation hereof belongeth to the [children¹] of Fardinando late Earle of darbie² deceased.

Folio 5d.

[BROXHOLME<sup>1</sup>]—Francis Remington clerk parson here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 62 And that there is not anyman or woeman in this parish that is a recusant or th<sup>t</sup> being of Lawfull yeares and discretion but doth orderly receive the holy comunion. The patron of this

parsonag is Sr Thomas Mounson Knight.

Burton—George Huddleston clerk parson there saith that the number of Comunicants here is 120 and tht there is not in this parish any man or woeman tht is a recusant or being of Lawfull yeares & discretion tht refuseth to receive the holy comunion but are all orderly partakers of the s[ame1] and tht the patron of this parsonage is Sr Thomas Mounson Knight.

Buslingthorpe—Ethelbert Slade clerke parson here sayth the number of Co'icants here is 10. And there is not here any man or woeman the same are cusant or any other the soft Lawfull yeares and discretion but receive the Communion. The patron of this parsonage is Thomas

Sutton Esquier

BRATTLEBY—Henry Luddington clerke parson here saith that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 70tie and tht there is not in this

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.
<sup>2</sup> Patron 'The Earle of Derbie' in L. C. 1603, f. 70.

parish any man or woeman th<sup>t</sup> is a recusant but all sorts of people being of discretion & yeares Lawfull doe frequent the Church & doe coi'cate orderly. The patron of this parsonage is the m<sup>r</sup> fellowes & schollers of

Balioll Colledge in oxon.

CHERY WILLINGHAM—John Tuttie clerke vicar here saith the number of Co'icants in this parish is 78 and the there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doth frequent the church and Co'icate orderly—the parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinant is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in his maties bookes yearly towards all charges is valued to vili. xiijs. iiijd. The parsonage here is not valued in such his maties bookes to his this Examinants Knowledge—The owner of this parsonage is Sr Robert Markham knight and the patron of this vicaridge is Sr Rob't Markham

Carlton Austral:—Robert Johnson clerk curate there sayth the number of co'icants here is 68 & the there is not any man or woman in the parish but doth frequent the church & co'icate orderly. The Rectory here is Impropriated & the owner thereof is the prebendary of Carlton cum Thurlebie in the Cathedrall Church of Lincolne from whome hee the said Curate receiveth for stipend yearly the summe of vli. The said prebend or parsonage of Carleton cum Thurleby being in the Kings

bookes valued to xvijli, xs.

Folio 6.

Carleton Boreal'—Robert Johnson clerk curate there saith [that the number¹] of Co'icants here is 92. And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doth frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is impropriated and the owner or proprietary thereof is the prebendary for the time being of Carleton boreal' cum dalbie in the Cathedrall Church of Lincolne from whence hee receiueth for his yearly Stipend serveing the Cure there the sume of vli. The said prebend or parsonage of Carleton cum dalbie in the Kinges

bookes is valued to xijli. xs.

Dunholme, Pecul'—William Dawson clerk vicar here saith the number of Co'icants here is 125. And that every man and woeman in this parish doe both frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this Examinant is Incumbent thereof. And such his vicaridge in the kinges bookes yearly is towards all charges valued to iiijli, vjs. viijd. The parsonage here in his majesties bookes is valued to ixli, iijs, iiijd, yearly towards all charges. The owner and proprietary of this parsonage is allwayes the prebendary<sup>2</sup> of Dunholme in the Cathedrall church of Lincolne. And the said prebendary is patron of this vicaridge.

FALDINGWORTH—John Chadwick clerk parson here saith the number of Co'icants here is 130. And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish the is a recusant neither any other the being of Lawfull yeares but doth orderly receine the holy Comunion—the Patron of this

parsonage is Sr George St Poll Knight

FISKERTON—Richard Claiton clerk parson there and Hugh Horberye his Curate doe say that the number of Co'icants here is 140tie—And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish th<sup>t</sup> is a recusant but all

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this *Liber*.
<sup>2</sup> In *L.C.* 1603, f. 71, a later hand has struck out 'The prebendarie', and has added 'The Lo: B<sup>pp</sup> of Lincolne'.

sorts of people being of Lawfull yeares and discretion doe orderly receive the holy Comunion & the patron of this parsonage is the Deane and Chapter of the Cathederall church of Peterborough the said Curate

receiueth for Stipend yearly ixli, xiijs, iiijd.

Fristropp, Pecul'—George Buddle clerk parson here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 55 And that there is noe man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the church & co'icate orderly. The patron of this parsonage is the deane & chapter of the Cathedral church of Lincolne. This parsonage is valued in the Kingg bookes to iiijli. xs. [Folio 6d.] And hee this Examinante saith further that hee is alsoe parson of Whickenbie in the Archdeaconry of Lincolne and Deanry of Wraggo which is distant from the other his benifice of Fristropp aforesaid halfe a myle & is valued in the Kinggs bookes to vili. xvijs. [vjd.¹] Hee this Examinante is a Batchellor of Divinitie & Also Chaplaine to the Archbishop of Canterbury his Grace. The patron of this parsonage of Whickenby is the heyre of Robert Booth clerke deceased late parson of both the said benifices.

Gaitburton—Theodore Walpooll cl: parson there & Tho: Wood clerk Curate here sayth that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 81 And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish that is either recusant or being of Lawfull years but receiueth the holy comunion. The patron of this benifice is Robert Walpoole Esqre. This parsonage is valued in the Kings bookes to viijli. xs. xd. Hee this Examinante Walpoole is a mr of Arts & The Lo: Willoughbie of Parrham his Chaplaine and soe quallified. This his benifice is distant from his other benifice of Lea two myles. The said Wood for serveing the Cure of Gaitburton

aforesaid receiveth for yearly Stipend vili, xiijs, iiijd.

Greetwell—Vincent Sore, cl: Curate here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 88 and that there is not in this parish any man or woeman that is a recusant neither any other person being of Lawfull yeares & discretion but doth receiue the holy Comunion—The parsonage here is Impropriated without any endowed vicaridge but is Served by him this Examinant being the Curate whoe receiueth for Stipend yearly serveing the Cure there at the hands of the farmer of the parsonage vli. The owner and proprietary of this parsonage is the Deane & chapter of the Cathedrall Church of Lincoln for the use of the Choristers in the said Cathedrall Church which parsonage to this examinants knowledg is

not valued in the Kings bookes.

Kettlethorpe—Roger Parker parson by Henry Cole curate here saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 150tie. And tht in this parish there is not any man or woeman tht is a recusant either in Comeing to the Church or in co'icateinge. The patron of this parsonage is William Meekeley of this parish gent'. And further the said Roger Parker saith that hee is parson of Brant Broughton in the Deanry of Loveden & Arch Deanry [sic] of Lincolne in which Brant Broughton parish the number of Co'icants is 292. And in this parish of Brant Broughton there is [Folio 7] neither man nor woman that is a recusant either in comeing to church or in co'icateinge. Hee the said Roger Parker is a Doctor of divinitie and Chaplayne to the Lord Bishop of Lincolne and thereby qualified the said two benifices as [sic] distant the one from the other xij myles. The said benifice of Kettlethorp in the Kings bookes towards all charges yearly is

<sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

valued to xxviijli. And the valuac'on of this parsonage of Brant Broughton in the Kings bookes towards all charges yearly is xxxvli. xiijs. iiijd. The patron of this parsonage of Brant Broughton is Elizabeth Vaux of [blank] widdowe The seuerall Curates of the said Kettlethorpe & Brant Broughton are the said Henry Cole whoe receiueth yearly for serveing the Cura at Kettlethorpe the summe of xli. And the Curate of the said Brant Broughton is Tho: Wright clerk whoe receiueth yearly

for his Stipend for serveing the Cure there the Summe of xli.

KNATHE—Thomas Wood clerk Curate there saith that the number of Co'icants here is 73 And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church & doe also Co'icate orderly The parsonage here is Impropriated & is valued in the Kinges bookes to iijli. vjs. viijd. here is noe Indowment of any vicaridge therefore served by him this Examinante as Curate whoe receiveth for Stipend yearly the sume of xli.² at the hands of the Lord Willoughbie of Parrham who is proprietary & owner of this parsonage and his table when hee cometh to say the divine service on Sundayes and other times

Marton—William Harrison clerk vicar there saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icants here is 126 And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church & also co'icate orderly The parsonage there is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge indowed And hee this Examinant is Incumbent thereof And such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes yearly towards all charges is valued to iiijli. xiijs. iiijd. The parsonage here is not valued in his Maties bookes to his this Examinants Knowledge The owner and proprietary of this parsonage is the Lord Bishop of Lincolne for the time beinge And the said Lord Bishop is patron of this vicaridge

Folio 7d.

[Newton<sup>1</sup>]—Chr'ofer Jackson cl: vicar there saith that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 169 And that there is not either man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and doe also co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed. And hee this Examinante is Incumbent. And the such his vicaridge & the valuac'on thereof in the Kings booke is iiijli. The parsonage to his Knowledge is not vallued in any such bookes. The patron of this vicaradge is Jo: Stowe the younger of this towne & parish gent'.

NETLAM—John Wrig[ht] clerke Curate there saith that the number of Co'icants here is 220 And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish that is a recusant but all of Lawfull yeares & discretion doe orderly Co'icate The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath noe vicaridge indowed The owner of this parsonage is alwayes the Chancellor of the Cathedrall church of Lincolne for the time beinge Hee this Examinante being Curate receiueth for his yearly Stipend the summe of vli. Patron hee hath none but as and when the place is void of a Curate the ordinary admitted.

Curate the ordinary admitteth

RYSEHOLME—John Herd<sup>3</sup> cl: parson here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 12 And th<sup>1</sup> there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church & doe alsoe co'icate orderly

<sup>2</sup> '40s.' in L.C. 1603, f. 71.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

<sup>3</sup> In L.C. 1603, f. 71, a later hand has added 'Roger Mander.'

The patron of this parsonage is the Mr Fellowes & Schollers of Baliol Colledge in Oxon And this his benifice is distant from that his other benifice of Norton Ep'i viij myles hee is not qualified hee is of degree in Schoole a Batchellor of Arts This parsonage of Ryseholme in the Kinges bookes is valued to iiijli.

Repham—Vincent Sore clerk vicar here sayth that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 160tie And the there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and alsoe doe Co'icate orderly The parsonage here is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed whereof hee this examinant is Incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued to vili. xiijs. iiijd, yearly towards all charges The parsonage in such his Maties bookes to his knowledge is not valued The owner & proprietary of this parsonage is the Kings Matie & his Matie is patron of this vicaridge.

Folio 8.

SNARFORD—James Percivall curate there saith that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 16 And that every man and woman in this parish doth frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly And that the Stipend weh hee doth receive for serving the Cure is viiili. Towards the discharge of his owne paynes & towards the discharg of the Kinges Maties vearly rents And certaine yearly duties due to the Archdeacon of Stowe for the parsonage here, wen is thought to bee void for the Last Incumbent came not here this five or six yeares the valuac'on of this parsonag in the Kinges bookes is iiijli. And the patron of this parsonage is the Subdeane in the Cathedrall church of Lincolne for the time beinge

Sudbrooke—Jo. Wright cl: parson here saith the number of Co'icants here is 40tie and the there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church & alsoe Co'icate orderly The patron of this parsonage is the Lo: Bishop of Lincolne alwayes for

the time beinge—7li. 10s.; 15s. tenths.

SAXELBIE—Humfrey Knight clerke vicar there sayth that the number of Co'icants here is 180tie And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish that is a recusant or the being of Lawfull yeares & discretion but doth receive the holy Co'ion The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinante is the Incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge is [sic] the Kinges bookes is valued to xli. The parsonage to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes. The owner or proprietary of this parsonage is the Bishopp of Lincolne for the time being And the said Lo: Bishop is patron of this vicaridge

Scampton—Gyles Smyth cl: parson here sayth the number of Co'icants here is 72 And that there is neither man nor woman in this parish that is a recusant either in comeing to the church or in comunicateinge The patron of this parsonage is Sr John Harte<sup>2</sup> of London

knight—8li. 16s. 4d.; tenths 17s. 4d.

Scothorne—Abraham Halliday<sup>3</sup> cl: vicar here saith the number of Co'icants here is 130 And that there is not in this parish either man or woeman but doth frequent the Church & being of Lawfull yeares & discretion doe co'icate orderly The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed where of hee this examinante is Incumbent &

In L.C. 1603, f. 71, a later hand has added 'Tho: Elford, '80'.
 In L.C. 1603, f. 72, a later hand has added 'Sr John Bolles, Barrt, 1679.'
 Hollidaye' in L.C. 1603, f. 72.

such his vicaridge in the Kings books is valued to iiijli. vs. ijd. ob. [Folio 8d.] The parsonage here is not valued in the Kinges bookes The owner & proprietary of this parsonage here is the Kinges Ma<sup>tte</sup> And his

Maiestie is alsoe patron of this vicaridge

STOWE—John Beswick cl: Curate here saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 486. And there is neither man nor woman in this parish tht refuseth to come to the Church or to Co'icate. The one parte of the parsonage here is Impropriated to the prebendary of Stowe in Lindsey in the Cathedrall Church of Lincolne and hath not a vicaridge endowed and soe hee this Examinante is the Curate onely & hath for serveing the Cure the yearly Stipend of vli. of this one parte of the parsonage. The said prebendary of Stowe in Lindsey aforesaid is owner & proprietary and such his prebendary in the Kings bookes is valued towards all charges to xli. xixs. ijd. Off the other two partes of this Rectory of Stowe aforesaid The owner and proprietary is the prebendary of Corringham in the said Cathedrall Church of Lincolne.

Touching this prebend of Corringham and the vicaridge there turne

to the deanry of Corringham in this Archdeaconry.

TORKSEY—Mr. Thomas Storr cl: curate there sayth that the number of Co'icants in this parish is 304. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doe frequent the Church & Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and the proprietary thereof is Sr Robert Jermyne knight. This parsonage is not valued in the Kinges bookes to his knowledge here is noe indowment of a vicaridge. Hee this examinante receiueth yearly for Stipend serueing the Cure here at the hands of the proprietaryes Farmer of this parsonage the summe of xxli.

. . . . ann' 1603 vel antea vt constat per deposic' proprietarii, Torksey vic' 5li. 13s. 4d., Tenths oli. 12s. 4d.

VPTON—Thomas Dainport<sup>2</sup> cl: vicar there saith that the number of Co'icants here is 28otie And that there is no man nor woeman in this parish th<sup>t</sup> is a recusant but every one receiueth the Comunion The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge indowed And hee this Examinante is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued to vijli. iiijs. vjd. The parsonage is not valued in the Kinge bookes to his Knowledge. The owner & proprietary thereof and

patron of this vicaridge is the Lo: Willoughby of Parrham.

THORPE IN LE FALLOWS—[blank].

Folio 9.

WILLINGHAM IUXTA STOWE—John Garland clerke parson here saith the number of Co'icants here is 167. And the there is not in this parish any man or woman the either refuseth to come to the church or Co'icate. The patron of this parsonage is Robert Johnson of Kexbie in

the countie of Lincolne yeom: 18li. 6s. 8d., tenths 1li. 17s. 8d.

Welton, Pecul'—jo: Wilson cl: vicar there saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 1728 And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as come to the Church and Co'icate orderly. The Rectory here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this examinant is Incumbent there of The owners & proprietaries of the parsonage here are the prebendaries in the Cathedrall Church of Lin-

3 ' 173' in L.C. 1603, f. 72.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 'vli. iiijs.' in L.C. 1603, f. 72. <sup>2</sup> 'Davenport' in L.C. 1603, f. 72.

colne of Welton Beckhall prebend valued in the Kinges bookes towards all charges yearly to vli. vs. vd. Welton Brinkhall prebend valued in the Kinges bookes towards all charges yearly to vli. vs. vd. Welton Ryvall prebend valued in the Kinges bookes towards all chardges yearly to vijli. vijs. vjd. yearly Welton Payneshall prebend valued in the Kings bookes towards all charges yearly to vli. xijs. jd. And Welton Westhall prebend valued in the Kings bookes towards all charges yearly to ixli. xs. This vicaridge of Welton aforesaid towards all charges in the Kings bookes is valued to vijli. vjs. viijd. And of this vicaridge the said fiue prebendaries for the time being are Joynt Patrons.

### MANLAKE DECANATUS

ALTHORPE—George Hamond clerke parson here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 300 And th<sup>t</sup> all his parishioners doe frequent the Church and being of Lawfull yeares and discretion doe orderly Co'icate The patron of this parsonage is the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup> 25li. Tenthes 2li. 10s.

AWCKBARROW—Richard Cliffe¹ elerke vicar here saith th¹ the number of Co'icants here is 18otie. And that there is not in this parish ether man or woeman being of Lawfull yeares and discretion but doe frequent the church and doe co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinante is Incumbent thereof And such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes towards all charges is valued to xli. The parsonage to his Knowledge is not valued in his maties bookes. The owner or proprietary of this parsonage is Gregory Hamerton gent' the said Gregory is also patron of this vicaridge. Tenthes 1li. Folio od.

[ÁPPLEBYE²]—Thomas Seward clerke vicar here saith tht the number of Co'icants is 150tie. And tht in this parish there is of recusants one man & two women and there is not any other man or woeman here but receiveth the Comunion orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this Examinante is incumbent thereof And such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes yearly towards all charges is valued to xli. iiijs. ijd. The parsonage to his knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes the owner and proprietary of this parsonage is Mathew Claiton³ of this towne gent' and the said Mathew is also patron of this vicaridge.

Burton Stather—Robert Hall cl: vicar there saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icants here is 180. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman being of Lawfull yeares & discretion but doth frequent the Church and receive the Comunion. The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this examinante is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes yearly towards all charges is valued to xijli. The parsonage here to his knowledge is not valued in his maties bookes. The owner and proprietary of this parsonage and patron of this vicaridge is the honoble Lo: Sheffeild<sup>4</sup>

Braughton—William Robinson cl: parson there saith the number of Co'icants here is 340tie And that euery man and woeman being

<sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 72, adds 'Mr in Arts. Preacher, L. per Vniuer, Cant.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Taken from the second copy of this Liber.

<sup>3 ·</sup> Cayton,' by a clerical mistake, in L.C. 1603, f. 72. 4 In L.C. 1603, f. 72, a later hand has added The L. Moulgraue, 1680.'

of Lawfull yeares and discretion doth frequent the church and co'icates orderly. The patron of this parsonage is thought to bee the Lo: Ander-

son Lo: cheife Justice of the Common pleas at this present.

Bottsforth—Henry Jenever cl: vicar there saith that the number of Co'icante here is 150. And that there is neither man nor woeman in this parish that is a recusant but all that are of Lawfull yeares and discretion doe receive the Comunion And that this parsonage here being Impropriated to the Deane & Chapter of the Cathedrall church of Lincolne being proprietaries and owners of the same hath a vicaridge endowed of which hee this examinante is incumbent and the valuac'on of such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes yearly is xli. The parsonage here to his knowledge is not valued in the Kings bookes. The patron of the said vicaridge here is the deane & Chapter of Lincolne aforesaid.

Wante Burringham Vic.—iiijli. xiijs. ijd. Tenthes ixs. iiijd.

Folio 10.

Crowle—John Baldwine cl: vicar here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 740 there is not any man or woeman in this parish but doth frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this examinante is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes yearly is valued to xiiijli. xs. The parsonage to his knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes the owner or proprietary of thes parsonage and patron of this vicaridge is one John Graves an Alderman of Hull in the County of Yorke. T[enths] xxixs.

FLIXBROUGH—Humfrey Browne cl: parson here saith th<sup>t</sup> the number of Co'icants here is 50tile there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The patron of this parsonage is John Townelev of Townelev in the countie of

Lancaster Esqre. xiijli. xs. T[enths] xxvijs.

FRODDINGHAM—Roger Goodwine clerk vicar here saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 200. There is not in this parish any man or woeman that is either recusant or that doth not receive the holy Comunion. The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridge indowed and hee this examinante is incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes towards all charges is valued to xijli. xvjs. viijd. The parsonage here to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kings bookes. The owner or proprietary there of is Robert Williamson gent'. The patron of this vicaridge is Edward Skipwith Esqre. T[enths] xxvs. viijd.

Halton occidentall'—Richard Forman¹ cl: parson here saith the number of Co'icants here is 120. And that of recusants in this parish there is not any man or woeman neither any man or woeman here the is of Lawfull yeares & discretion but receive the holy Comunion. The patron of this parsonage is the Lo: Bishopp of Norwich for the time

beinge. xvjli, T[enths] 1li. 12s.

HIBALDSTOW—William Tailfar cl: vic' here saith th' the number of Co'icants here is 140 And that there is not in this parish any man or woman but such as doe frequent the church & co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is impropriated & hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinant is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes towards all charges is valued to vijli. xs. The parsonage here is not valued in the Kings bookes to his Knowledge. The proprietary of this

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In L. C. 1603, f. 73, a later hand has added 'Geo: Thomason, 1689.'

parsonage is the subdeane of the Cathedrall church of Lincolne for the vse of the Choristers in the said Cathedrall church or Nicholas Southill gent'. And the patron of the vicaridge is the said Nicholas Southill. T[enths] xvs.

Folio 10d.

Luddington—Robert Good clerke vicar there saith that the number of Co'icante here is 373 and that there is not any man or woeman in this parish that is a recusant or being of Lawfull yeares and discretion but receiveth the Comunion—The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this examinante is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes towards all charges is valued yearlie to viijli. The owner & proprietary of this parsonage is the Kinges Ma<sup>tie</sup> and to his this examinants Knowledge is not valued in the Kings bookes—The patron of this vicaridge is the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. [Tenths] xvjs.

Manton—Richard Turswell clerke parson & Christopher Deacon curate there say that the number of Co'icants here is 90. And that in this parish there bee recusants of men 5 of woemen 6. All others of this parish both men and woemen doe frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The patron of this parsonage is Nicholas Sowthill of Redburne gent', and this parsonage in the Kinges bookes is valued to xiijli. vjs. viijd. And hee this Examinante Cr'ofer Deacon saith tht for serveing the Cure here hee receiueth yearly at the hands of the said Turswell vjli. xiijs. iiijd. And hee this examinante Richard Turswell saith that hee is also parson of Waddingham Mary in this Archdeaconry and deanry. T[enths] xxvjs. viijd. Turne thereto where his further answers will appeare

MESSINGHAM—Richard Robouthom clerke vicar here saith the number of Co'icants here is 363 & that all men & woemen in this parish doe frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and endowed with a vicaridge and hee this examinant is the incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued yearly to xli. The parsonage to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes. The owner & proprietary of this parsonage & patron of this vicaridge is the Lo: Bishop of Lincolne for the time beinge.

Folio II

REDBURNE—John Elston cl: vicar here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 102 And that every man and woeman in this parish doe frequent the Church and co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed and hee this examinante is Incumbent thereof. And such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes towards all charges is yearly valued to vli. xs. The parsonage here is not valued in the Kinges bookes to his Knowledge. The owner and proprietary of this parsonage and patron of this vicaridge is William Ellis of Lincolne Esqre. T[enths] xjs.

Lincolne Esqre. T[enths] xjs.

ROXBIE—Robert Wilbie cl: vicar here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 140 There is neither man nor woman in this parish that is a recusant or being of yeares of discretion but receiueth the Comunion The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed whereof hee this examinante is Incumbent and such his vicaridge

L.C. 1603, f. 73, omits the words 'the subdeane of.'
 In L.C. 1603, f. 73, a later hand has added 'Gul. Lister, 1662; Tho: Pindar, 1689, Jan'r.'

in the Kinges bookes is valued to vili. iijs. iiijd. the parsonage here to his Knowledg is not valued in the Kinges bookes. The proprietary of this parsonage and patron of this vicaridge is John Eastoft of Eastoft in the countie of Yorke Esqre. T[enths] xijs. iiijd.

Rysbye—George Shawe clerke vicar here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 30. There is neither man nor woeman here th<sup>t</sup> is a recusant nor any being of yeares of discretion but receiue the Comunion The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed & hee this examinant is Incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes is valued yearly towards all charges to vli. vjs. viijd. The parsonage here to his Knowledge is not valued in his ma<sup>ties</sup> bookes. The owner and proprietary there of is S<sup>r</sup> George S<sup>t</sup> Poll knight—hee is also patron of th<sup>s</sup> vicaridg. T[enths] xs. viijd.

Scawbie—Seath Shipley clerke vicar here saith tht the number of Co'icants here is 192 And that there are in this parish one man & one woeman recusants all other persons of this parish being of yeares & discretion doe receive the holy Comunion. The parsonage here is Impropriated & hath a vicaridg endowed and hee this examinante is incumbent thereof & such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes towards all charges yearly is valued to the summe of vijli. The parsonage here is not valued to his Knowledge in the Kinges bookes. The owner & proprietary of this parsonage is Richard Williamson of Gainsbrough esqre & hee is also patron of this vicaridge. T[enths] xiiijs.

Folio 11d.

Waddingham cum Snitterby Hamlet—Richard Turswell clerk parson and Christopher Colson curate there doe say that the number of Co'icants here is 160 and that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly. The patron of this Rectory is the Kinges Matie. And this parsonage in the Kinges bookes is valued to xxjli. vjs. viijd. And hee this Examinante Turswell is Bachellor of divinitie & thereby qualified. This his benifice is distant from the other his benifice of Manton fower myles hee this Examinante Chr'ofer Colson Curate receiueth yearly for serveing the Cure here xli. Primitiæ 21li. 6s. 8d. T[enths] xlijs. viijd. St Peter

first fruite but 8li., tenths 16s.

WINTRINGHAM—Tho: Forman cl: parson here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 269 And that there is not any man or woeman in this parish but such as doe frequent the Church and Co'icate orderly This parsonage is valued in the Kinges bookes to xxviijli. The patron of this benifice is S' William Wray Knight<sup>1</sup> And hee this examinant sayth that hee is alsoe parson of Coats magna in the Archdeaconry of Lincolne & deanry of Grimsby where the number of Co'icants is 194 And that there is not any man or woeman there but such as doe frequent the Church & Co'icate orderly The patron of this Rectory of Coats magna is S' Tho: Barnardiston kn<sup>t</sup> & the said parsonage is valued in the Kinges bookes to xjli. xs. xd. This benifice of Coats magna is distant from the other of Wintringham xiiij myles This Examinante is a m<sup>t'r</sup> of arts & Chaplaine to the late Earle of Essex and soe qualified. T[enths] lvis.

WINTERTON—Tho: Greves cl: vic' there saith the number of Co'icants here is 300. And the in this parish there is neither man nor

<sup>1</sup> In L.C. 1603, f. 73, a later hand has added 'Ld Castleton, 1680.'

woeman but such as doe frequent the church & co'icate orderly. And that the parsonage here is Impropriated whereof the Kinges Ma<sup>tie</sup> is owner & proprietary. And the it hath a vicaridge endowed where of hee this examinante is Incumbent and such his vicaridge in the Kings bookes is valued to viijli, towards all charges. The parsonage to his Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges books. The patron of this vicaridge is the Kings Ma<sup>tie</sup>. T[enths] xvjs.

Folio 12.

Whitton—George Wade cl: vicar here saith that the number of Co'icants here is 100. And that there is not in this parish any man or woeman but such as doe frequent the Church and alsoe Co'icate orderly. The parsonage here is Impropriated and hath a vicaridge endowed. And hee this examinant is Incumbent thereof and such his vicaridge in the Kinges bookes towards all charges yearly is valued to the summe of vili. xs. The proprietary and owner of this parsonage is the Lord Bishop of Lincolne for the time being. And this parsonage to his this examinants Knowledge is not valued in the Kinges bookes. The patron of this vicaridge is the said Lord Bishopp of Lincolne. T[enths] xiijs.

KERTON LINDSEY—vili. xiijs. iiijd. Tenths xiijs. iiijd.

Westhalton antea Litera H:



# [VALUATIO BENEFICIORUM

## A.D. 1603-4.]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

### [ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN.]

#### WALLESCROFT1

Benbroke Mae:—I. Ric: Adamson. D. noe graduate. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xxvl. communibus annis.

CROXBIE R:—I. Will'm Nailer. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher.

Beha. good & honest. V. xijl. vjs. viijd.

BINBROKE GAB: V:—I. Hug: Carter. D. no graduate. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xvl. Proprietarie prebendarius prebende de [blank].

CLAXBI  $\vec{R}$ :—I. Rich: Codd. D. no graduate. Qual'y no preacher,

able to cata: Beha. good & honest. V. xviijl. per annum.

EAST RASINE V:—I. Tho: Horrocke. D. Mr of artes. Qual'v a preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xiijl. vjs. viijd. per annum. Pat. his matie.

Kirkbie V:—I. Rob: Fetherston. D. no graduate. Qual'y no preacher, yet able to cata: Beha. good & honest. V. xl. per annum.

Proprietarie Sr Tho: Munson.

KINGIRBIE V:—I. Nich: Clarke. D.  $M^r$  of artes. Qual'v a preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xvl. per annum. Proprietarie his matie [? et] D'na Puckr[ing<sup>2</sup>].

Kelsay Mae R:—I. W. Mason. D. ba: of Divinitie. Qual'y a

preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xxxl. per annum.

Kelsay Nich: R:—I. Fr: Rawlingson. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. 1'. xxxvjl. 4s. 2d.

NEWTON R:—I. Tho: Lowson. D. no graduate. Qual'v a preacher.

Beha. good & honest. I'. xl. per annum.

NORMANBIE R:—I. Tho: Bilclif. D. no graduate. Qual'v a preacher.

Beha good & honest. I'. xxl. per annum.

OWERSBIE R:—I. Am: West. D. Mr of Artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. xxxl. per annum. Proprietarie St Tho: Munson, k'.

RASEN DRAX V:-I. Mich: Jesopp. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. xiijl. vjs. 8d. Proprietarie his matie.

RASEN TUPHOLME V:—I. Tho: Tippin.

STAINTON R:—I. Will: Feild. D. no graduate. Qual'y no preacher or able to cata: Beha. good & honest. V. viijl. per annum.

<sup>2</sup> Cp. p. 326.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This is the only deanery in the archdeaconry of Lincoln for which the return exists.

THORGANBIE R:—I. Will: Feild. D. no graduate. Qual'y no preacher or able to cata: Beha. good & honest. I'. xijl. per annum. Thoresway R:—I. David Hatelif. D. bac: of artes. Qual'y a

preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. xviijl. per annum.

TEVELBIE V:—I. Will: Ward. D. bach: of artes. Qual'y a preacher.

Beha. . . . . . . . . . 2 V. . . . . . . . 2

WEST RAISEN R:—I. Tho: Stockam. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. lxl. per annum.

WALLESBIE R:—I. Edm: Spinkes. D. no grad: Qual'y a preacher.

Beha. good & honest. I'. lxl. per annum.

WILLINGHam V:—I. Adam Baxter. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. xxl. per annum. Proprietarie Will: Heneage.

VLCEBIE APPROP: -I. no incumbent. Proprietarie [o: Dye, yo: vel.

x [sic].

Wee thinke the best meanes to encrease the liveinge is that payement of all manner of tithes in proper kinde & all prescripcions & customs of paienge lesse then the tenth & all exempcions from payemente of tithes to be taken away & that the parishoners be compelled to answer vppon theire oathes for theire privie tithes & all ancient commons & glibe restored to the church, the frequent vse of prohibicions taken awaie or abridged & allowance owte of impropriac'ons to poore incumbente.

> DAVID HATCLIF, parson of Thoresway. GEOR' BILCLIF, parson of Tofte. THO: BILCLIF, parson of Normanbie.

### STOWE ARCHIDIACONATUS

### ASLACKOE DECANATUS

BLIBROUGHE R:—I. Hen: Aischough. D. no graduate. able to catachise. Beha. of good behaviour. I'. xxxl.

CAINEBY R:—I. Ric' Laminge. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to

catach: Beha. of good behaviour. V. xl.

CAMMERINGEHAM V:—I. Symon Arrowsmyth. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to catachise. Beha. of good behaviour. I'. xl. Proprietarie Rob. Tirwhit esq', xxl. per annum.

Coates V:—vacat.

Oual'v a

Fellingham R:—I. Edm: Lilly. D. Dor of Divinitie. preacher, L: Bcha. of good behaviour. I'. lxvjl. xiijs. iiijd. Glentworth V:—I. Rob: Atkinson. D. bac: of artes. preacher, L. Beha. of good behaviour. I', xiijl, vjs. viijd. Proprietarie Will' Wray, k:—xxxl.

GLENTHAM V:—l. Mathew Walker. D. ba: of artes. Qually a preacher in his owne parishe. Beha. of good behaviour. V.  $\tilde{xl}$ . Proprietaric The Dea: and Chap: of the Ca: church of Lincoln—xxl.

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HACKTHORNE V:—I. Will' Lincoln. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. of good beha: V. ixl. Proprietaric The k: Ma<sup>tie</sup>—xxl.

HAWORTH R:—I. Rob: Oram. D. no graduate. Qually able to

catach: Beha. of good beha: V. xiijl. vjs. viijd.

HARPSWELL, APPROP:—I. Tho: Bullecocke,¹ Cur: D. no graduate.

Qual'y a preacher, L. Beha. of good beha; V. a stipend of vjl.

Profrictarie Hamond Withcock,² k.—xxxl.

HEMSWELL, APPROP:—I. Tho: Bulcocke, Cur: D. no graduate. Qual'y a preacher, L. Beha. of good beha: V. a stipend of xjl. Proprietarie The Maior, shreeue & cominalite of Lincoln—xxvijl. 13s. 4d.

INGHAM V:—I. Tho: Walker. D. no grad: Qual'y able to cata: Beha. of good beha: V. vjl. xiijs. iiijd. Proprietaries [the subdean of the Cathed. Church of Lincoln<sup>8</sup>] his ma<sup>tie</sup>, Will' Wray, knight, Rob: Munson, k:—30l.

Kirton V:—I. Jam. Nayler. D. no graduate. Qual'y a preacher in his owne parishe. Beha. of good beha: V. xxl. Proprietarie The

Subdeane of the Cath' Church of Lincoln—xxl.

NORMANBIE V:—I. Ric' Carter. D. no grad: Qual'y of meane learninge. Beha. of good beha: V. vl. Proprietarie The Dea: & Chap: of the Cath; church of Lincoln—xxxl.

NORTON EPISCOPI V:—I. Jo: Heard. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. of good behaviour. V. xiijl. vjs. viijd. Proprietarie The prebendar' of the s'd Norton—xxl.

Ounbie R:—I. Phill: Wrighte. D. bac: of artes. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>5</sup>

Beha. of good beha: V. xxl.

Spridlingeron R:—I. Rob'te Shawe. D. no graduate. Qual'y a

preacher.<sup>5</sup> Beha. of good beha: I'. xxl.

Saxbie V:—I. Tho: Watson. D. no graduate. Qual'y no preacher. Beha. his beha: not knowne, he is not resident. V. xiijl. vjs. viijd. Proprietarie Nich: Saunderson, k:—xxl.

Waddingham Petri R:—I. Rob: Prichard. D. mr of artes.

Qual'y a preacher, L. Beha. of good beha: I'. xl.

WILLOUGHTON V:—I. Nich: Ryley. D. no graduate. Qual'y of meane learninge. Beha. of good beha: V. vl. Proprietarie The provost & scholl' of Kinge Coll: in Cambrige, & Hamond Sutton, esqr—xxl.

Waddingham Petri and Waddingham Mae twoe contiguous small Rectories are not twoe seuerall competent livinge but mighte be helped by vnitinge them in one, they are but one towne & both the churches stand in on churchyard.

The meannes to increase the liveing we are not competent is by deducion from the impropriacions & payemente of all tithes

to be made in proper kinde.

PHILL' WRIGHTE, parson of Ounbie. Jo: HERD, vicar of Norton Episcopi.

#### CORRINGHAM DECANATUS

BLITON V:-I. Tho: Rainebowe. D. mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 69, has 'Bawcock'. See also above, p. 338.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 69, has 'Whitchcoat'. See also above, p. 338.

<sup>3</sup> Struck out,

<sup>4</sup> Rectius 'Cater', L.C. 1603, f. 69. (See also above, p. 339; Reg. xxx, f. 164d.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 69, adds 'L. per Ep: Lincoln;'

with in his owne parish. 1 Beha. good & honest. V. xxxl. Proprietarie

Will'm Wray k.—xll. per annum.

Belton, Approp:—I. Jo: Melton, Curate. D. bac: of artes. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>2</sup> Beha. good & honest. I'. stipend xxl. Proprietarie the maiore, shreeffes and com'Itie of Lincoln—cel. per annum.

CORRINGHAM V:—I. Ric: Taylor. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: V. xxl. Proprietarie The prebendar of the

same—lxl.

EPWORTH R:—I. Rie' Massey. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>2</sup> Beha. good & ho: 1'. cxxl.

Gainsbrugh—I. Jerome Phillips.<sup>3</sup>

Greingham R:—I. Chr.: Willson. D.  $m^r$  of artes. Qually a preacher.

Beha. good & honest. V. xll.

HAXEY V.—I. Jo: Newland. D. mr of artes. Qual'v a preacher.4 Beha. good & ho: I. II. Proprietarie The Lo' Archbu' of Yorke—ccl.

HEAPHAM R:—I. Will: Farmerie. D.  $m^r$  of artes. Qual'v a learned

preacher. Beha. good & ho: 1'. xxl.

Lea R:—I. Theod' Walpoole. D. ba: of artes.<sup>5</sup> Qual'y able to

catach: Beha. good & hone: T. xxxl.

Laughton V:—I. Rob: Bull. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to Beha. good & honest. I'. xiijl. Proprietarie Roger Dalison, knighte—xxl.

Northorpe, Approp:— $\lceil blank \rceil$ .

Owstox V:—I. Rob: Charlton. D. no graduate. Qual'y of meane learninge. Beha. good & honest. V. a pencion of xixl. Proprietarie The Lo: Archbu' of Yorke—cll.

PILLHAM R:—I. Raph Wray. D. no graduate. Qual'v able to

cata: Beha. good & honest. I'. xxiiijl.

Scottor R:—I. Jo: Dawbney. D. Mr of artes. Qual'v a learned preacher. Beha. good & ho: 1'. lxl.

Scotton R:—I. Jo: Cooper. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a learned

preacher.7 Beha. good & ho: 1. lxxxl.

Springethorp R:—I. Will' Farmerey. D. mr of artes. Onal'v a learned preacher.8 Beha. good & ho: V. xxxl.

WROOTE R:—I. Rob'te Dobson. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to

cata'. Beha. good & ho: 1'. xxl.

Heapham and Springthorpe 2 contiguous small Rectories in this deanrie are not two severall competent liveinge, but mighte be helped by uniting them in one as they are now possessed by one incumbent

The meanes to encrease the liveinge weh are not competent is by deducions from the impropriacions & payement of all tithes

in proper kind

Jo: Daubney, parson of Scotter Will: Farmery, parson of Springthorpe THEOD' WALPOOLE, parson of Lea

<sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 69, has under Preacher, 'non.'

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 69, has 'Preacher, L. per Ep: Lincoln:'

<sup>3</sup> See p. 341.

<sup>4</sup> L. C. 1603, f. 70, adds 'L. per Arch: Ebor:' <sup>5</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 70, adds under Preacher, 'non.'

<sup>6</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 70, adds 'L. per Vniuer: Cant:'
7 L.C. 1603, f. 70, adds 'L. per Ep: Ebor:'
8 L.C. 1603, f. 70, adds 'Licensed.'

#### LAWRES DECANATUS.

AISTROPP R:—I. Tho: Yowle. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y a preacher.

Beha. good & honest. I'. xxl.

Barlinge, a donative:—I. Ric' Warrington, curat'. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: I'. stipend vjl. Proprietarie The heires of Fardinand late earle of Darbie.

Broxholme R:—I. Fr: Renningeton. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able

to cata: Beha. good & honest. I'. xxl.

BURTON IUXTA LINCOLN R:—I. Geo: Hudleston. D. no graduate. Oual'y able to cata: Beha. good & honest. I'. xxxl.

BUSLINGETHORPE R:—I. Ethelbert Slad. D. no graduate. of meane learninge. Beha. of meane beha. V. vl.

Brattlebie R:—I. Henrie Luddington. D. ba: of artes. Oual'v

a preacher in his owne parishe.1 Beha. good & ho: V. xxxl.

Cherywillingham V:—I. Jo: Tuttie. D. no graduate. Qual'y not able to cata: Beha. of meane beha: V. vjl. xiijs. 4d. in pec: numerat'. Proprietarie Rob: Markeham, k., iure vxoris—xxl.

Carleton aust: Preb:—I. Rob: Johnson, Curat'. D. no graduate.

Qual'y of meane learninge. Beha, good & ho. V. a stipend of vl.

Proprietarie The prebendar' of Carleton cum Thurlbie—xxl.

Carlton Bor: Preb:—I. Rob: Johnson, Cur'. D. no graduate. Qual'y of meane learninge. Beha. good & honest. V. a stipend of vl. *Proprietarie* the prebendarie of Carlton cum Dalbie—xxl.

DUNHOLME V:-I. Will' Dawson. D. no graduate. Onal'y of meane learninge. Beha. good & honest. V. vijl. Proprietarie The prebendar' hereof—xxl.

Faldingeworth R:—I. Jo: Chadwicke. D. ba: of Divinitie.

Qual'y a learned preacher. Beha. good & honest. I'. xll.

FISKARTON R:—I. Ric' Clayton. D. D'c'or of Divinitie. learned preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. xxvjl.

FRISTROPP R:—I. Geo: Budle. D. ba: of Divinitie. learned preacher. Beha. good & ho: I'. xiijl. vjs. viijd. Gaitburton R:—I. Theod' Walpole. D. bac's of artes. Oual'v a

able to cata: Beha. good and ho: 1. xxxl.

Gretwell, Approp:—no Incumbent. Proprietarie the dea: & chap:

of the cath' church of Lincoln—xxl.

Kettlethorpe R:—I. Roger Parker. D. Dor of Divinitie. Qual'y a learned preacher. Beha. good & ho: V. lxvjl. 13s. 4d.

KNATH APPROP:—I. no incumbent. Proprietarie the Lo: Willowghbe

of Parham—xxl. MARTON V:—I. Will: Harrison.

Newton V:—I. Chr: Jackson. D. no graduate. Oual'v not able to cata: Beha, of meane beha: I'. vjl. xiijs, iiijd. Proprietarie Jo: Stowe, Ju:, yeo:—xll.

NETLAM, APPROP:—Proprietarie The chauncellour of the cath' church

of Lincoln—xxx*l*.

Risom R:—I. Jo: Herd. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able to cata: *Beha.* good & ho: I'. x*l*.

<sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 70, has under Preacher, 'non'.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 71, has 'Dr', which is a mistake (Venn and Venn, Matriculations and Degrees, p. 139).
<sup>2</sup> 'Mr in arts' in L.C. 1603, f. 71; and above, p. 345.

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REPHAM V:—I. Vincent Sore. D. no graduate. Qual'y not able to cata: Beha. of meane beha: I'. vjl. xiijs. 4d. Proprietarie the k: ma<sup>tie</sup>—xll.

SNARFORD R:—I. Peeter Beridge, not resident. D. no graduate.

V. vjl. xiijs, iiijd.

Sudbrooke R:—I. Jo: Wrighte, D. no graduate. Qualy able to cata: Beha, good & ho: V. xvl.

SAXELBIE V:—I. Humphrie Knighte.

Scampton R:—I. Giles Smyth. D. ba: of artes,  $Qual^3y$  a preacher. Bcha. good & honest. I'. xxI.

Scothorne V:—I. Abraham Halliday. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: I'. vijl. Proprietarie The k' mate—xxl.

STOWE PREB:—*I*. Jo: Beswicke, Cur: *D*. no graduate. *Qual'y* not able to cata: *Beha*. of evill behav: *V*. stipend v*l*. *Proprietarie* the prebendar' of the same—lx*l*.

Torcksey approp:—I. Tho: Storr, cur: D. no graduate. Qual'y a preacher. Beha. good & ho: I'. stipend yearlie xxl. Proprietarie

Rob' Jermen, k'—xll. per annum.

VPTON V:—I. Tho: Danporte. D. no grad: Qual'y not able to cata: Beha. of meane beha: V. xl. Proprietaric the Lo: Willowghbi of Parham—xll.

WILLINGHAM IUXTA STOWE R:—I. Jo: Garland. D.  $m^r$  of artes.

Qual'y a preacher.<sup>2</sup> Beha. good & honest. I'. xxxl.

Welton V:—I. Will: Willson. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & honest. V. xl. Proprietarie The v prebendaries of the said Welton vl., viz.,—Beckhall, Brinckhall, Riuehall, Painshall, Westhall.

Torkesey in this deanrie is an impropriac'on & likewise Brampton & the ij Hardwickes And the church of Brampton is pulled downe & all the people resorte to one church in Torksey & the vivinge mighte be made competent by deduc'on from theis impropriacions & by makeinge them all on parishe.

The meanes to increase the living weth are not competent is by deduc'on from the impropriac'ons and payement of all tithes

to be mad in proper kinde.

ROGER PARKER, doctor of divi:, parson of Ketlethorp

Jo: Garland, parson of Willingham iuxta Stowe

GILES SMYTH, parson of Scampton Jo: Wrighte, parson of Sudbrooke

### MANLACKE DECANATUS

ALTHROPE R:—I. Geo: Hamond. D.  $m^r$  of artes. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>8</sup> Beha. good & ho: 1'. xll.

AWCKBORUE—vacat. Proprietarie Gregorie Hamerton, gent.—xxxl. APPLEBIE V:—I. Tho: Seward. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & honest. I'. xiijl. vjs. viijd. Proprietarie Mathew Claiton, gent.—xxl.

<sup>2</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 72, adds 'Licensed'

<sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 72, adds 'L. per Ep: Lincoln: '.

<sup>3</sup> L. C. 1603, f. 72, has under Preacher, 'non.'

BURTON IUXTA STATHER V:—I. Rob: Hall. D. ba: of artes. Qual'v Beha. good & honest. V. xiijl. Proprietarie L: Edm: able to cata: Sheffeld—xx1.

Braughton R:-I. Will: Robinson. D. mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher. 1 Beha. good & honest. 1'. xxxl.

Botsforth V:—I. Henrie Geniver. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y a cher. Beha. good & honest. V. xl. Proprietarie The Deane & preacher. Chap: of the Cath' church of Lincoln—xxxl.

Crowle V:—I. Jo: Baldwin. D. no graduate. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>2</sup> Beha. good & honest. V. xxl. Proprietarie [o: Graves, an alderman of Hull—1/.

Fordingham V:-I. Roger Goodwin. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able to cata'. Beha. good & honest. V. xvil. Proprietarie Rob: Will'mson, gent.—11.

FLIXBROUGH R:—I. Humfrey Browne. D. no grad: Qual'y not able to cata: Beha. of meane beha: I'. xiiijl.

HALTON R:—I. Ric' Forman. D. Mr of artes. Qual'y a learned

preacher.3 Beha, good & ho: V. xll.

HIBALDSTOW V:-I. Will: Tailfar. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: V. ixl. Proprietarie The Subdeane of the Cath' church of Lincoln—xxl.

LUDDINGTON V:—I. Rob: Good. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: V. xijl. Proprietarie The k'e matie—lxl. per annum.

MANTON R:—I. Ric' Turswell. D. ba: of Divitie. Qual'y a learned preacher.4 Beha. good & ho: V. xxxl.

Messingham V:=I. Ric' Rowbothom.

REDBURNE V:—I. Jo: Elston. D. ba: of artes. Qual'y a preacher in his owne parish. Beha. good & honest. I'. viijl. Proprietarie Will: Ellis, esq<sup>r</sup>—xx*l*.

ROXBIE V:—I. Rob; Welbie.<sup>5</sup> D. m<sup>r</sup> of artes. Qual'y a preacher.<sup>6</sup> Beha. good & honest. I'. xvijl. Proprietarie m<sup>r</sup> Jo: Estofte—xxl.

RISBIE V:—I. Geo: Shawe. D. no graduate. Qual'y able to cata: Beha. good & ho: I'. viijl. Proprietarie Sr Geo: St Poole, k:-xxl.

Scawbie V:—I. Seath Shipley. D. no grad: Qual'y not able to cata: Beha. of meane beha: I'. viijl. Proprietarie Ric' Will'mson, esqr. --xxxl.

WADDINGHAM MAE R:—I. Ric' Turswell. D. ba: of Divitie. Qual'y

a learned preacher. Beha. good & honest. V. 1l.
Wintringham R:—I. Tho: Forman. D. mr of artes. Qual'y a

learned preacher.8 Beha. good & ho: V. xll.

WINTERTON V:—I. Tho: Graves. D. mr of artes. Qual'y a preacher.8 Beha. good & ho: V. xiijl. vjs. viijd. Proprictarie the k'є ma<sup>tie</sup>—lxl. Whirton V:—I. Geo: Wade.

<sup>1</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 72, has under Preacher, 'non', i.e. not licensed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 72, adds 'L. per Ep: Lincol'.

<sup>3</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 73, adds 'L. per Vniuer: Cant:'.

<sup>4</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 73, adds 'L. per Arch: Cant:'.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> 'Wilbie' in *L.C. 1603*, f. 73; and above, p. 351. <sup>6</sup> *L.C. 1603*, f. 73, has under *Preacher*, 'non', *i.e.* not licensed. <sup>7</sup> *L.C. 1603*, f. 73, adds 'Licensed.'

<sup>8</sup> L.C. 1603, f. 73, adds 'L. per Ep: Lincoln:'

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The meanes to augement the viving  $\ell$  w<sup>ch</sup> are not competent is by deduc'on from the impropriac'ons and payement to be made of all tithes in proper kinde

RICHARD TURSWELL, bac' of Divinitie, parson of Waddingham Ma<sup>e</sup> Tho: Forman, parson of Wintringham RICHARD FORMAN, parson of Halton

# [NONCONFORMING MINISTERS]

[Lincoln Diocesan Registry.]

A1 briefe of the manner & times of the L: B: of Lincoln his proceedinge against those ministers in his diocesse which were presented unto his  $L\bar{p}$ , for not conforminge themselves to the ecclesiasticall orders of the church of England in the adminstrac'on of common praier of sacramente & of other the rites & ceremonies of the said church by lawe established.

3 October, 1604

Cited for not wearinge the surplisse & not conforminge themselves to the use of the Ceremonies of the Churche in the celebrae'on of divine service and administrac'on of the sacramentes, &c., accordinge to the booke of common praier, &c., there appeared—

> Hugh Tuke, rector of Silkwillowby John Fisher, rector of Ingolsbye Simon Bradstreet, vicar of Horblinge John Jackson, vicar of Borne George Pike, vicar of Donington Alexander Cooke, vicar of Lowth David Allen, rector of Ludburghe Edmund Lionell, curate of Ailesby<sup>2</sup> Charles Richardson, rector of Eastbarkwth Robert Atkinson, vicar of Glentworth Arthur Hildersham, vicar of Ashbie delazouche Richard Sherewood, rector of Thurleston Thomas Cotton, rector of Laughton Laurence Botte, rector of Cadebye Anthony Nutter, rector of Draeton William Deane, curate of Hillesdon George Gee, curate of Stonistratford John Burgesse, rector of Waddesden 3rd part [Thomas Brightman, curate of Hawnes<sup>8</sup>]

and confessed that the article was true, and craved time to deliberate about their conformity respectively in the premises, etc. Whereupon the judge (dominus) for the first time admonished them to conform themselves, etc., this side the last day of October instant.

31 October, 1604

The aforenamed rectors, vicars and curates (except Charles Richardson and John Burgesse, whose punishment is reserved), and also Tho: Heape, vicar of Marloe parva, and Tho: Scotte, curate of Flaunden, ap-

1 The parts which are printed in italic type are in English in the original; those

printed in roman type are a translation from the Latin.

Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Edmunde Linold, curate of Humberstone' (see p. 310) Linold signs the Bishop's Transcript of Humberstone, 1603; and another minister signs 20 April, 1605. The curate of Aylesby from 1586 to 1605 was Matthew Wimprey (see pp. 88, 309, 365; Bishops' Transcripts).

peared and alleged that as yet they cannot conforme themselves according to the monition, etc., and craved time to deliberate afresh, etc. Whereupon the judge (dominus) admonished them respectively to conform themselves, etc., this side the last day of November next, except Heap, who was admonished to conform himself this side 14 November next.

13 November, 1604

Henry Wilkinson, rector of Waddesden 1st and 2nd parts, appeared and was admonished to conform himself this side the last day of November instant.

14 November, 1604

Tho: Heape aforesaid did not appear, but by his letters craved time till the last day of November instant, and the judge (dominus) of his

grace granted him the time aforesaid.

Anthony Hogget, curate of Norrill, Thomas Brightman, curate of Hawnes, John Richinson, curate of Dunstable, and Oliver Perkins, vicar of Offley, appeared and craved time to deliberate. Whereupon the judge (dominus) admonished them to conform themselves this side the last day of November instant.

22 November, 1604

John More, rector of Knaptofte, Richard Chambers, rector of Dixwell, and Timothy Fisher, curate of Tringe, appeared and craved time to deliberate. Whereupon the judge admonished them to conform themselves this side the last day of November instant.

30 November, 1604

All the aforesaid rectors, vicars and curates (except Oliver Perkins) appeared, and the business was adjourned till the morrow.

1 December, 1604

They appeared again and were admonished to conform themselves this side 12 December instant (except Edmund Lionell, John Brinsley, William Deane, George Gee and Thomas Scotte, who were suspended from the execution of their offices for not conforming themselves, etc.).

12 December, 1604

Anthony Hogget, Thomas Brightman and Timothy Fisher<sup>3</sup> were suspended from the execution of their offices for not conforming themselves.

John Fisher, Alexander Cooke, Arthur Hildersham, Richard Sherewood, Laurence Botte, John Burgesse, Thomas Heape and Richard Chambers were admonished to conform themselves this side 16 January next.

The rest were admonished to conform themselves this side 30

January next.

16 January, 1604

Alexander Cooke<sup>4</sup> and John Burgesse<sup>5</sup> were deprived for not conforming themselves after four admonitions.

<sup>1</sup> See p. 363, note 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was curate of Ashby de la Zouch. Another clerk signs the Bishops' Transcript, Ladyday 1606 and 1607.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> He signs the Bishop's Transcript of Tring, Ladyday, 1605, but not subsequently.

<sup>4</sup> The vicarage of Louth was vacant through his deprivation, 7 Feb., 1605-6 (Reg. xxx, 246).

f. 246).

The third part of the rectory of Waddesdon was vacant through his deprivation.

Io June, 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 258d.).

Thomas Heap did not appear, and is excused until 27 March next; the rest were admonished to conform themselves this side the said 27 March next. On which day they did not appear, but are expected on 24 April next.

### [18 January, 1604]

A<sup>I</sup> NOTE OF VNCONFORMED MINISTERES IN THE DIOCES OF LINCOLN WHOE HAUE HAD SOME ADMONIC'ONES & STAND VPON THEIR DEPRIVAC'ON.

### COM: LINCOLN:

Admonic'onc.

4.2 Hugh Tuke Mr of Arte R'c'or de Silkwilloughby: Aveland.

Jo: Fisher<sup>3</sup> M<sup>r</sup> of Arte R: de Ingolsby.

Simon Brodstreete Mr of Arte Vic: de Horblinge

Io: Jackson v: de Borne.

Geo: Pike M<sup>r</sup> of Arte v: de Donnington. David Allen bach: of Arte v: de Ludburghe.

- Charles Richardson Mr of Arte R: de Eastbarkwithe. Rob'te Atkinson bach: of Arte v: de Glentworthe.
- Alexander Cooke bach: in divinity v: of Lowthe deprived at Huntingdon 16° Januarij 1604.
- Edmunde Lionell Curate of Alesby suspended decembr. 1604.

#### COM: LEICESTR:

Arthur Hildersham Mr of Arte v: de Ashby delazouche.

Richard Sherwood Mr of Arte R: de Thurleston. 5.

Thomas Cotten Mr of Arte R: de Laughton.

Lawrence Bott R: de Cadeby. Anthony Nutter R: de Drayton.

Jo: More Mr of Arte R: de Knaptoft.

Jo: Brinsley Curate of Ashby delazouche suspended dec: 1. 1604.

#### COM: BUCKS:

W<sup>m</sup> Cade<sup>4</sup> M<sup>r</sup> of Arte R: de Lillingston. 4.

Jo: Bursey<sup>5</sup> Mr of Arte R: de Shalleston. 4.

Io: Burges bach: in divinity R: de Waddesden 3<sup>ae</sup> partis deprived at Huntingdon 16°. Januarij. 1604.

Henry Wilkinson bach: in divinity R: de Waddesden 1ae et 2ea parte [sic].

Thomas Lovering<sup>6</sup> M<sup>r</sup> of Arte R: de Dunton.

1 The following list, which is marked by a line down the margin, is a separate return from the document in the middle of which, for the sake of convenience, it is printed. It is written in Latin and English.

<sup>2</sup> The figures specify the number of admonitions. The cross placed against certain names calls attention to the incumbents who, on 18 January, 1604-5, had been deprived; while curates, whether suspended or not, are indicated by a horizontal line. The full stop, which is set before all the names except the first five, probably has no significance.

3 He was still rector in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 70d.).
4 He was still rector in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 77).
5 He was still rector in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 77d.).
6 The rectory was vacant through his death, 1 June, 1609 (P.D., 1609, no. 25).

. 4. Thomas Heape Mr of Arte v: de Marlowe parva.

—1. W<sup>m</sup> Deane Curatus de Hillesden suspended dec: 1. 1604.

.—3. Geo: Gee Mr of Arte Curatus de Stonystratford suspended dec: 1. 1604.

-2. Tho: Scott Curatus de Eastmansted Latimere suspended dec: 1. 1604.

COM: BEDF:

.—3. Anthony Hoggett Cur' de Norrell suspended dec: 12. 1604.

.—3. Tho: Brightman bach: in divinity Cur' de Hawnes .—3. Io: Richinson' bach: of Arte Cur' de Dunstable.

### COM: HARTFORD:

4. Rich: Chambere Mr of Arte Rector de Dixwell.

3. Oliuer Parkins Mr of Arte v: de Offeley.

.—3. Timothy Fisher M<sup>r</sup> of Arte Cur' de Tring suspended dec: 12. 1604.

.—3. Nevell Drant<sup>2</sup> Cur' de Northmims suspended dec: 12. 1604.

Endorsed: Jan: 18. 1604. A note of the vnconformed ministers in the Diocesse of Lincolne, and the proceeding against them.

30 January, 1604

John Jackson, David Allen and Charles Richardson<sup>8</sup> are expected on 27 February next; and then they did not appear, etc., and are expected on 10 April.

George Pike4 and Anthony Nutter5 were deprived for not conform-

ing themselves after four admonitions.

The rest, craving a term for further deliberation, were admonished to conform themselves this side 10 April.

10 April, 1605 Hugh Tuke, being sick, is expected on 29 May next.

Simon Bradstreet, not appearing, etc., is expected on 19 June.

David Allen likewise.

John Jackson, craving a term for further deliberation, has till 29 May.

Robert Atkinson likewise.

Thomas Cotton and John More, craving a term for further delibera-

tion, have till 19 June.

Henry Wilkinson, not appearing, etc., but by his letters purging his contumacy and craving a term for further deliberation, is expected on 31 July.

Richard Sherewood<sup>6</sup> was deprived for not conforming himself after

five admonitions.

24 April, 1605

Arthur Hildersham<sup>7</sup> was deprived for not conforming himself after five admonitions.

Another minister signs the Bisnop's Transcript, Ladyday, 1606, and subsequently.

He was still rector of East Barkwith in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 14).
 The vicarage of Donington in Holland was vacant through his deprivation, 14 March,

1604-5 (Reg. xxx, f. 249d.); but he was re-instituted 15 May, 1605 (Ibid., f. 255d.).

5 The rectory of Fenny Drayton was vacant through his deprivation, 9 Aug., 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 260).

<sup>6</sup> The rectory of Thurlaston was vacant through his deprivation, 20 Sept., 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 264d.).

<sup>7</sup> The vicarage of Ashby de la Zouch was vacant through his deprivation, 18 Oct., 1605 (Reg. xxx, f. 268d.).

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;John Richardson, minister', signs the Bishops' Transcripts, Ladyday 1607 and 1609.

Laurence Botte, Thomas Heape, Richard Chambers and Oliver Perkins are respited (conceduntur) till 19 June.

19 June, 1605

Simon Bradstreet, David Allen and Robert Atkinson, not appearing,

are expected on 31 July.

Thomas Cotton and John More, craving a term for further deliberation, have till 31 July to confer with Mr. Sacheuerill upon pending controversies.

Laurence Botte and Thomas Heape, not conforming, were suspended

in respect of punishment.

Richard Chambers and Oliver Perkins, craving a term for further deliberation, Chambers was excommunicated (ex'), and Perkins suspended  $(susp')^{1}$ .

17 July, 1605 Laurence Botte and Oliver Perkins are respited (conceduntur) till 18 September.

Thomas Heape, not appearing, is expected on 2 October.

31 July, 1605

Hugh Tuke, Simon Bradstreet, John Jackson and Robert Atkinson, not appearing, are expected on 18 September.

Thomas Cotton and John More, craving a term for further con-

ference, have till 18 September.

David Allen and Henry Wilkinson are respited (conceduntur) till 2 October.

18 September, 1605

Hugh Tuke, Simon Bradstreete, John Jackson and Robert Atkinson, not appearing, are expected on 23 October.

Thomas Cotton and John More have [till] 23 October for conferring

Laurence Bott<sup>2</sup> was deprived for not conforming himself after many admonitions.

Oliver Perkins, craving a term for further deliberation, has till 23

October.

Andrew Kinge [was] admonished to conform himself this side 23 October.

2 October, 1605

David Alleine,<sup>3</sup> not appearing, is expected on 6 November, and then, [not appearing, is expected] at the end of the session of parliament.

Henry Wilkinson, not appearing, is expected on 15 January.

Thomas Heape, suspended, was admonished to provide a sufficient curate, and to certify on 6 November; and then, neither appearing nor certifying, he was excommunicated.

Richard Chambers,4 craving a term for deliberation, is respited

(conceditur) till 6 November. And then, as Allen.

<sup>2</sup> The rectory of Cadeby was vacant through his deprivation, 27 Nov., 1605 (Reg. xxx.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> One would not expect excommunication and suspension in these cases, but it is difficult to suggest another interpretation.

B'He was still vicar of Ludborough in 1614 (L. C. 1614, f. 30). 4 The rectory of Digswell was vacant through his death, 16 July, 1606 (Reg. xxx, f. 287d.).

23 October, 1605

Hugh Tuke, Simon Bradstreet, John Jackson, Thomas Cotton and John More<sup>5</sup> are, in hope of their conformity, dismissed until they shall be cited again.

Robert Atkinson and Andrew Kinge, not appearing, are excom-

municated.

Oliver Perkins, 6 not conforming himself, was excommunicated, and admonished to provide a curate.

4 December, 1605 Thomas Heape, not conforming himself after many admonitions, was deprived.

5 December, 1605

Andrew Kinge, upon receipt of letters of the most reverend father the archbishop of Canterbury testifying that he [Kinge] was imprisoned at the time at which he ought to have appeared, it was decreed that he should be absolved.

13 December, 1605

Robert Atkinson,8 having been sworn to obey the law, etc., was absolved, and has to the end of the session of parliament for a term for better consideration

15 January, 1605

Henry Wilkinson<sup>9</sup> has, in hope of his conformity, to the end of the session of parliament for a term for better consideration.

By<sup>10</sup> their particular notes drawne owte of the acte of the Courte yt appeareth that some of the unconformed ministers (who seemed to be most stubborne) were suspended and deprived so soone as they could be convenientlie by lawe, tempered wth mercie, and the rest spared longer (for the most parte upon their owne erneste suite and their freinde letters) in hope of their conformitie, havinge an example of others their deprivac'on to drawe them thereunto.

Mr. Heap appeared onelie . 8. times and yet he accompteth that 2. where he was staied but from the last of November to the nexte day and sometimes was respited at his own moc'on. He was .5. times absent before he was exco'icate and yet he was not exco'icate for his absence onelie, but also for not providing a Curate to discharge his Cure, and the rather bicause (at the Courte before) he confessed that he would not suffer anie minister to celebrate anie divine service in his church, but such as would doe as he had done before, and for that cause also was at last deprived.

<sup>2</sup> He was still vicar of Horbling in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 72d.).

(Reg. xxx, f. 282).

8 He was still vicar of Gientworth in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 10).

10 The rest of the document is written in English.

<sup>1</sup> He held the rectory of Silk Willoughby until his death, 28 April, 1626 (Parish Register; Bishops' Transcripts).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> He vacated the vicarage of Bourne by death in 1613 (P.D., 1613, no. 38).
<sup>4</sup> He was still rector of Laughton in 1614 (L. C. 1614, f. 129d.).

<sup>5</sup> He was still rector of Knaptoft in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 120).
6 The vicarage of Offley was vacant through his deprivation for non-payment of tenths, 5 Dec., 1606 (Reg. xxx, f. 296d.).

7 The vicarage of Little Marlow was vacant through his deprivation, 14 May, 1606

<sup>9</sup> He was still rector of two parts of Waddesdon in 1614 (L.C. 1614, f. 111).

That he was not deprived for not subscribinge appeareth by the sentence which ys onclie for not conforminge himself to the orders and ceremonies of the church being laufully admonished.

And verie manie have bene discharged upon certificate of their conformitie without anie subscripc'on required viz in the Countie of

Lincoln-

Edm: Newton vicar of Sleford Jo: Fisher parson of Ingolsbye Tho: Wooll vicar of Boston

Brian Burton parson of Langton iuxta Partney

Jo: Squier parson of Saltfletby Peter Tho: Humfrey parson of Grainsbye William Harting parson of Healinge

Charles Richardson parson of Eastbarkwth

Henrie Hook parson of Nettleton

in the countie of Leicester—

Edw: Cooper parson of Coleorton Gabriell Rosse vicar of Packington Jo: Higginson vicar of Cleybrook Matt: Eaton curate of Harborowe

and manie others in the said Counties and also in the Counties of Bed'

and Buck'.

The parsonage of Buslingthorpe ys in arrearages for tenths to his ma<sup>tie</sup> for .6. yeares ended 44 Eliz. ad. 4s. per annum in toto xxiiijs. and sequestrac'on by vertue of his ma<sup>ties</sup> writte directed to the Churchwardens, they both neglected to sequester and to certifie and thereupon were called to answere their contempte, and not appearinge were exco'icate.

The like course was taken for the parsonage of Snarford being indebted to his matie for .9. yeares ended 39° Eliz: ad .8s. per annum in

toto:—lxxiis.

Afterwarde the Churchwarden of Buslingthorpe procured I'res to be written in his behalf to signifie that there was nothinge to be sequestred but a stipend of 41i. per annum, and was answered againe that he must by vertue of his sequestrac'on demaund that stipend, whereupon he repaired to the Chauncelour and the Churchwarden of Snarford with him and were absolved and havinge done nothinge in their sequestrac'ons a time ys assigned them till the next Court after Easter.

The fees received was for a citac'on xijd. a viis et modis xijd. the exco'icac'on xijd. absoluc'on xiijd. oath iiijd. certificate xijd. .4. acte xvjd. in toto: 6s. 1od. besides the Apparitors fees which was for going from Huntington thether aboute some lx miles or more after the rate of ijd. a mile for .3. severall iorneys with the originall citac'on, the viis et modis and the exco'iac'on: whereof he saith he received but onelie xviijs.

Touching Mr Heape yt vs answered before

[Mr Heape as before ys said was absent .5. times and appeared but .8. times and was exco'icate, rather for not providing a Curale, then for not appearinge. And afterwarde mighte have bene absolved yf he would have given that caution (iurand' de parend' iuri etc.) as the lawe appointeth; subscripe'on was never required at his hand!].

Mr Perkins in like manner mighte have bene absolved yf he would

have submitted himself and taken the oath ut supra.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out,

Mr King when he was exco'icate was not knowne to be in prison but his absolue'on was decreed so soone as yt appeared by the L: Archb: I'res that he was imprisoned and could not appeare.

How¹ manie have craved time *ad deliberand*¹ and how often. That divers ministers upon acknowledginge their conformitie were dismissed without subscripc'on.

Quere how often Mr Heape hath bene called.

- 1. I. nothing so, for onelie Mr Cooke and Mr Heape excepted all the ministers besides did still from one day to another desire a further time of deliberac'on both for readinge and for conference, which in hope of their better perswasion was willingly graunted And as for Mr Heape he was spared manie times for his appearance and at the last for his contumacie being factiouslie disposed and having made manie publicke invectives against the state of the church and the booke of common praier, and not suffering anie minister to say divine service, preache, or administer the sacramente, in his churche, but those that were of his faction, allthoughe he did permitte other irreguler persons to doe the same he was deprived: And as for his exco'icac'on yt was denownced against him not onely for not appearinge, but for not providinge that his Cure might be served, allthoughe he was divers times admonished thereof: From the which he mighte have bene released yf he would have submitted himself and taken the oathe de parend' iuri &c. according unto
  - 2. This ys alltogether untrue for the ministers were not urged with subscripe'on neither anie one of them deprived or suspended bicause they would not subscribe, but onelie shewinge themselves otherwise to be factious and troublesome after manie charitable admonitions they were deprived.
- 2. I. The glover of Buckinghamshire specified was divers times presented for sondrie greevous crimes as may appeare by the coppie of divers presentment, and that he did not read owte of a booke, but did advisedlie affirme that the virgin Marie was the instrument of the divell, and yf theis may be called litle and triflinge causes that men and weomen may keepe their children at home after they are borne and either baptise them in corners by cursitorie priest, or els not baptise them at all, and neither they nor their children nor their servant, come to church or co'icate, but deprave the ministers and service; or that licencious persons may committe horrible and greevous incest, and adulteries, as yf they were authorised so to doe, and that everie malitious,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> What follows is a draft of answers to certain questions of which no copy has been found in the Diocesan Registry. The questions are evidently founded upon objections relating to the proceedings against nonconforming ministers. The first four lines seem to be points noted by the scribe in order that they might not be overlooked. The draft is written on half a sheet of foolscap paper which had previously been used as the wrapter of a letter to the bishop of Lincoln, as is shown by the address at the end. A piece had been torn out of the right hand edge where the seal had been broken, and two lines of the draft are shortened accordingly. This proves that the document is only a draft written upon a waste sheet. The writing seems to be by the hand which wrote one of the two copies of the foregoing list of nonconforming ministers.

popishe, drunken and licentious companion may daylie and howerlie in all places raile upon good and godlie preachers, beate, and strike them, and moste shamefullie abuse them their wifes and children, and disturbe the minister and congregae'on not onelie in the time of common praier but of preachinge of the word, [or that gentlemens daughters may be secretlie caried away and maried in places unknowne without their parente consente, I] then are such persons called to appear for litle and triflinge causes, etc.

2. There hath bene no session made by me in my house (allthoughe I see no reason upon good cause to the contrarie) but in the publicke church and at the ordinarie times and in a great

assemblie of people.

3. There ys allwaies a competente and convenient number presente with the L: Bushop at everie session, who (allthoughe they be skornfullie termed his shadowes) yet be [on the dorse] they religious, learned, discreete, and men of greate integritie and experience, and for the most parte aunciente doctors and Bachelours of Divinitie and doctors of lawe, who are and have bene for manie yeares Judges in the ecclesiasticall Courte of this diocesse and have executed that office with greate creditt and comendac'on.

3. I. Yt may be that in times paste there hath bene some faulte committed by the Appariters that way, but I am fullie perswaded there hath passed no processe of quorum nomina for manie yeares, but under the names, the Judge of the Court hath subscribed his hand and the processe hath bene returned accordinglye.

### [Unfinished]

[Address by another hand.] To the reverend Father in god and my veary good Lo: the Bishop of Lincolne at Bugden.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These words have been interlineated.



# [CLERICAL SUBSIDY ROLL]

[LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

The names of the Curates paying the Subsidy due 1 October, 1583. Lincoln and Stow.

Sir Matthew Wymprey, curate of	Ailesbie	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Greenheod, curate of	Algarkirk	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Thomas Mumbie, curate of	Alvingha <i>m</i>	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Francis Howson, curate of	Biskerthorp	vjs.	viij $d$ .
Sir James Worshipp, curate of	Boston	vjs.	viijd.
Sir James Knocke, curate of	Broughton, Brant	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Vaune, curate of	Cathorpe	vjs.	viij $d$ .
Sir Percival Welbie, curate of	Coningesbie	vjs.	viijd.
Sir George Blumley, curate of	Egle	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Thomas Lound, curate of	Epworthe		viijd.
Sir John Swinsco, curate of	Fenton	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Henry Jeniver, curate of	Fillinga <i>m</i>	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Jacksonne, curate of	Folkingam	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Lumney, curate of	Garnthorpe		viijd.
Sir William Thackeraie, curate of	Gednev	vjs.	viijd.
Sir William Hodgekinson, curate of	Gedney fenne	vjs.	viijd.
Sir William Beverley, curate of	Glentworth	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Thomas Reske, curate of	Gretford	vjs.	viijd.
Sir James Creighton, curate of	Hallington	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Henry Kitchinman, curate of	Hemeswell	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Thomas Crawforthe, curate of	Hicam	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Richard Newton, curate of	Horkestowe	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Thomas Duffeld, curate of	Kyme	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Bell, curate of	Leake	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Roger Menithorp, curate of	Lesingam	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Silvester, curate of	Lincoln, St. Benedict	vjs.	viijd.
Sir William Marshall, curate of	Lincoln, St. Botolph	vjs.	viijd.
Sir George Boothe, curate of	Lincoln, St. Peter at Gote	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Robert Sergeante, curate of	Lincoln, St. Swithin		viijd.
Sir John Doubtfier, curate of	Luttonne	vis.	viijd.
Sir Humphrey Harrison, curate of	Lynwood		viijd.
Sir William Litster, curate of	Maltbie		viijd.
Sir James Awstwicke, curate of	Maringe	vis.	viijd.
Sir Robert Lettyn, curate of	Mintinge		viijd.
Sir William Glenne, curate of	Ruskington	vjs.	viijd.
Sir John Barlowe, curate of	Scotton	vjs.	viijd.
Sir Robert Briane, curate of	Stainefeld		viijd.
Sir Edmund Freston, curate of	Tallington	vjs.	viijd.
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Sir Robert Chapman, curate of	Thoresbie <sup>1</sup>	vjs. viij $d$ .
Sir Robert Vessie, curate of	Thurlbie <sup>1</sup>	vis. viijd.
Sir John Padison, curate of	Trustrop	vjs. viijd.
Sir Robert Colier, curate of	Weston	vjs. viij <i>d</i> .
Sir Robert Broune, curate of	Wigtofte	vjs. viijd,
Sir Christopher Deacon, curate of	Wintringam	vjs. viij <i>d</i> .

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These names have probably been transposed. Chapman was seemingly curate of Tnurlby and Vessie curate of North Thoresby (cp. pp. 9, 72, 89).

### STATISTICS

The following tables, in so far as they relate to the clergy, do not include cathedral preferments or archdeaconries (except in the case of marriage in 1561).

The figures are given under the heads of the several archdeaconries, except that Lincoln and Stow, which cover the county of Lincoln, have

generally been treated as a unit.

The numbers for the whole diocese have been added as often as possible; and it will be noticed that these numbers are not necessarily equal to the sum of the numbers for the several archdeaconries, the variation being due to the fact that clerks sometimes held preferments in more than one of the archdeaconries.

### NUMBER OF THE CLERGY

	LIN	ICOLN	&	STOW	1576	1585	1603
T							
Incumbent .		•		•	$396^{1}$	423 18	514
Incumbent and curate Curate .		•	•	•			3
Preacher .			•	•		125	77
Curate and schoolmast	er	•	•	•		3	
Schoolmaster and licer		reacher	•	•		2	
Schoolinaster and need	1500 1	of etterier	•	•			
					$396^{1}$	573	<sup>2</sup> 594
Schoolmaster (not nece	essaril	ly in Hol	y Oı	ders)		13	
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						586	
						3	
				BEI	OF.		ICK.
				BEI 1585	OF. 1603		ICK. 1603
Incumbent .						BU	
Incumbent and curate				1585 100	1603 107	BU 1585 151	1603 150
				1585	1603	BU 1585	1603 150
Incumbent and curate Curate .	•			1585 100	1603 107	BU 1585 151	1603 150
Incumbent and curate Curate . Schoolmaster (not necessity)	•	ly in Ho	: :	1585 100	1603 107 8	BU 1585 151	1603 150 1 30
Incumbent and curate Curate  Schoolmaster (not necessity)	essari	: : : !y in <b>H</b> o		1585 100	1603 107 8	BU 1585 151	1603 150 1 30
Incumbent and curate Curate . Schoolmaster (not necessity)	essari			1585 100 15 115	1603 107 8	BU 1585 151	1603 150 1 30

<sup>1</sup> Four clerks, who held no parochial preferment in Lincoln or Stow, have been omitted; and therefore the figures relating to 1576 in these tables will vary slightly from those printed in L.R.S., ii, pp. 333-5.

<sup>2</sup> Liber Cleri 1603, unlike Liber Cleri 1585, almost always omits curates when the

incumbents are included.

### Number of the Clergy (continued)

		HUNT.			LEICESTER			
Incumbent .	·		585 124	1603 133	1576 149	1585 179	1603 173	
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			79	1147	149	227	1185	
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Incumbent						1 <b>585</b> 967	1 <b>603</b> 1070	
Incumbent and o	 rurate	•		•	•	<sup>25</sup>	4	
Curate .	sarate :					274	141	
Preacher .							•	
Curate and scho	olmaster					3 2		
Schoolmaster an	d licensed p	reacl	ier .			2		
Schoolmaster (ne	ot necessaril	y in l	Holy C	Orders)		1273 14 1287	<sup>1</sup> 1215	
	R	EAI	ERS	, 1585				
Status M.A.	LIN. & ST	WO	BED.	BUCK.	нихт.	LEIC.	TOTALS I	
B.A.						2	2	
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Unspecified	19		I	2	1	2	25	
an a			_	_		_		
Totals	28		I	2	2	5	38	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 375, note 2.

### Folio 4d.

### **CHORISTERS**

Henry Steper Francis Nicolsone Humphrey Bensone Thomas Manby James Metcalf Nicholas Raie

# BOYS OF THE FOUNDATION OF BARTHOLOMEW BURGHERSHE

Thomas Sandie Henry Herkley George Newton John Cowleigh Thomas Hurscrofte Thomas Taili<sup>r</sup>

### Folio 5.

### **OFFICIALS**

Richard Smyth, receiver general. Thomas Harris, chapter clerk.

Walter Nethercote, schoolmaster (pedagogus).

Thomas Duffeld, constable.

Henry Christofer, clerk of the works (clericus fabrice).

Thomas Butler, organist.

John Piborne, messenger of the chapter in the northern parts. Ralph Hedlame, messenger of the chapter in the southern parts.

#### VERGERS

Rombald Tailer Everard Walles Nicholas/Sparrowe Edward Newton

### Folio 5d.

RINGERS

John Piborne Thomas Hedlame Folio 6, 6d, blank. Christopher Whipley Richard Holland

Folio 7.

### 1594 [ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN]

St. Botulph's—Sir W. Marshall, cur.; [ 1]. p.

St. Peter's at Gotes—Sir William Tailor, cur.; [ 1]. p

St. Mark's—Sir Henry Willie, cur.; o., a. nil. p.

St. Mary's in Wigford—Mr Francis Roodes, v.; lic. pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur.; t. 8d. p.

St. Benedict's—Sir John Halley, cur.; ordained by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 April, 1587; o. 8d.; a. p.

St. Peter's at Arches—Sir Adam Gartside, r.; i. p.

St. Swithin's—Sir Robert Sergeant, cur.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. p.

Folio 7d.

[St. Martin's<sup>1</sup>]—John Lide, v. there; *i.* 8*d.*; *t.* 8*d.*; [St. Michael's<sup>1</sup>]—Adam Gartside, cur.; *o.*; *a.*; [ 1].

St. Paul's—Sir John Lide [Richard Fostar<sup>2</sup>], cur.; o.; a. p. St. Peter's in Eastgate—Robert Nicolsone, reader; tol. p.

Mr Walter Nethercote, schoolmaster (ludimagister) there ; a. [?a.] William Walkwood, under-teacher (hypodidasculus); a. [?a.]

Mr James Gayton, preacher, licensed by the bp. of Lincoln throughout the whole diocese of Lincoln, 20 April, 1594; pr. [?a.]

1 The corner of the leaf has been torn off.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Written above 'John Lide,' which is not struck out. Richard Foster or Forster, curate, signs the Bishops' Transcripts from Michaelmas, 1594, onwards. He, no doubt, succeeded Lide.

Folio 8.

#### LONGOBOBY

Armestone—Sir Constantine Harrisone, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Boothby—Sir Richard Holdesworthe, r.; pr.; i.; plur.; t. а. Mr William Storr, cur.; pr. 8d.; o. 8d.; a. p. Bracebrig—Sir Henry Willy, cur.; o. 8d.; a. p. Braunston—Mr Cuthbert Dale, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Sir John Barker, cur.; pr. 8d.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. p. Blanckney—Mr William Lounde, r.; pr.; i.; t. a. Thomas Stenet, schoolmaster; a. a. Robert Wright, reader; a. 8d. p. Folio 8d. BILLINGAIE—Sir Ralph Palframan, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. a. CANWICKE—Sir William Tailor, v.; preacher, licensed throughout the whole diocese of Lincoln by W. bp. of Lincoln, 8 July, 1594; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Colby—Sir William Lange, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Dunston—Sir John Griffine, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. HANWORTH—Mr Amos Bedforde, r.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. p. Kirkby—Sir John Gamon, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Methringam—Sir Robert Walker, v.; i. 8d. p.Nocton—Sir W. Brokes, v.; i. 8d. p. Folio 9. Naunby—Mr William Power, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s. p. Sir Gabriel Buete, cur.; ordained by the bp. of Lincoln, 12 April, 1594; o. 8d.; a. **p**. Scopwicke—Sir George Bonde, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Skynnand—Sir Henry Nelsone, r.; fr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. a. Sir John Bawdwine, cur.; o. 8d.; a. p. Tymberland—Sir Thomas Humbleton, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Wadington—Mr Alexander Southacke, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Sir John Vincent, cur.; ordained deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 July, 1593; o. 8d.; a. **p**. Folio 9d. Welborne—Mr Francis Trigge, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Sir Nicholas Martine, cur.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. p. Washingburgh—Mr Hugh Broune, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Folio 10. GRAFFO AWBORNE—Sir Alexander Gee, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.Basinga*m*—Mr John Barnes, r. ; *pr.* 8*d.* ; *i.* 8*d.* ; *t.* 8*d.* ; *t.* 8*d.* ; Bultham—Sir John Devias, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Carlton—Mr Richard Kellett, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Doddington—Sir Ralph Bethell, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Mr Stephen Lodington, M.A., cur.; ordained by the bp. of Lincoln, 31 May, 1592; o. 8d. a. p. Folio 10d.

NORTON DISNEY—Sir John Wilsone, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

NORTON DISNEY—Sir John Wilsone, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. NORTHSCARLE—Mr Thomas Griffine, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. p.

Egle—Sir George Blumley, cur.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. р. Ніскаме—Mr John Jegon, r.; pr.; i.; plur.; l. е. STAPLEFORD—Sir John Cottone, cur.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. p. Swinderbie—Sir Richard Caporne, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Skellingthorp—Sir Humphrey Knight, cur.; o. 8d.; a 8d. p. Thorp—Mr Ezechiel Tailor, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Folio 11.

#### LAFFORDE

Амwicke—Sir Robert Wilsone, v.; fr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Aswarbie—Mr Thomas Carr, r.; fr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; flur. 3s.; frox' 4s. 8d. a.

Sir [Simon Okeden<sup>1</sup>] Richard Norris, cur.; o. 8d.; a. he has a licence newly granted. p.

Aunsby—Mr Francis Somersall, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Asgarbie—Mr William Williams, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; plur. 3s.

Ashbie—Sir Thomas Scochie, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. p.

BLOXAME—Mr W. Colsell, r.; pr.; i.; plur.; t. e.

Sir [blank], cur.; o.; a. a.

Folio 11d.

Braunswell - Sir Henry Holdesworth, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Burtone—Mr Richard Evatt, v.; pr.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Cranwell—Sir Thomas Jonsone, cnr.; o. 8d.; a. p.

Digbie—Sir John Palframan, v.; i. 8d.; t. p.

DIRRINGTON—Sir Ralph Bower, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

EVEDEN—Sir W. Glen, r.; pr.; i.; t. a.

EWARBIE—Sir John Williamson, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Howell—Sir Charles Whelpdale, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Folio 12.

HECKINGTONE—Sir Thomas Morley, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

HALE—Sir Robert Broune, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Helpringham—Sir Samuel Larke, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Ingoldesbie—Mr John Fisher, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

KIRKBIE PETER'S—Sir Hugh Devias, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Kyмe—Sir Thomas Duffeld, cur.; pr.; o.; a. a.

Lesingam, North—Mr John Moris, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Lesingam, South—Sir Thomas Nooke, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

QUARRINGTON—Sir Robert Hitchcocke, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Folio 12d.

ROUSTONE—Mr Francis Berisford, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

Ruskington—Sir W. Willimott, r.; pr. 8d.; t. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Sir William Wilerton, v.; he serveth also at Bloxam; t. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

RAUCEBIE—Sir John Talbott, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Sir Edward Pearsone, cur.; o. 8d.; a. 8d. p.

SWARBIE—Sir Thomas Beare, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

WILLUGHBY—Mr Hugh Tuke, r.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p. Folio 13.

#### LOUEDEN

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was probably a reader.

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<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

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<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Brian' (cp. P.D., 1593, no. 63).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Inserted by another hand. He did not become rector until 14 July, 1599 (P.D. 1599, no. 29).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Inserted by the same hand that added 'William Storre' above.

<sup>3</sup> I.e. 1592. Perhaps we should read '33rd'.

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Ounbie—Sir Philip Wright, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Spridlington—Sir Robert Shawe, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Folio 49d.
Saxbie—Sir Thomas Watsone, v.; i.; t. p.
    Sir Richard Laminge, cur. : o.; a. p.
WILLOUGHTON—Sir Nicholas Ryley, v.; i. 8d. p.
Wadingham Peter's—Mr Richard Turswell, r.; seq. p.
Folio 50.
                              MANLAK
Althorpe—[Mr\ Richard\ Jaques^2], r.; pr.\ 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; flur. 3s. a.
Sir [Richard Newton<sup>2</sup>], cur.; o.; a. a. Alkebarowe—Mr Richard Cliff, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Appleby—Sir Thomas Seward, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Burtone—Mr Robert Hall, v.; pr. he has none; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Braughton—Mr W. Robinson, r.; i. 8d.; t. he did not exhibit. p.
Bottesford—Sir Henry Jeneper, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Crule—Sir John Bawdwine, v.; pr. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
    [John Barlowe<sup>2</sup>], schoolmaster; a. 8d. p.
FLIXBURGH—Sir Humphrey Broune, r.; i. 8d.; l. p.
Folio 50d.
Frothingam—Sir Roger Goodwine, v.; i. 8d.; t. he has none. p.
HALTONE—Mr Richard Forman, r.; i. 8d.; t. he did not exhibit. p.
     Sir Thomas Belt, cur. of Gunnous chapel; o.; a. p.
Hibalstowe—Sir William Tailforth, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Ludington—Sir [Thomas<sup>2</sup>] Robert Goode, v.; i. 8d.; l. 8d. p.
Messingham—Sir Richard Rowbothome, v.; i; t.; pr. 8d.; plur. 3s. p.
Maunton—Mr Richard Turswell, r.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
     Sir William Spires, eur.; o. 8d. p.
Roxbie—Sir Robert Dawsone, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
Folio 51.
RISBY—Sir George Shawe, v.; i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.
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Henry Aiscoughe was presented to the rectory, 2 July, 1594, and instituted 26 Sept. (P.D., 1594, no. 33).
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Sir John Barlowe, cur.; o. 8d.; a. p. Wrote—Sir Robert Dobsone, r.: i. 8d.; t. 8d. p.

LAUGHTON—[blank], master of the grammar school; a.

Gainesburgh—[blank], master of the grammar school; a. he was admonished to procure a licence within a month. p.

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Folio 6.

## [ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN]

#### AVELAND DEANERY

Aslackbie—4d. Sir Alexander Maborne, v.		8d.
Bourne - 4d. Sir John Jackson, v.		8 <i>d</i> .
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Dowesby—4d. Sir Robert Buckberrie, r.		8d.
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Folkingham—Mr John Hoskyn, r.; imprisoned. e.		
Ed. Varley, cur. $d.$ ; $m.$ ; $a.$ ; $stip.$ Poor.		
Horblinge—4d. Mr Simon Bradstreete, v.		8d.
HACEBY—4d. Mr Robert Hawford, r.		8d.
Hacconbie—4d. Sir Thomas Gamon, v.		8d.
Kirkbie-4d. Sir James Griffithe, r., pluralist.	3s.	8d.
4d. Mr Richard Butler, cur.		8 <i>d</i> .
Morton—4d. Sir Thomas Francke, v.		8d.
4d. Mr Fr. Haycoke, preacher there; pr. licensed 13 Feb	٠,	
'94, throughout the whole diocese by W. bp. of Lincoln.		8d.
Newton—4d. Sir George Gamon, r.		8d.
Osbornby—4d. Sir Miles Whaley, v., pluralist. See Willowby.		8d.
Pickworthe—4d. Sir W. Mapletofte, r.		8d.
5s. 4d.	13s.	8d.
Folio 6d.	9	
RIPPINGALE, 2 PARTS—4d. Sir Robert Collingwood, r., pluralist.		81.
RIPPINGALE, 3RD PART—4d. The same Robert Collingwood, r	.,	
pluralist.		8d.
Sempringham—Henry Hollywell, cur. d.; m.; a.; stip. a.	0	
Swaton—4d. Sir Richard Carrington, v.		8d.
Spanby chapel—Noe cur. d.; m.; a.; stip.		
Threckingham—Sir Ralph Palfreman, v. e.		
Waterwillowby—4d. Sir Miles Whale, r., pluralist.	35.	8d.
Sir W. W'mson, cur.		84.
WALCOTE-4d. Sir Robert Rochford, cur.; ord. by the lord b	p.	
of Lincoln.	•	8d.
20d.	IOS.	
Folio 7. BELTISLOE DEANERY		
1	20	8 <i>d</i> -
Bassingthorpe—4d. Mr Thomas Russell, v., pluralist.	33.	8d.
BYTHAM, GREAT—4d. Sir W. Idell, v.		ou.
[Mr Bland <sup>1</sup> ], schoolmaster; a.		

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Bytham, Little—4d. Mr Walter Howse, r. d.; m.; i.; l.;		
deg.; ind.; pa.	8	đ.
Bychfeild—4d. Sir Richard Edwarde, v.	8	d.
James Levinston, schoolmaster there; $a$ . Byrron— $4d$ . Sir W. Pollard, r.	8	đ.
CAREBIE—4d. Sir W. Browne, r.		d.
Colsterworth—4d. Mr W. Hotchkyne, r, pluralist.	s. 8	
Corbie—Sir Richard Elam, v. e.		
CREETON—Sir John Foster, r.		
Ednam—Sir James Fluyd, cur.; a.; slip. 20 marks a year. Thomas White, schoolmaster there; a.		
Gunbie—4d. Sir John Richerdson, r., pluralist, Twywell in		
Northampton, &c. $d$ .; $m$ .; $pr$ .; $qual$ .; $disp$ .		d.
4d. Sir Simon Tunne, cur.		d.
IRENHAM—4d. Mr John Hanson, r., pluralist. Sir Maurice Gadge, cur. stip.; pr.		d. d.
LAVINGTON—4d. Mr Tempest Wood, v.		d.
Northwitham—4d. Sir John Sande, r.	8	đ.
Southwitham—4d. Sir Benedict Smyth, r.	8	d.
[blank] Smyth, schoolmaster; a.		_
	s. 40	d.
Folio 7d. Stevenbie—4d. Sir Matthew Browne, r.	8/	d.
STOKE, SOUTH—4d. Sir W. Hotchkyne, r., pluralist.		d.
[Noe curate here. <sup>2</sup> ]		
Sir John Willyomat, curate there; m.; a.	0	,
STOKE, NORTH—4d. Mr Nicholas Walker, r., pluralist. <b>a. e.</b>		d. d.
Swafeild—4d. Mr John Menzeis, r. <b>e</b> . Swinsted—4d. Sir William Nicholls, v.		d.
WYTHAM—4d. Mr James Gartside, v. 8d.; 8d.		
	s. 40	
Folio 8. BULLINGBROOK DEANERY	·	
Bullingbroke—4d. Sir Raphaell Throgmorton, r.	8	d.
Thomas Thompson, M.A., schoolmaster, adm. 18 Aug., 1604,		
by Dr. Hill Enderbie—4d. Sir Roger Metcalf, r.	8	d.
The same, schoolmaster; a.	0,	
ESTERKEAL, SOUTH—4d. Sir W. Jackson, r. ESTERKEAL, NORTH—4d. Mr George Jackson, r., pluralist.		d.
ESTERKEAL, NORTH—4d. Mr George Jackson, r., pluralist.		d.
Halton—4d. Mr William Symonde, r., pluralist. 4d. John Cutt, schoolmaster; a.	s. 8a	a.
HAREBY—4d. Sir Robert Wighte, r.; pr., licensed 29 Nov., 1602,		
by the late archbp, of Canterbury.	8	d.
HUNDLEBY—4d. Sir William Webb, v.	8	d.
HAUGNEBY V.—Sir Thomas Allen, cur. It is vacant.	Q.	d.
Kirkbie—4d. Sir Richard Rysinge, v. Lusbie—4d. Mr John Downes, r., pluralist.	00 s. 80	
Mynengsby—4d. Sir Edward Vstwaite, r.		d.
Rathbie—4d. Sir John Willerton, r.	8	d.

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Spilsbie—4d. Francis Parker, cur.		8d.
The same, schoolmaster; a. STICKNEY—4d. Sir Meredith Price, r.		8 <i>d</i> .
Michael Machett, schoolmaster; a.		8d.
STEEPING, LITTLE—4d. Sir John Stubbes, r.		8d
STICKFORD—4d. Sir Thomas Abraham, v.	16s.	ou
Folio 8d.	103.	
Sibsey—4d. Mr John Crosse, v.		8d.
Richard Thornton, schoolmaster; a.		
Thorpe—1d. Sir Henry Veizey, v.		8d.
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m.; i.; deg.; ind.; res.; pa.; pr.; plur.; qual; disp.; t.		8d.
TOYNTON PETER'S, NORTH—4d. Francis Parker, sequestrator an	d	
curate.		8d.
Toynton All Saints', vic.—4d. Mr Laurence Freeman, v.		8d.
Westerkeale—4d. Mr George Jackson, r., pluralist. [blank] Mayhew, schoolmaster; a.	3s.	8d.
2s.	7s.	
Folio 9. CANDLESHOE DEANERY	10.	
,		8d.
ARDLETHORPE—4d. Sir George Cater, r.		8d.
Ashbie—4d. Sir John Barker, r.		8d.
Borrowe—Sir Alexander Cooke, v. $\lceil blank \rceil$ Emott, $\lceil curate^2 \rceil$ schoolmaster there; m.; d.; a.; sli	h	ou.
Mr Richard West, preacher there; $pr$ , licensed; $a$ . by the	l'• ne	
late lord bp. of Linc., 24 Jan., 1592; slip. 15l. a year; deg	ic	
Bratofte—4d. Mr Leonard Ithell, r.		8d.
Candlesby—4d. Robert Deves, r.		8d.
CROFTE—4d. Mr William Worshippe, v.		8d.
Edw. Stoanes, schoolmaster; a.		0.,,
Dribie—4d. Sir Martin Houlden, r., pluralist.	38	. 8d.
Friskney—4d. Sir Richard Turpyne, v.; pluralist.		. 8d.
[blank], cur. there; d.; m.; a.; stip.; deg.	5	
FIRSBIE—4d. Sir John Kinzey, r.		8d.
Gunbie—4d. Sir John Burley, r.		8d.
INGOLLMELLe—4d. Mr John Clarke, r.		8d.
Irbie, impropriation—W. Tailour, [curate <sup>2</sup> ] reader		
Orbie—4d. Sir Richard Pryor, v.		8d.
Partney—Mr Edw. Salmon, r.		
3s. 8d.	145.	
Folio 9d.		
Sutterbie—4d. Sir Martin Houlden, r., pluralist.		8d.
[blank], curate there; $m$ .; $a$ .; $stip$ .; $deg$ .; $pr$ .		0.1
SCREMBIE—4d. Mr Richard Foster, r., pluralist.	38	. 8d.
SKENDLEBY—4d. The same Mr Richard Foster, v.		-8d.
SKEGNES—4d. Sir Hamon Coxon, r.		8d.
John Gray, schoolmaster; a.		0 1
STEPING, GREAT—4d. Sir Henry Lord, v.		8 <i>d</i> .
Beaupery Sparke, schoolmaster; a.		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In this Liber l is used to represent litteræ testimoniales; but t. has been substituted for l in the text in order to conform with the usage in the other Libri.
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Wynthorpe—Sir Thomas Waad, v.	8d.
WAINEFLETE ALL SAINTS'-4d. Sir Henry Foster, r.; licensed	
by W. late lord bp. of Lincoln, 2 Oct., 1591, in the said	
church only.	8d.
4d. Sir John Nicolson, schoolmaster; adm. by Dr Belley,	
7 June, 1594.	8d.
Waineflet Mary's vic.—It is vacant.	
4d. Sir Thomas Joyes, cur.; a. tolerated, full minister.	8d.
Welton, appropriation—4d. Sir John Enderbie, cur.; adm. by	
the late lord bp. of Lincoln.	8d.
The same, schoolmaster there; adm. 31 August, 1604, by	0
Dr Hill, everywhere throughout the whole archdeaconry of	
Lincoln.	
	s. 8d.
Folio 10. CALCEWATHE DEANERY	,s. Ott.
	3s. 8d.
Sir Robert Blake, cur. there.	8d.
ABIE—4d. Sir Peregrine Browne, v., pluralist; not dispensed.	8d.
Alford—4d. Sir Joseph Overton, v.	87.
4d. Francis Marburie, preacher there; $pr$ .; $g$ .; $a$ . he has to	
shew it; slip. 20l. a year; m.	8d <b>.</b>
4d. John Crofte, schoolmaster there; a. by the lord bp.;	
slip. 13l. 6s. 8d.; deg. M.A.	8d.
Beesbie—4d. Mr Robert Smyth, r.	8d.
Thomas Manby als. Rann, schoolmaster; a.	
Beelesbie—4d. Sir Thomas Storr, v.; d.; m.; i.; deg.; pa.; ind.;	
pr.; lic. 8d., 8d	l., 8d.
Cawthorpe, vic.—It is vacant.	,
Mr Randolph Wooding, cur.; a.; m.; stip.; pr.	
Comberworth—4d. Mr John Hope, r.	8d.
CLAXBIE—4d. Sir John Pearson, v.	8d.
3s.	
Folio 10d.	•
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Farlstropp—4d. Sir Thomas Scarbroughe, v.	8d.
Gayron—4d. Mr Christopher Medcalf, r.	8d.
HANNEY, APPROPRIATION—Sir John Whalley, cur.	8d.
Huttofte—4d Sir W. Chapman, v.	8d.
Hoggestropp—4d. Sir John Osmotherley, v.	8d.
Hellowe—4d. Sir Richard Allen, r.; 28, for prox'.	8d.
	ou.
[blank] Southwell, schoolmaster; a.	
Sir John Bolle; he is respited (respectuatur).	
Hawe, vic.—It is vacant.	
Sir Edw. Adamson, cur.	
Legborne, appropriation—Mr Christopher Stephenson, cur.; d.;	
m.; a.; deg. M.A.; slip.; pr.	0.1
MABLETHORPE PETER'S—4d. Sir Tristram Hudleston, r.	8d.
Mablethorpe Mary's—Mr Thomas Veale, r.	8d.
Momby—4d. Sir Alan Freer, v.	84.
Momby Chapel—noe curate there.	0.1
Maltbie—4d. Mr Henry Marten, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
2s. 8d. 7	s. 4d.

Folio II.	
MARKBIE, APPROPRIATION—4d. Sir Robert Marshall, cur.; d. and	
m. he is not; $a$ : $deg$ . noe graduate; $slip$ . $5l$ . a year. Note.	8d.
SOUTHRESTON—Sir Richard Cloughe, r.	
Sutton—Mr Thomas Sparke, r., pluralist; deg. D.D.; pa.; disp.;	
qual.; pr.; pl. 4d. Sir Robert Eliot, cur. there.	8d.
Salebie—4d. Mr George Scortreth, v.	8d.
Swabie—4d. Mr Paul Balgay, r.	8d.
Stayne—4d. Sir Samuel Willingam, r., pluralist; pl.; deg.; pa.;	
disf.; $pr.$ 38	. 8d.
John Garbrore, cur. there; pr.; a.; m.; stip.; deg. His	
stipend is but 20s, a year and therfore in meare pitty he is	
distinguished; there is but 2 houses, &c. He is dismissed.	
Totthill—Sir Roger Smyth, r.; deg.; pa.; pr.; disp.; plur.	. 7.1
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4d.1
Folio 11d. Tothill—Sir Edward Adamson, cur.	8d.
Thedlethorp All Saints' vicarage—It is vacant.	0111
Sir Ralph Marshall, cur. ; a.	8d.
THEDLETHORP HELEN'S—4d. Mr William Symonde, r., pluralist.	8d.
4d. Sir Robert Welles, cur. there.	8d.
Trustropp—Mr James Hollingworth, r.	0.1
4d. Sir George Hanson, cur. there.	8d.
THORESBY—4d. Sir Richard Willyomat, r.; d.; m.; i.; deg;	8.1
ind.; pa; pr.; t. 8d., 8d. Willoughbie—4d. Sir Libeus Sadler, r.	8d.
WITHERNE—4d. Sir Nicholas Maddyson, r.	8d.
VLCEBY—4d. Sir Francis Gumas, r.	8d.
Well—4d. Sir Peregrine Browne, r., pluralist, no dispensation.	8d.
2s. 8d. 8s.	
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AWBURNE VICARAGE—Alexander Gee, v., pluralist.	0.7
4d. Sir John Bawdwine, cur. there.	8d. 8d.
Bassingham—4 $d$ . Mr John Barnes, r. Bultham—4 $d$ . Sir W. Evers, r.; $d$ .; $m$ .; $i$ .; $deg$ .; $pa$ .; $t$ .; $pr$ .;	ou.
ind. 8d., 8d.	. 8d.
CARLTON—4d. Mr Richard Kellett, v.	8d.
Doddington—4d. Sir Raphael Bethiell, r.	8d.
Eagle vicarage—It is vacant.	
4d. Sir George Blumley, cur.	8d.
HYKHAM—4d. Mr Thomas Russell, pluralist. See Bassing'.	81.
Sir James Leeman, cur. there.	8d.
NORTON DISNEY—4d. Sir John Wilson, v. NORTHSCARLE—4d. Sir Thomas Gryffen, r.	8d.
Stapilforth—4d. Sir Richard Pollard, v.	8d.
3s. 4d. 8s.	
Folio 12d.	
SWENDERBIE—Sir Edward Alred v	8d.

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 6s. 4d.

Skellingthorpe—Sir Robert Vaughan, cur.; a.	
THORPE—4d. Alexander Gee, r.	8d.
4d.	16d.
Folio 13. GRANTHAM DEANERY	
Allington—4d. Sir Simon Buttree, r., pluralist.	3s. 8d.
Barrowby—4d. Sir James Thornton, r., pluralist.	3s. 8d.
Belton—4d. Mr John Pratt, r., pluralist; m.; i.; deg.; i.; pa.	;
pr.; pl.; qual.; t.	3s. 8d.
[blank], curate there; m.; a.; stip.	
Braceby—Sir W. Turnbull, cur. there; a.	
Barkeston—4d. Mr Francis Feild, r.; m.; i.; pa; ind.; deg.	
_ 1 '	8d., 8d.
[blank] Watson, cur.; a.	0.1
BOOTHBY—4d. Sir Ambrose Ward, r. Denton—4d. Mr Edmund Battie, r.	8d. 8d.
DENTON—4d. Mr Edmund Dattle, 1.	8d.
4d. Sir W. Wrighte, cur. there. e.	
	2s. <sup>1</sup>
Folio 13d.	_
GRANTHAM, SOUTH, PREBEND—Mr William Barksdaile, pluralist.	
GRANTHAM, NORTH, PREBEND—Mr Abraham Conham, pluralist. e	
Grantham, North—4d. Mr Stephen Lodington, v. <b>e</b> , plague. Grantham, South—4d. Mr Nicholas Walker, v., pluralist. <b>e</b>	8d.
	, 8d.
plague. GunnerBie—Sir Richard Atkinson, cur. there; pauper; a. a. e	
'remittith'.	•
HARLAXTON—4d. Mr Ralph Caluerley, r., pluralist.	3s. 8d.
Sir Nicholas Robinson, eur. there; $pr$ .; $a$ .; $m$ . admitted	:
d.; stip.; deg.	,
Honington—4d. Sir Richard Gace, v., pluralist.	3s. 8d.
Leonard Gace, cur.; admitted by Dr Hill, 22 Aug., 1604; d	
he is not: $m$ . he is not; $a$ .; $stip$ .; $deg$ .	
LONDONTHORPE CHAPEL—noe curate.	
Paunton, Great—4d. Mr Francis Allen, r.; m.; i.; deg.; pa.	;
pr.; ind.; t. <b>e</b> . 8d.,	8d., 8d.
4d. Thomas Franck, cur.	8d.
2s. 1	10s. 8d.2
Folio 14.	
Paunton, Little—4d. Sir James Griffitte, r., pluralist. e.	8d.
Ropesley—4d. Sir John Ayscoughe, r.	8d.
Strawson—4d. Sir James Hanson, r.	8d.
Segbroke—Sir Robert Gibson, r.	8d.
SEGBROKE DEACONSHIP—4d. Sir Simon Buttrie, deacon; plural-	
ist; ind.	8 <i>d</i> .
Sciston—4d. Sir Richard Norris, cur.	8d.
SAPPERTON—4d. Sir W. Turnbull, r.	8d.
Somerbie—4d. Mr W. Woode, r., licensed preacher; m.; i.	,
deg.; pa.; t.; ind. Weight ut Sir Thomas Cose r	8d., 8d. 8d.
Welbie—4d. Sir Thomas Gace, r.	

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 15s.
2 Rectius 11s. 4d.
3 'Wood' at p. 308, and in P.D., 1603, no. 21, and Reg. xxx, f. 199.

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Willesforth—4d. Sir Richard Stevens, r.	8d.
Wolstrope—4d. Sir James Thornton, r.	8d.
4d. Sir Thomas Welbie, cur. there.	8d.
WYVELL—4d. Sir John Nicholle, r. e.	8d.
Grantham school.—Sir W. Northan, master of Grantham grammar school; a.; stip.	
Sir [blank] Camocke, under-teacher there; a.; stif.	
45.	
Folio 14d. GARTREE DEANERY	
ASTERBIE—4d. Sir Richard Greene, r.	8d.
Bucknall—4d. Sir Arthur Wrighte, r.	8d.
[blank] Dolif, schoolmaster; a.	0.1
Belchford—4d. Sir John Conyers, r., pluralist.	8 <i>d</i> .
Sir Thrustan Fogg, cur. and schoolmaster there; a. by Dr Hill, 18 Aug., 1604, and he owes 4s.	
	8d.
Donington—Sir Thomas Kent, r.	8d.
GAWDBIE—4d. Sir Robert Tailour, r., pluralist.	8d.
John Milner, curate there: d. by the lord bp. of Lincoln, 20	···
Mar., 1602; m. he is not; a.; $slip$ .	8d.
Golcebie—4d. Sir Peter Houlden, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
Horssington—4d. Mr Theodore Tansey, r., pluralist.	8d.
4d. Sir Richard Bullocke, cur. and schoolmaster there.	8d.
Hemingbie—4d. Mr Thomas Jonson, r.	8d.
[blank] Barnes, schoolmaster; a. e.	
Mynting—4d. Sir Richard Beuerley, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
3s. 4d. 8s.	
Folio 15.	
Randbie, appropriation—John Peale, schoolmaster and curate; d.; m.; a.; slip.; deg.; pr.	
STAYNTON—John Feild, pretended curate; $d$ .; $m$ .; $a$ .; $stip$ .;	
deg.; pr.	
STURTON—Sir Christopher Waters, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
STANIGOTE—4d. Sir Robert Alleley, r.	8d.
STIXWOLDE—4d. Sir Richard Travers, v.	8d.
8d. 2s.	
Folio 15d. GRYMESBIE DEANERY	
Allesbie appropriation—Sir Matthew Wymprey, cur.	
Ashbie—4d. Mr Nicholas Sugar, r.	8d.
Bradley—Mr Thomas Whittle, r.	8d.
Belesbie—4d. Mr Francis Kettlewell, r.	8d.
Barnolbie—4d. Mr Thomas Atkinson, r.	8d.
Brigesley—Mr Gerrard [Bynkes, $r$ . <sup>1</sup> ] Bromby, cur.; $m$ .; $i$ .; $deg$ .;	
pr.; ind.; pa. Сотея, Great—4d. Mr Thomas Forman, r., pluralist. 3s.	0.7
4d. Richard Fulshawe, cur. there; $d$ .; $m$ .; $a$ .; $p$ turanst. 3s.	S∂.
a vear; $deg$ .	8 <i>d</i> .
Cotes, Little—4d. Sir W. Walton, cur.	8d.
CLEE—Sir Robert Burrell, v.; d.; m.; i.; deg.; pa.; pr.; t.; ind.	

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

Coxwold—4d. Sir Robert Handson, r. Caborne—4d. The same Robert Handson, v. Noe curate there.	8d. 8d.
	4d.1
Folio 16. ESTRANDELL, APPROPRIATION—4d. Sir W. Aiscoughe, cur. GRAINESBIE—Mr Thomas Humfrey, r. GRIMESBIE, JAMES'—4d. Sir Robert Lord, v. Henry Blunston, schoolmaster; a. by Dr Belley, 16 June,	8d. 8d. 8d.
1601; stip. 131. 6s. 8d. a year.	8 <i>d</i> .
HEALING—Sir W. Harting, r.  HATCLIF—4d. Mr Oliver Waters, r., pluralist.  HUMBERSTON—Mr Edmund Lioneld, cur.; a. 13 May, 1602, by the bp. of Lincoln.	. 8 <i>d</i> .
the bp. of Lincoln.  Howton—4d. Sir W. Bayldon, v.  Hawerby—Sir W. Mourton, r.  Irbie—4d. Sir Thomas Langley, r.  Lacebie—4d. Mr John Clarke, r.  [blank] Elsham, schoolmaster; a	8d. 8d. 8d. 8d. 8d.
Norcotes—Mr Nathaniel Pilkington, r. 8d., 8d. Anthony Newton, schoolmaster; a. Newton—Mr Thomas Pilkington, r.; licensed (L.) 11 Nov., 1577,	, 8 <i>d</i> .
by the late lord bp.  ROTHWELL—4d. Mr Robert Marris, r.  SCARTHOE—Sir Maurice Gulson, r.  SWINHOPP—4d. Sir John Greene, r.  SWALLOWE—4d. Sir W. Andrew, r.  THORESBIE—Sir Hugh Mapletofte, r.  Sir John Harneis, schoolmaster; a.	8d. 8d. 8d. 8d. 8d.
35.	
Folio 16d. Tetney—4d. Sir Richard Odling, v. Wathe, appropriation—Sir W. Bayldon, cur.; a.	8 <i>d</i> .
Waltham—4d. Mr Richard Baynes, r. 4d. Sir John Lawson, schoolmaster; step.	8d. 8d.
12d. 2s.	
Folio 17. SOUTH HOLLAND DEANERY	
COWBITT CHAPEL—4d. Sir Mark Somerscales, cur. CROWLAND, APPROPRIATION—4d. Sir Robert Chapman, cur. Fleete—4d. Mr Moises Wilton, r.  [blank] Diggstt, vehoelmeeters a	8d. 8d. 8d.
[blank] Piggott, schoolmaster; a.  Gedney—Mr John Day, r., pluralist; m.; i.; fa.; deg.; fr.; flur.  Gedney—4d. Mr John <sup>2</sup> Newland, v.  Gedney Fen chapel—4d. Sir W. Hotchkinson, cur.  Thomas Clarke, schoolmaster, a.  Capring Denny, cur. of the chapel of	8d. 8d.
George Denny, cur. ; a.  Holbeche—4d. Sir Othoniel Bradburie, v.  Lutton Chapel—4d. Sir W. Grymshawe, cur.	8d. 8d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rectius 9s.
<sup>2</sup> Rectius 'Thomas' (cp. p. 312; Reg. xxx, f. 145d.; L.C., 1614, f. 56d.).

Molton—4d. Mr James Ashton, v.; m.; i.; deg.; pr.; l.; ind.;	0 1
pa. his Ma <sup>tie</sup> Sir Shut Jeffison, schoolmaster (pedagogues); a. vide Liber	8 <i>d</i> .
Officii, he is dismissed.	
The same Mr James Ashton, schoolmaster (ludimagister)	
there; a, by the lord bp.	
MOLTON CHAPEL—Sir Thomas Jonson, cur.; d.; m.; a. by Mr Rande, &c. pr.; stip.; deg.;	
Folio 17d.	s. 4d.
PINCHBECKE—4d. Mr Thomas Atherton, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
Gilbert Wilson, schoolmaster; a. he exhibited; he paid in	
Libro Officii.	
Surflet—Mr James Mourton, cur.	0.1
SUTTON MARY'S—4d. Mr Thomas Clarke, v.	8d. 8d.
SUTTON ST. EDMUND'S CHAPEL—4d. Sir James Tailour, cur. SUTTON JAMES' CHAPEL—4d. Sir Thomas Warde, cur.	8d.
SPALDING, APPROPRIATION—4d. Sir W. Browne, cur. No.1	8d.
John Hutchinson, schoolmaster; a. by Mr Rande, 27 Mar.,	ou.
1599.	8d.
TIDD MARY'S—4d. Mr Thomas Fell, r.	8d.
Weston—4d. Mr [John Folkingham, vicar <sup>2</sup> ] Robert Collyer, cur.	8d.
Whaplod—4d. Sir Clement Freckingham, v.	8d.
William Crispe, schoolmaster, a.	
WHAPLOD DROVE CHAPEL—Sir Edward Odling, cur. and school-	
master a	
master, a. 2s. 8d. 6s.	
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2s. 8d. 6s. Folio 18. SOUTH³ HOLLAND DEANERY  Algarkirke—Mr John Overall, r., pluralist; m.; i.; pa.; pr.; i.; plur.  'Sir Richard Thistlewaite, cur.	
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This perhaps signifies the clerk's non-appearance.
<sup>2</sup> Struck out.
<sup>3</sup> Rectus North.

FRAMPTON—Sir John Shelle, v. FREESTON—4d. Sir Richard Edwarde, v. Sir Robert Nelson, schoolmaster d.	8d.
Sir Robert Nelson, schoolmaster, a.  Gosbarton—[blank], cur.; a	
4d. W. Delph, schoolmaster; $a$ . by Rande, 11 May, 1602.	8d.
3s. 8d. 7s.	4d.
Folio 18d.	•
Kirton—4d. Mr William Tuckney, v.	8d.
Thomas Pearson, cur. there; a.	
LEAKE—4d. Sir Thomas Browne, v.	8d.
Francis Hubbard, schoolmaster, a.	
Leuerton, North—4d. Mr Henry Peacham, r.; pluralist. 3s.	8 <i>d</i> .
Leuerton, South—4d. The same Henry Peacham, r.	8d.
Quadring—4d. Sir James Hart, v.	8d.
Swinshead—4d. Sir W. Hudson, v.	8d.
Skirbecke—4d. Mr John Prat, r.; pluralist; $m.$ ; $i.$ ; $pa.$ ; $pr.$ ;	
plur.; disp.; ind.; deg.; l. See Belton.	8d.
Mr Edmund Digle, cur. there; a. call of Mr Digles for Mr	
Pratte exhibite money.	
Sutterton—4d. Mr Robert Eliott, v.	8d.
John Watson, schoolmaster; a.	
Tofte—4d. Mr Anthony Ingolsbie, r.	8d.
Wigtofte-4d. Sir Humphrey Marshe, v.; i.; fa.; deg.; fr.;	
ind.; t. 8d., 8d.,	8 <i>d</i> .
Wrangle—4d. Sir Nicholas France, v.	8d.
Laurence Chapman, schoolmaster; a.	
Wibberton—4d. Mr Ralph Caverley, r.; pluralist. 3s.	8 <i>d</i> .
4d. Sir John Millington, cur. there.	8d.
4s. 4d. 16s.	
Folio 19. HORNCASTLE DEANERY	
Ashbie Chapel—4d. Sir Henry Wilson, cur.; m. by W. bp. of	
Lincoln, 17 July, 1590; a. by Mr Rande. received 24 Aug.,	8.1
BAMBURGHE, APPROPRIATION—John Wood, cur.; a.	Ot
Conesbie—4d. Mr George Skelton, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
DALDERBIE—1/1 Sir John Hodgson r	8d.
Dalderbie—4d. Sir John Hodgson, r. Edlington—4d. Sir Edward Turner, v.	8d.
Horncastle—4d. Mr Robert Hollinghedge, v.	8d.
Mr John Cooke, schoolmaster there; a. by Mr Rande, 20	0
Sept., 1598; stip.	8 <i>d</i> .
Haltham upon Bane—4d. Sir John Salmon, r.	8d.
Kirkbee upon Bane—Sir George Clarke, r.	8d.
Simon Samson, schoolmaster; a.	0
Langton $-4d$ . Mr Urian Kirke, r.	84.
MARINGE CHAPEL—Sir Richard Lake, cur.; m.; d.; a.; stip.;	0
pr.; $deg.$	
Morebie—4d. Sir Gilbert Woodliffe, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
MAROME—4d. Sir Thomas Corey, r.	8d.
Marton—Sir Thomas Tailor, r.	•
	8d.
Ethelbert Slade, schoolmaster; a.	
3s. 4d. 8s.	

Folio 19d.	**	0.1
Screlesby—4d. Mr Joh	in Haughton, r.	8d.
TOYNTON CHAPEL—4d.	Sir John Lawley, cur.	8d.
THYMELBY—4d. Sir Joh	n Conyers, r.; pluralist.	3s. 8d.
TOYNTON MAGNA—SIT G	eorge Cockborne, r.; pluralist; d.; m.	• •
i.; deg.; pa.; plur	r.; pr.; alsp.; ma.	3s. 8d.
THORNTON—4d. MIT THE	omas Greene, v.; pluralist.	3s. ou.
	rion—Sir Richard Knowlles, cur. and	u
schoolmaster; a. Woodenderby—Sir W. S	Smyth our	8d.
WADDINGWORTH—4d. S	ir Nicholas Larke r	8d.
Wanningworth—4a. S	N—Mr Ethelbert Slade, cur. ; a.	oa.
Wilkesbie—4d. Mr Th	omas Greene r	8d.
Daniel Wetherall or	r. there; m.; a.; deg.; stip.; pr.	ou.
Wispington—4d. Sir R		8d.
	andorph Woodinge, V.	
2s., 4d.		8s. 8d.1
Folio 20.	HYLL DEANERY	
A Cin The	man I calso u	0.1
Aswarbie—4d. Sir Tho	mas Leake, r.	8d.
	Sir Robert Allen, v., pluralist; ind.	3s 8d. 8d.
BAGENDERBY—4d. Sir A	nthony Blackborne, r.	8a.
Brinchill—4d. Mr T	nomas Oresbie, r.	
CLAXBIE—4d. Sir Augus		8d.
FULLETBIE—4d. Mr Sai	nuel Allen, r.	8d.
	ockborne, r., pluralist ; m. ; i. ; þa. ; deg.	. ;
plur.; disp.; ind.	D= II	0.1
HAMERINGAM—4d. Sir l	No Theodore Torger a plumbiet	8d.
	Mr Theodore Tanzey, r, pluralist.	3s. 8d.
HARRINGTON—Mr Gabrie		8 <i>d</i> .
Langton—4d. Sir Brian		8d.
OXCOMBE—4d. Sir Geor		_
SCRAFEILD—4d. Sir Ric		
	resby, united—4d. Sir W. Pomphret,	8d.
Somersbie—4d. Sir Rob	ert Allen, 1., piuralist.	
4s. 4d.		14s. 8d.
Folio 20d.		0.1
Salmonbie—4d. Mr Ro		8d.
SAUCETHORPE—4d. Sir	Thomas Fowler, r.	8d.
Tetford—4d. Mr John	Key, r.	8d.
James Laithwaitt, sc		0.1
WINCEBY—4d. Sir Geor	ge Siluester, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
16d.		2s. 8d.
Folio 21. JAF	RBROUGHE DEANERY	
Bigbie—4d. Mr John S	iluector r	8d.
	naster teaching recusants; a.	ou.
BARROWE—4d. Sir W. C		8.7.
		ou.
George Crowder, scl	with the state of	8d.
BARNETBY—Mr Richard Bondbie—4d. Sir W. I		8d.
DOSTIBLE—40. 30 W. I	configuration, v.	ou.

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 11s. 4d.

Barton—4d. Mr John Lewes, v. Sir Thomas Duckle, cur. and schoolmaster; a.	8.1.
Broklesbie—4d. Sir Thomas Acton, r.; m.; i.; deg.; pa.	
	8d., 8d., 8d.
Cadney—4d. Sir John Tincke, v. Oliver Dobson, schoolmaster.	8 <i>d</i> .
Croxtox—4d. Mr Thomas Thomson, r.	8d.
Elsham—4d. Sir Ralph Rowbotham, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
Ferebie—4d. Mr Thomas Peachie, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
3s.	8s.
Folio 21d.	0.1
GIRSBIE—Sir Thomas Leache, v.	8d. 8d.
Gouxill—4d. Sir John Holland, v. Thomas Hardey, schoolmaster; a.	ou.
Horkstowe—4d. Sir Hugh Gelder, v.	8d.
Haburghe—Sir Marmaduke Rayner, v.	8d.
Halton—4d. Sir John Boothe, v.	8 <i>d</i> .
Edward Thomson, schoolmaster; a. by Dr Hill, 29 A	
1604, everywhere throughout the whole archdeaconr Lincoln with liberty to reade praiers in the church t	
throughout the year.	11010
Imingham – Sir John Scamon, v.	8d.
Ralph Akerley, schoolmaster; a.	
Kirnington—4d. Sir Richard Langley, v.	8d.
Killingholme—4d. Sir Thomas Stennett, v. Kealbie—4d. Sir Robert Bowlles, cur.	8d., 8d., 8d. 8d.
Lymber—4d. Sir Thomas Barcrofte, v.	8d.
NETLETON—Mr Henry Hooke, r.; m.; i.; deg.; pa.; t.; pr.;	
[blank] Potter, cur.	
2s. 4d.	7s. 4d.1
Folio 22.	
Rybie—Sir Robert Rayner, v.	0.1
SAXBIE—4d. Mr Richard Richardson, r. Somerbie—4d. Sir Robert Tailour, pluralist.	8d. 3s. 8d.
STALLINGBURGHE—4d. Mr Thomas Welles, v.	33. 8d. 8d.
Thomas Turpin, schoolmaster; a.	
	8d., 8d., 8d.
Wrawbie—4d. Mr Richard Bynnes, v.	8d.
Worletby—4d. Sir Roger Hurste, v.	8d.
WOOTTON—4d. Sir Thomas Newton, v. VLCEBIE—4d. Sir Henry Kellingley, v.	8d. 8d.
	9s. 8d.
28. 4d.	95. 00.
Folio 22d. LYNCOLN DEANERY	
Sr. Botulphs—Mr Anthony Hartley, cur.; a. he paid before sum of the fee, and here he is dismissed. Thomas Roos, schoolmaster; a.	: the
St. Peters ad le Goate—Sir W. Tailor, cur.; he paid in Can St. Maries—4d. Mr Robert Houghton, v.; inducted [withi	
Space of times years.	, Ou., Oth

<sup>1</sup> Rectius 8s.

St. Bennette—Sir John Hawley, cur.		
The same Halley, schoolmaster.		
St. Swithunes—The same John Hawley, cur.		
St. Peters ad Arches—Sir W. Dalby, r.; d.; m.; i.; deg.; ind.;		
The same Sir W. Dalbie, preacher of the said city of Lincoln;		
a. : stip.		
St. Martens—4d. Sir W. Ingram, v.		8d.
St. Michaelle—Sir John Cheueley, cur.		
St. Paules—Sir Thomas Forman, cur.; a.		
St. Peters in Eastgate—Sir Robert Nicholson, reader; a.		
8d.	2s.	8d.
Folio 23.		
Lincoln grammar school—Mr Robert Houghton aforementioned	;	
a. : stip.		
Sir W. Walkwood, usher; a.; stip.		
TOYCODODIN DEANIBLE		
		0.1
Armeston—4d. Sir John Vincent, v.		8d.
Joseph Harrison, schoolmaster; a.		
Branston—4d. Mr Cuthbert Daile, r.		8d.
Sir Richard Newton, cur. there; a.; stip.		
Boothbie—4d. Mr Francis Pregion, r.		8d.
Brasbrigg—4d. Mr Anthony Hartley, v.		8d.
Blanckney—Mr W. Lounde, r.		8d.
[blank] Burrell, schoolmaster; a.		
Billinger—4d. Sir W. Jonson, v.		8 <i>d</i> .
Canwick—4d. Sir W. Tailour, v.		8d.
Colbie—Sir W. Lang, v.; m.; i.; deg.; ind.; pa.; pr.; t.		8d.
W. Herbert, schoolmaster: a. 1 Sept., 1604, throughout the		
whole archdeaconry of Lincon, by Dr Hill.		
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Metheringam—4d. Sir Richard Wilson, v.		8d.
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Waddington—4d Mr Alexander Southacke, r.		8d.
Mr. W. Tompson, cur. there; a.; stip.		
W. Wamsley; he instructs, etc.; a.		
Welborne—4d. Mr Francis Trigg, r.		8d.
4d. Mr Simon Read, cur.; stip. 9l. a year.		81.
Washingburghe—Mr Hugh Browne, r.		84.
John Singleton, M.A., schoolmaster there; a. 22 Aug., 1604,		
by Dr Hill, throughout the whole archdeaconry of Lincoln.		
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Foston Chapel—[blank	e], cur.		
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Cathorpe—4d. Mr Th			d.
Carlton Scrope—4d.	Sir W. Poyntell, r.	8	đ.
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CLAYPOLE, SOUTH—4d. Sir Martin Crosfeild, r. [blank] Barley, schoolmaster; a.	8 <i>d</i> .
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Claypole, North—4d. Sir Thomas Townrowe, r.	8d.
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Stubton—4d. Mr Henry Bromley, r.	8d.
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ALVINGAM, APPROPRIATION—4d. Sir Thomas Barratt, cur.; a.	8d.
AWTHORPE—4d. Mr George Dier, r.; $m.$ ; $i.$ ; $pa.$ ; $deg.$ ; $pr.$ ; $ind.$ ;	
l. 8d., 8d.	
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Carlton, Little—4d. Sir W. Lathwaite, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
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John Manbie, schoolmaster; a.	
Castle Carlton, appropriation—4d. Sir George Thorndike, cur.	8d.
Conisholme—4d. Sir Richard Porter, r.	8d.
Conam Bartholomew's—Mr William Buke, r.	8d.
Conam Mary's—4d. Mr Thomas West, r.	8d.
John Rudde, schoolmaster; a.	
Cockerington Leonard's—4d. Sir Francis Marshall, v.	8d.
2s. 8d. 8s.	
Folio 27d.	
Cockerington Mary's, appropriation—Sir Thomas Barratt, cur.;	
a. He paid in Alvingam.	8d.
Calstrop—Sir Richard Thornell, r.	8d.
Estwicam—The same Sir Thornell, v.; not dispensed.	8d.
FARFORTHE—4d. Sir Thomas Yates, r.	8d.
Fotherbie—4d. Sir Thomas Robinson, v.	8d.
Fulstowe—4d. Sir George Clarke, v.	8d.
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GRIMOLBIE—4d. Sir John Cashe, r.	8d.
GRIMESBY, LITTLE—Sir Thomas Robinson, cur.; a. by virtue of	
a sequestration granted to him by the lord bp. He paid	
before.	0.7
GAYTON—4d. Sir Richard Bartillmew, r.	8d.
Haugham—Sir John Coe, v.	8d.
Hallington—4d. Sir Henry Fairebancke, v.	8d.
Yarbroughe—4d. Sir John Jonson, r.	8d.

Kelsterne—4d. Sir Robert Panott, v.	8d.
Keddington, appropriation—4d. Sir Robert Bennett, cur.	8d.
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LUBBURGHE—4d. Sir David Allen, r.	8d.
Thomas Garthwait, schoolmaster; d. by the lord bp. of Lin-	
coln; a, by Dr Hill, 31 Aug., 1604, in any parish throughout the whole archdeaconry of Lincoln, and to serve the cure	
there under the rector there.	
Marshchappell—Mr John Lowther, cur. Robert Hagg, schoolmaster; a.	
Mucktox—4d. Sir Robert Beckringe, r.	8d.
MANBIE—4d. Mr John Downes, r., pluralist.	8d.
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Somercote Mary's—Mr John Williamson, v.	8d.
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VFFINGTON—Mr Laurence Staynton, r. e.	
Sir [blank], cur. there.	
3s. 8d. 7s.	4d.
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St. George's—[blank].	
ALL SAINTS'—[blank].	
St. Michael's—[blank].	
St. Mary's—[blank].	
STAMFORD SCHOOL—Sir [blank], schoolmaster.	
Sir [blank], usher.	
Folio 30. WALLESCROFTE	
BYNBROKE MARY'S—4d. Richard Adamson, v. e.	8d.
CLAXBIE—4d. Sir Richard Codd, r.	8d.
Miles Fetherson; he instructs and reads, etc.; a.	
Croxbie—4d. Sir W. Nailor, r.	8d.
Henry Jackson, schoolmaster; a.	
Eastrasine—4d. Mr Thomas Horrcke, v.	8d.
Henry Feild; he instructs, etc.; a.	
Kirkbie—4d. Sir Robert Fetherston, v.	8d.
[ $blank$ ] Todde, schoolmaster; $a$ .	
KINGERBIE—4d. Mr Nicholas Clarke, v.	8d.
Kelsey Mary's—Mr W. Mason, r.	8d.
Peter Hatfeild, reader and schoolmaster; a.	
Kelsey Nicholas'—4d. Mr Francis Rawlinson, r. 8d., 8d.	, 8d.
Lyxwood—4d. Sir Mardocheus Bownell, r.	8d.
George Gibbon, schoolmaster; a.	
Newton—4d. Sir Thomas Lawson, r.	8d.
Normanbie—4d. Sir Thomas Bilclif, r.	8d.
Owersbie—4d. Mr Ambrose West, v.	8d.
John Launder, cur. and schoolmaster; a.	
Rasine Drax—Mr Michael Jessopp, v. 8d., 8d.	, 8 <i>d</i> .
RASINE TUPHOLME—Sir Thomas Tippen, v.	
	. 8d.
THORGANBY—4d. The same Sir W. Feild, r.; pluralist.	8d.
Sir Hugh Stillington, cur. there; m.; a.; stip.	
	. 8d.
Folio 30d.	
Thoreswaie—4d. Sir David Hatclif, r.	8d.
TEVELBIE—4d. Sir W. Warde, v.	8d.
THORNTON—4d. Mr Oliver Waters, r.; pluralist.	8d.
[blank], cur. there; $m$ .; $a$ .; $slip$ .	
Tofte—4d. Sir George Bilclif, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
Westrasine—4d. Sir Thomas Stocham, r.	8 <i>d</i> .
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Wallesbie—4d. Sir Edmond Spinke, r.	8d.
Willingham—4d. Sir Adam Baxter, v.	8d.
VSSELBIE, APPROPRIATION—Sir W. VTTERBIE, cur. Call of Mr	
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> He was not in orders (see L.C., 1611, f. 92).

Markettrasine school—Humphrey Baxter, schoolmaste Aug., 1604, by Dr Hill, throughout the whole archdof Lincoln; d. and m. by the bp. of Carlisle; stip year.	eaconry
2s. 4d. Folio 31. WRAGGOE DEANERY	4s. 8d.
Apley, Appropriation—Sir Ralph Reueley, cur.; a. Burghe—4d. Sir Eustace Doughty, v. Biskarthorpe—4d. Sir Henry Leache, r.	8d. 8d.
Beningworth—Sir Hugh Bilclif, r. Bardney—Sir John Gartsed, v. Esterrington—4d. Sir Christopher Chapman, r.	8d., 8d., 8d. 8d.
ESTBARKWORTH—4d. Mr Charles Richardson, r. GOLTHOE CHAPEL—Sir W. Halsted, cur. HATTON—Mr Gabriel Bewett, r.; pluralist.	8d., 8d., 8d.
4d. Sir Samuel Dobson, cur. there.  Holton—Mr Gregory Garthe, r.; pluralist.	8d. 8d.
Sir John Duncalf, cur. there.	7s. 4d.
Folio 31d.  KYRMOND—Sir Robert Seele, v.  LISSINGTON—4d. Mr John Whyte, v. there.  LANGTON—4d. Sir Robert Depleche, v.  LEGGESBY—4d. Sir Hamlett Marshall, v.; pluralist.	8d. 8d. 8d. 8d.
John Holdernes, schoolmaster; a.  LUDFORTHE MAGNA—Sir George Blancherd, v.  LUDFORTHE PARVA—4d. Sir Peter Bryttane, r.  PANTON—4d. Mr Walter Shepherd, r.  John Bell, schoolmaster; a.	8d. 8d. 8d.
RAND—4d. Sir Humphrey Barloe, r. STAYNTON—2d. Sir Hamlet Marshall, v.; pluralist SNELLAND—4d. Mr W. Pell, r. SIXILL—4d. Sir Humphrey Harrison, v. STAYNFEILD, APPROPRIATION—Sir Ralph Reueley, cur.; a.	8d. 8d. 8d. 8d.
Sotbie—4d. Sir Hamlet Gregg, r. Whickenby—4d. Mr George Budle, r.; pluralist Wragbie—4d. Sir Christopher Burton, v.	8d., 8d., 8d. 8d., 8d., 8d.
3s. 10d. Folio 32.	10s. 8d.
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For the Apparitor For	
Lincoln archdeaconry 7l. 2d. Stow archdeaconry 2cs.	21 <i>l</i> . 3s. 4 <i>d</i> . 50s. 29 <i>l</i> . 9s. 8 <i>d</i> .
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Liber pro Visitatione Episcopali pro anno Domini 1607

## [ARCHDEACONRY OF LINCOLN]

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#### Folio 8. ASLACKBY—Sir [Alexander Maburne<sup>1</sup>] Ralph Palfryman, v. 35. Burne—Mr John Jackson, v. **4**S. BILLINGBURGH—Mr Anthony Hill, v. 20d. Dunesby—Mr William Bolton, r. 20d. Dowesby-Sir Robert Buckbery, r. 16d. Demelby—Sir Richard Tomlinson, r. 16d. Folkingham—Mr John Hoshkine, r. Horblinge—Mr Simon Bradstreete, v. 16d. HACEBY—[Mr Robert Hawford, r.1] Sir Richard Norrice, 2 B.A. 2s. 8d. HACONBY—Sir Thomas Gamon, v. 16d. Kirkby-Mr James Griffith, r. 16d. Mr James Flood, cur. 20d. MORTON—Mr Thomas Francke, v. 20d. Mr France Heacocke, preacher there—dead. Folio 8d. Newton—Sir George Gamon, r. 16d. OSBURNBY-Sir Miles Whaley, v. 4s. 4d. Pickworth—Sir William Mapletoft, r. 16d. RIPPINGALE, 2 PARTS—Sir Robert Collingwood, r. 4s. 4d. RIPPINGALE, 3RD PART—The same Sir Robert Collingwood, r. 16d. SEMPRINGHAM—Henry Haliwell, cur. Swaton—Sir Richard Carrington, v. 16d. Spanby Chapel—Thomas Pawson, cur. 20d. Threckingham—Mr Henry Haliwell, M.A., v. Mr Edmund [Browne<sup>1</sup>] Varley, cur. 12d. WATER WILLOWBY—Sir Miles Whale, r. 16d. Sir Alexander Maburne, cur. He reads prayers, etc., in the churches of Osburnby and Willoughby, . . . . . . 8 a laic, by virtue of a licence from Mr Clarke, 2 Dec., 1606 12d. WALCOTE—Sir Roberte Rochford, cur. 12d.

12s. 8d.

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<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Norrice was instituted 5 May, 1604 (Reg. xxx, f. 238d.). 3 'Although' or some such word seems to be required here. The word in the manuscript is indecipherable.

Folio 9. BELTISLLOE	
Basingthorp—Mr Thomas Russell, v. p.	16d.
BITHAM, GREAT—Sir William Idle, v. p.	16d.
BITHAM, LITTLE—Mr Walter Howse, r. p.	16d.
Bitchfeild—Sir Simon Tunne, B.A., v. p.	28. 4d.
Birton—Mr Henry Bell, M.A., r. p.	28. 4d.
CAREBY—Sir William Browne, r. e., by Mr Howsel	28. 4d.
Colsterworth—Mr [William Hodgkin, r.2] Nicholas Walker,	
14 Nov., 1607 <sup>3</sup> . p.	48. 4d. 16d.
CORBY—Sir Richard Elam, v. p.	16 <i>d</i> .
Creeton—Sir John Foster, clerk, r. <b>p.</b> Ednam—[Sir James Fludd, <b>a</b> <sup>2</sup> ] Eodem die Mr Dr Parker pronun	
ciavit sententiam al' contra eum latam pro nulla, etc., et si	e.
dimittitur.	
[blank] Thomson, cur. p.	25.
Gunby—Sir John Richardson, r. p.	4s. 4d.
Edmund Vincent, cur. p.	' '
Irnham—Mr Dr John Hanson, r.	16d.
and for the proxy (proc') of Nassington. p.	4s. 8d.
Lavington—Mr Tempest Wood, v. p.	16d.
Nortwtham—Sir John Sandes, r. p.	16d.
Southwtham—Sir Benedict Smithe, r. p.	16d.
Folio 9d.	
Steevenby—Sir Matthew Browne, r. p.	16d.
STOAKE, SOUTH—Mr W. Hodgskin, r. p.	16d.
STOAKE, NORTH—Mr Nicholas Walker, r. p.	4s. 4d.
SWAFEILD—Sir John Menzeis, r. p.	16d.
Skillington—Sir John Parker, v. a.	16d.
SWINSTEAD—Sir William Nicholls, v. p.	16d.
WITHAM—Mr James Garsett, v. p. 7s. 12s. 8d.	1011.
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BULLINGBROOKE	1
Bullingbrooke—Mr Ralph <sup>4</sup> Throckmorton, v. <b>e</b> .	2s. 4d.
Enderby—Mr James Forrester, M.A., r.	3s. 16d.
EASTERKEALE, SOUTH—Sir William Jackson, r.	10a. 12d.
Easterkeale, North—Mr George Jackson, r. Halton—Mr [William Symonde <sup>2</sup> ] John Sandon, r.	2s. 4d.
Hagneby—Sir Thomas Alleyne, cur.	23. 41.
Hareby—Sir Robert Wright, r.	20d.
Folio 10.	
Hundleby—Sir William Well, <sup>5</sup> v.	28.
Kirkby—Sir Richard Risinge, v.	16d.
Lusby—Mr John Downes, r.	4s. 4d.
Miningsby—Mr Edward Vstwaite, r.	16d.
Rathby—Sir John Willerton, r.	16d.
Spillesbye—Sir [Francis Parker <sup>2</sup> ] Michael Banester, cur.	12d.
Stickney—Mr Meridithe Price, r.	

<sup>1</sup> Le., he paid through Mr. Howse.
2 Struck out.
3 This is the date of his induction (L.C., 1614, f. 62).
4 Rectius 'Raphael' (see pp. 302, 398).
5 Rectius 'Webb' (see pp. 302, 398).

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Steepinge Parva—Mr John Stubbes, r.	16d.
STICKFORD—Sir Thomas Abraham, v.	20d.
Sibsey—Mr John Crosse, v.	20d.
Reesby—Daniell Wethrall, cur.	
Thorp—Sir Henry Veisey, v.	16d.
Tointon Peter's, south—Sir William Barber, B.A.	2s. 4d.
Tointon Peter's, north—Sir Francis Parker, clerk, r. e.	28. 4d.
Folio 10d.	
Tointon All Saints'—Mr Lawrence Freeman, r.	16d.
Westerkeale—Mr George Jackson, r.	<b>4</b> s.
6s. 4d. 12s. 8d.	
CALCEWATH	
Anderby—Mr William Lathwaite, r.	20d.
Aby—Sir [Peregrine Browne <sup>1</sup> ] John Maltby, v.	3s.
Alford—Sir Joseph Overton, v.	16d.
Mr George Scortrethe, preacher.	20d.
Mr John Crofts, schoolmaster.	12d.
Beesby—Mr Roberte Smith, r.	16d.
BILLESBYE—Sir Thomas Storre, clerk, v.	20d.
CAWTHORP—Sir [Richard Rhodes <sup>1</sup> ] Xp'ofer Steevenson, sequestra	
and cur.	16d.
CUMBerworthe—Mr John Hope, r.	16d.
CLAXBY—Sir John Pearson, v.	16d.
CALCEBY—Sir Xp'ofer Dynnis, v.	16d.
FARLESTHORP—Sir Thomas Skarboroughe, v.	20d.
Gaytox—Mr Xp'ofer Metcalf, r.	16 <i>d</i> .
Folio 11. Hanney— Sir John Whalley, cur.	12d.
Hootoft—Sir William Chapman, v.	12a. 16d.
Hoggesthorp—Sir John Osmotherley, v.	16d.
Hellowe—Mr Thomas Ballowe, M.A., r.	2s. 4d.
HAWGHE—Sir [Edmond Adamson <sup>1</sup> ] Richard Willimatt, sequestrat	
and cur. He serves, etc., without any other licence exce	ept
the sequestration.	20d.
Legburne—Mr Xp'ofer Steevenson, cur.	12d.
MABLETHORP PETER'S—Mr Trustram Huddlestone, r.	16d.
Mablethorp Mary's—Mr Thomas Veale. Car'.2	16d.
Mumby Chapel—John Wood, cur.	
Mumby—Mr Alleine Freer, v.	20d.
Maltby—Mr Henry Martin, r.	20d.
MARKBY—Sir Roberte Marshall, cur.	12d.
South Restox—Sir Richard Cloughe, r.	
Sutton—Mr Thomas Sparke, preb.	
Robert Vlliot, cur. there.	12d.
Folio 11d.	
SALEBY—Mr [George Skolrethe <sup>1</sup> ] John Crofts, v.	2s. 4d.
STRUBBY—Sir George Litster, v.	16.1
Swaby—Mr Paul Balgay, r. Staine—Sir Samuel Willingham, r.	16d.
Tottill—Sir Roger Smithe, r.	
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out. <sup>2</sup> Sic; written in the margin.

THEDIETHORP A	L Saints'—Sir Rai	lph Marshall cur	12d.
	elen's—Mr Peregr		2s. 4d.
	mes Hollingworthe		4s. 4d.
THORESBY—Sir R	20d.		
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	Nicholas Maddison,	г. е.	20d.
VLCEBY—Sir Fran			16d.
Well-Mr Henry	, Nelson, M.A.		3s.
	9s.	24s.	
Folio 12.	CANDLE	ESHOE	
Applement M.	Coorgo Cotor r		16d.
ARDLETHORP—Mr	C.		
Ashby—Sir John			20d.
Burgh—Sir Richa			2s. 4d.
Bratoft—Mr Lee			20d.
CANDLESBY—Sir I			16d.
CROFT—Mr Willia			6s. 4d.
Dalby—[Sir John			
Dryby—Mr Marti			16d.
		John Millington, cur.	12d.
		; 2 September, 1607. <sup>2</sup>	
Firsby—Mr John			16 <i>d</i> .
GunbyMr John			16d.
Ingolmells—Mr	John Clarke, r.		20d.
Irby—Sir Willian	ı Taylo <sup>r</sup> , cur.		2s. 4d.
Orby—Sir Richar	d Pryor, v.		16d.
Folio 12d.			
Partney— $[Mr \ E]$	dward Samon¹] Si	r Robert Moody, r.;	15 Dec.,
1607°. Pro	XV.	-	4s. 8d.
Sutterby—Mr M	artin Holden, r.		4s. 4d.
Skremby—Mr Ric			20d.
SKENDLEBY—Sir V	William Ablard, B.A	A., V.	2s. 4d.
Skegnes—Sir Hai			20d.
Steepinge, Grea	T-Mr Henry Lord	l. v.	16d.
Winthorp—Sir T			16d.
	Saints'—Mr Rober	rt Hobbes, M.A., r.	2s. 8d.
Wainfleet Mary	a's—Sir Thomas Jo	ves cur.	12d.
WELTON—Sir Joh	n Enderby cur	<i>y</i> es, ear.	12d.
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Folio 13.	GRAF	`FOE	
Awburghe—Sir J	ohn Bawdon, elerk	, v.	2s. 4d.
Basingham—Mr J			16d.
Bultham—Mr W			16d.
	ichard Kellett, r. <b>e</b>	ı.	2s. 4d.
	Richard Pollard, r.		3s. 4d.
Aegle—Sir Georg			16d.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was instituted 31 Aug., 1607 (Reg. xxx, f. 312). Perhaps the date in the text was that of his induction.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Moody was instituted 11 Dec., 1607 (Reg. xxx, f. 319d.). Perhaps the date in the text was that of his induction, though that event is dated 15 Dec. in L.C. 1614, f. 52.

HICAM—Mr Thomas Russell,	t-	4s. 4d.
Mr Hugh Horbery, cur.	1.	12d.
Norton Dysney—Sir John V	Vilson v	1 = 11.
		16d.
Northscarle—Sir Thomas (		104.
STAPLEFORD—Sir Richard W		1
Skellingthorp—Sir Robert		12d.
THORP—Mr Alexander Gee,		
THURLEBY—Sir John Boothe	, cur.	
	3s. 7s. 4d.	
Folio 13d.	7 - 1	
	GRANTHAM	
Allington—Sir Simon Buttr	y, r. <b>p</b> .	16d.
Barrowby—Mr James Thorn	ieton, r. p.	4s. 4d.
Belton-Mr James Leeming	e. [ <i>cur</i> . <sup>1</sup> ] r. : 5 October, 16	
BARKESTON—Mr [France Fei	ld 1 Thomas Burton, r. p.	2s. 4d.
BOOTHBY PANNELL—The sam		5s. 4d.
Braseby—Sir William Turi		
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DENTON—Mr Edmund Batty	r n	
GRANTHAM, NORTH—Mr Abi	oham Canway preb. He	anneared
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by Mr Walker, [his] r	roctor.	
GRANTHAM, SOUTH—Mr Will		
by Mr Walker, [his] r		6s.
Grantham, South—Mr Nich	olas Walker, v. p.	16d.
Grantham, North—Mr Step		16d.
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Thomas Holmes, usher (		nil
Gonerby, South—Sir Richard	d Atkinson, cur. ; [appeared	$\int by (per)$
Thomas Paxton. e.	-	2s. 4d.
Gonerby, North—[blank].		
Folio 14.		
Harlaxton—Mr Ralph Cauc	rlev. r. <b>p</b> .	4s. 4d.
HONINGTON—[Mr Richard G	Faze v.1] Leonard Gace, cle	
Sept., 16c7.3 p.		16d.
HUNGARTON CUM WIVILL—S	ir John Jackson clerk r. e	
LONDONTHORP—[blank].	i john jackson, cierk, i. c	. 23. 411.
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PAUNTON, GREAT—Mr France		40 44
Paunton, Little—Mr James		4s. 4d.
ROPESLEY—Mr John Askewe,		16d.
STROXTON—Sir James Handson	on, r. <b>p</b> .	20d.
SEGBROKE RECTORY—Sir Rob		16d.
SEGBROKE DEACONSHIP—Sir S	Simon Buttry, deacon. p.	4s. 4d.
Sciston—Mr [Richard Norris	Robert Keyes, cur. <b>p</b> .	20d.
Saperton—Sir William Turne	ebull, r. <b>p</b> .	16d.
Somerby—Mr William Wood	, r. <b>p</b> .	16d.
WILLESFORDE—Mr John Smi	th, м.а., r. <b>р</b> .	2s. 4d.
Welby—Sir John Robinson,	r. <b>p</b> .	2s. 4d.

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was instituted 2 Oct., 1607 (Reg. xxx, f. 314). Oct. 5 was perhaps the date of induction.

This was the date of his induction (L.C. 1614, f. 67).

BUCKNALL—Sir Arthur Wright, r.  BELCHFORD—Sir John Convere, r.  CALKWELL—Sir Henry Greene, v.  DONINGTON—Sir Thomas Kent, r.  GAUDBY—Sir Robert Taylor, r.  GOLCEBY—Sir Peter Houlden, v.  HORSINGTON—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.  HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r.  MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. 6d. 6d. 6d. 6d.
GARTREE  ASTERBY—Sir Richard Greene, r.  BUCKNALL—Sir Arthur Wright, r.  BELCHFORD—Sir John Convere, r.  CALKWELL—Sir Henry Greene, v.  DONINGTON—Sir Thomas Kent, r.  GAUDBY—Sir Robert Taylor, r.  GOLCEBY—Sir Peter Houlden, v.  HORSINGTON—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.  HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r.  MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. pd. 6d. 6d. 6d. 6d. 6d.
BUCKNALL—Sir Arthur Wright, r.  BELCHFORD—Sir John Convere, r.  CALKWELL—Sir Henry Greene, v.  DONINGTON—Sir Thomas Kent, r.  GAUDBY—Sir Robert Taylor, r.  GOLCEBY—Sir Peter Houlden, v.  HORSINGTON—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.  HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r.  MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. pd. 6d. 6d. 6d. 6d. 6d.
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Gaudby—Sir Robert Taylo <sup>r</sup> , r.  Golceby—Sir Peter Houlden, v.  Horsington—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.  Hemingby—Mr Thomas Johnson, r.  Mintinge—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. 6d. 6d. 6d.
GOLCEBY—Sir Peter Houlden, v. HORSINGTON—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r. HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r. MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. 6d. 6d.
HORSINGTON—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.  HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r.  MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	6d. 6d. 6d.
HEMINGBY—Mr Thomas Johnson, r. 20 MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v. 10	6d. 6d.
MINTINGE—Sir Richard Beuerly, v.	5d. 5d. 5d.
	5d. 5d.
RANDBY—[John Peale, schoolmaster and cur.1] Sir John Browne,	5d.
B.A., v.; $o$ .; $a$ .; $f$ r.	5d.
STAINTON—John Feild, cur.: o.; a.; pr.	5d.
Sturton—Šir Xp'ofer Watere, v.	
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STIXWOLD—Sir [Richard Travere <sup>1</sup> ] Edw: Burye, <sup>2</sup> clerk, v. 2s.	+
4s. 4d. 11s. 4d.	
Folio 15. GRIMESBYE	
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Hombi in interiore ougo, in	od.
Bradley—Mr Thomas Whittle, r.; he preaches throughout the	
whole diocese by virtue of a licence of the gift of the bishop, 7 April, 1603.	
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Cotes, Great—Mr Thomas Forman, r. 2s.	
Cotes, Little—Sir [Thomas Forman, clerk1] Nicholas Banester, v. 2s.	4d.
CLEE—Sir Robert Burrell, v. 2s.	
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Caburne—The same, v. 4s.	
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HEALINGE—Sir William Hartinge, r. 28. Folio 15d.	4
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	6d.
Hawarby—Sir William Mourton, r.	6d.
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Laceby—Mr Thomas Rushworth, clerk, M.A., r. 3s.	
<ol> <li>Struck out.</li> <li>Instituted 12 Aug., 1606 (Reg. xxx, f. 288d.).</li> </ol>	

Norcote-Mr Nathaniel Pilkington, r.	
NEWTON-Mr Thomas Pilkinton, r. He preaches and refuses to	16d.
exhibit the license.	16d.
ROTHWELL—Mr Robert Marris, r.	16d.
SCARTHOE—Sir Maurice Gulson, r.	16d.
SWINHOPPE—Sir John Greene, r. SWALLOWE—Sir William Andrewe, r.	16d.
Thoresby—Sir Hugh Mapletoft, r.	20d.
Tetney—Sir Richard Odlinge, v.	16d.
Wathe—Sir William Baildon, cur.	
Waltham—Mr Richard Baines, r.	20d.
23s. 4d.	
Folio 16.	
SOUTH HOLLAND	
COWBITT—Sir [Mark Somerscales1] Edmund Pigott, cur.	
Crowland—Sir Robert Chapman, cur.	12d.
FLEETE—Mr Moises Wilton, r.	16d.
Gedney—Mr John Daye, r.	
GEDNEY—Mr John Newland, v.	1
GEDNEY FEN—Sir William Hotchkinson, cur.	12d.
Sir Robert Milnes, preacher.	20d. 2s. 4d.
HOLBECHE—Mr Matthew Clarke, M.A., v.	23. 4 <i>a</i> .
LUTTON—Sir [William Grimeshawe <sup>1</sup> ] Philip Dove, cur. Moulton—Mr James Ashton, v. He preaches in his parish church	
without any licence except his degree, as he asserts.	16d.
MOULTON CHAPEL—Sir [Thomas Johnson <sup>1</sup> ] Olimpas Damme, cur.	20d.
PINCHBECKE—Mr Thomas Atherton, v.	16d.
Surflett—Sir John Ramshawe, cur.	
SUTTON MARY'S—Mr Thomas Clarke, v.	20d.
SUTTON EDM: CHAPEL—Sir James Taylor.	12d.
SUTTON JAMES' CHAPEL—Sir Francis Callowe.	20d.
Folio 16d.	
Spaldinge—Sir William Browne, cur.	
Tyd Mary's—Mr Thomas Fell, r.	20d.
Weston—Mr [Robert Collier, cur. <sup>1</sup> ] Francis Callowe, v.; 26 Nov. 1607. <sup>2</sup>	,
Whapload—Sir Clement Freckingham, v.	
WHAPLOAD DROUE—Sir [Robert <sup>1</sup> ] Nicholas Crundall, cur.	20d.
3s. 4d. 8s.	
NORTH HOLLAND	
ALGARKIRKE—Sir James Myrton clerk r	6s.
Benington—Sir [Stephen Bretaine1] Richard Willesby, r.	35.
Boston—Mr Thomas Wooll, v.	16d.
Brothertoft—Mr Robert Rollett, cur.	8d.
BICKAR—Sir Thomas Butler, v.	16d.
Donnington—Mr George Pieke, v.	3s.
Brothertoft—Mr Robert Rollett, cur. Bickar—Sir Thomas Butler, v.	3s. 16d 8d 16d 3s.

Fosdike—Sir Thoma	12d.		
Frampton—Sir John Shelle, v.			6s.
Freeston—Sir Rich	ard Edwarde, v.		16 <i>d</i> .
Folio 17.			
Gosberton—Mr Ma	rk Som <i>er</i> scales, v	•	2s. 4d.
Kirton—Mr Willian	n Tuckney, v.		16d.
Leake—Sir Thomas			16d.
Leucrton, North—	Mr Henry Peach:	am, r.	4s. 4d.
Leucrton, South—I	The same Henry	Peacham, r.	16d.
QUADRINGE—Sir Joh	n Mosse, clerk, B	.A., V.	3s.
SWINSHEAD—Sir Wil			16d.
Skirbecke—Mr Jam	es Wooll, s.t.b., 1	r.	
SUTTERTON—Mr Edi	nund Diggles, M.	A., V.	4s.
Toft—Mr Anthony	Ingolsby, r. e.		2s. 8d.
Wigtoft—Sir Hump	ohrey Marshe, v.		
Wrangle—Sir Nich			16d.
Wibberton—Mr Ra	lph Calucrley, r.		2s. 4d.
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Folio 17d.			
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ASHBY CHAPEL—Sir			12d.
Bamburghe—Sir Jol	in [ <i>Wood</i> <sup>1</sup> ] Flair	ne, cur.	20d.
Conesby—Mr Georg	ge Skelton, r.		20d.
Dalderby—Sir John	ı Hodgson, r.		20d.
EDLINGTON—Mr Ed	ward Turner, v.		20d.
HORNCASTLE—Mr R			20d.
HALTHAM UPON BAN			16d.
KIRKBY UPON BANE		rke, r.	16d.
Langton—Mr Vrian			20d.
Maringe Chapel—Sir Richard Lake, cur.			12d.
Moreby—Sir Gilber	t Woodcliffe, r.		16d.
Marome—Sir Thomas Corey, r.			20d.
Marton—Sir Thoma	ıs Taylo <sup>r</sup> , r.		
Roughton—Sir Cler	nent Hodgson, r.		16d.
Scresby—Mr John I	Houghton, r.		
Folio 18.			
TOYNTON CHAPEL-S	Sir John Lawley,	cur.	12d.
THIMELBY-Sir John	Convere, r.		16d.
TOINTON MAGNA—S	ir John Cockburr	ne, r.	
THORNETON—Mr Th			20d.
Tatteshall—Sir Ri	chard Knolles, cu	ır.	
WOODENDERBY—Sir	[Hilliam Smithe	Thomas West, cur.	20d.
WOODDALL-[blank]		3	
WILKESBY—Mr Tho	_		4s. 4d.
WADDINGWORTHE-		ke, r.	16d.
Wispington—Sir Ra			16d.
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	5s. 4d.	10s. 8d.	

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Folio 18d. HILL	( )
Aswardby—Sir Thomas Leake, r.	16d.
Ashby Puerorum—Sir [Robert Allen1] John Duncalf, v.	16d.
Bagenderby—Sir Anthony Blackburne, r.	20d.
Brinchhill—Mr Thomas Oresby, r.	20d.
CLAXBY—Mr Augustine Fitzwilliam, r.	,
Fulletby—Mr Samuell Alleine, r.	20d.
Greetham—Mr George Cockburne, r.	,
Hamerixgham—Mr Roger Hunterhowe, r.	20d.
Hagworthingham—Mr Theodore Tanzey, r.	4s. 4d.
Harington—Mr Gabriel Bewett, r.	4s. 4d.
Langron—Mr Brian Burton, r.	20d.
Oxcombe—Sir George Boothe, r.	16d.
Scrafeild—Sir Richard Lake, r.	16d.
Southormesby cum Kettesby—Sir William Paufrett, r.	16d.
Somersby—Sir [Robert Alleine <sup>1</sup> ] Thomas Hudson, r.	28. 4d.
Folio 19.	
Salmonby—Mr Robert Phillips, r.	20d.
Saucethorp—Mr Thomas Fowler, r.	20d.
Tetford—Mr John Key, r.	
Winceby—Sir George Siluester, r.	16d.
5s. 4[d.] 12s.	
JARBURGH	
Bigby—Sir John Silvester, r.	16d.
Barrowe—Šir William Cooper, v.	16d.
BARNETBY—Mr Richard Bateman, v.	20d.
Bondby—Sir William Kennington, v.	16d.
Barton—Mr John Lewys, v.	3s. 8d.
Brocklesby—Sir Thomas Aeton, r. Car'.2	16d.
Cadney—Sir John Tincke, v.	16d.
Croxton—Mr Thomas Thomson, r.	20d.
Elshawe—Sir Ralph Rowbotham, v.	16d.
Feriby—Mr Thomas Peachye, r.	16d.
GIRSBY—Sir Thomas Leache, v.	
Folio 19d.	
GOUXHILL—Sir John Holland, v.	16d.
Horkestow—Sir Hugh Gelder, v.	
Haburgh—Sir Marmaduke Rayner, v.	16d.
Halton—Mr John Boothe, v.	2s. 4d.
Immingham — [blank]	•
Kirnington—Sir Richard Langley, v.	16d.
KILLINGHOLME—Sir Thomas Stennett, v. He preaches without	a
licence.	16d.
Kealby—Sir Robert Boules, cur.	16d.
Lymber—Sir Thomas Barcroft, v.	16d.
NETTLETON—Mr Henry Hooke, r.	
Ryby—Sir [Robert Rayner <sup>1</sup> ] Edward Bellowe, v.	2s. 4d.
Saxby—Mr Henry Richardson, r. Licensed to preach in the arc	
deaconry of Est Rydinge by the archbishop of York,	13
April, 1578.	20d.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Struck out. <sup>2</sup> Sic; written in the margin.

Somerby—Sir Robert Tayler, r.	
STALLINGBURGHE—Mr Thomas Welle, v.	
THORNETON—Mr Israel Taylor, v.	2s.
Wrawby—Mr Richard Binnes, v.	20d.
Folio 20.	2011.
Worletby—Sir Roger Hurst, v.	20d.
Woottox—Sir Thomas Newton, v.	16d.
VLCEBY—Sir Henry Kellingley, v.	20d.
8s. 4d. 18s.	2011.
LINCOLN	
St. Botolph's—Mr Anthony Hartley, cur.	
St. Peter's ad le Gotes—Sir William Taylor, cur.	( )
St. Mary's—Mr Roberte Houghton, v.	16d.
St. Benedict's—Sir John Hawley, cur.	
St. Swithin's—The same, cur.	
St. Peter's at Arches—Mr William Dalby, r.	( )
St. Martin's—Sir William Ingram, v.	16d.
St. Michael's—Sir John Cheueley, cur.	
St. Paul's—[blank].	
St. Peter's in Eastgate—Sir Robert Nicholson, reader.	
Grammar School—Mr Roberte Houghton, schoolmaster.	
Sir W. Walkewood, usher (hipodidasculus).	
8d. 16d.	
Folio 20d. LONGOBOBY	
Armeston—Sir John Vincent, v.	16d.
Braunston—Mr Cutbert Daile, r.	16d.
Boothby—Mr Francis Pregion, r.	16d.
Brasbrigge—Mr Anthony Hartley, v.	16d.
Blanckney—Mr William Lound, r.	16d.
Billingey—Sir William Johnson, v.	16d.
Canwicke—Sir William Ťavlor, v.	16d.
Colby—Sir William Lange, v. e.	2s. 4d.
Dunston—Sir [Robert Graye <sup>1</sup> ] William Maye, v.	2s. 4d.
HANWORTH—Sir Amos Bedford, r.	16d.
Kirkby—Sir Nicholas Marten, v.	16d.
METHERINGHAM—Sir Richard Wilson, v.	. 16d.
Nocron—Sir William Crowther, v.	16d.
NAVENBY—Mr [.1llen Hanby1] Oliuer Greenoughe, 9 December	r,
1607. <sup>2</sup>	16d.
Scopwicke—Sir George Bond, v.	16d.
Folio 21.	
Skynnand—Mr Michaell Haworthe, r.	16d.
TIMBERLAND—Sir Thomas Humbleton, v. e.	2s. 4d.
Waddington—Mr William Mason, clerk, s.r.b, r.	2s. 4d.
Welburne—Mr John Stonham, M.A., r.	2s. 4d.
Washingburghe—Mr [Anthony Watson1] George Eland, s.t.b., r	
15 Dec., 1607.3 e.	3s. 4d.
6s. 8d. 18s. 8d.	

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.
2 This was the date of induction (L.C. 1614, f. 5).
3 He was instituted 10 Dec., 1607 (Reg. xxx, f. 319). Dec. 15 was probably the date of induction.

#### LAFFORD

LATTORD	
AMWICK—Sir Robert Wilson, v.	16d.
Aswarby—Mr William Williams, r.	4s. 4d.
Asgarby—The same, r.	16d.
Aunesby—Sir Edward Leeminge, r.	16d.
Ashby—Sir Thomas Scochye, v.	16d.
Bloxam—Mr William Colsell, r.	16 <i>d</i> .
Branswell—Sir Henry Holdesworthe, r.	16d.
Burron—Mr William Westhall, v.; preacher, licensed by the	9
archbishop of Canterbury throughout the province, 8 Feb.	,
I 500.	20d.
Cranwell—Sir [Thomas Johnson <sup>1</sup> ] Richard Fleir, cur.	20d.
Digby—Sir John Palfreman, v.	
Folio 21d.	
Dirrington—Sir Ralph Bower, v.	16d.
Eveden—Sir William Glen, r.	16d.
Howell—Sir Charles Wheldale, r.	3s. 4d.
HECKINGTON—[Sir Thomas Morley] Mr Robert Lusher, M.A., V.	;
licensed to preach by the lord bishop of Coventry and	1
Lichfield throughout the diocese, 27 April, 1601.	3s.
Helpringham—Sir W. Burneby, v. e.	5s.
Hale—Sir Samuel Saunders, v.	16d.
Iwarby—Sir [John Williamson <sup>1</sup> ] Edward Bowman, v.	28. 4d.
Ingoldesby—Mr John Fisher, r.	16d.
Kirkby Peter's—Mr Robert Heblewhite, v.	16d.
Kime—Sir Thomas Duffin, cur.	28.
Lessingham, North—Sir John Morris, r.	16d.
Lessingham, South—Sir Thomas Noke, r.	16d.
Quarrington—Mr Robert Hitchcocke, r.	6s.
Rowston—[Sir Xp'ofer Hawes <sup>1</sup> ] Mr William Northerne, v.	3s.
Ruskinton—Sir William Willimatt, r.	16d.
Sir William Willerton, v. there.	16d.
Folio 22.	
Rauceby—Sir John Talbott, r.	16d.
Swarby—Sir Thomas Beare, v.	16d.
Willoughby—Mr Hugh Tuke, r.	16d.
9s. 4d. 22s. 8d.	
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LOUEDEN	
Ancaster—Sir Richard Gace, v. p.	4s. 4d.
Benington—Mr Henry Sharrocke, v. p.	16d.
FOSTON CHAPEL—Sir William Heblethwaite, cur. [a.1]	12d.
BECKINGHAM—Mr Robert Heblewhite, r. [e.1]	4s. 4d.
Broughton—Mr Roger Parker, r. p.	+ +
Cathorp—Mr Thomas Thorold, r. p.	16d.
CARLETON SCROPE—Sir William Pointell, r. p.	16d.
CLAYPOLL, SOUTH—Mr Vincent Wharton, M.A., r. p. He appeared	
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Sir George Langley, cur. <b>p</b> .	20d.
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Fulbeck—Mr Miles Garthwaite, r. p.	16d.
HOUGHE—Mr Matthew Rushton, v. p.	16 <i>d</i> .
Hougham—Mr Henry Nelson, r. p.	1011.
Folio 22d.	16d.
Lednam—Sir Richard Lang, r. p.	16d.
NORMANTON—Sir Richard More, r. p.	16d.
STUBTON—Mr Henry Blomley, r. p. FENTON CHAPEL—Sir Thomas Bagulay, cur. [a.1]	1011.
STRAGLETHORP CHAPEL—Sir Thomas Wright, cur. p.	12d.
Sir Andrew Sharp, v. there. p.	4s. 4d. 16d.
4s. 8d. 10s. 8d.	1011.
LOUTHESKE AND LUDBURGH	,
ALVINGHAM—Sir Thomas Barratt, cur.	12d.
AUTHORP—Mr George Dyer, r.	20d.
Burwell—Sir Richard Rodes, cur.; merely a layman.	12d.
	4s. 4d.
CARLETON, GREAT—Sir Thomas Ellis, v.	16d.
Castle Carleton—Sir George Thornedike, cur.	12d.
Conisholme—Sir Richard Porter, r.	16d.
Conam Bartholomew's—Mr William Bucke, r.	20d.
Folio 23.	,
CONAM MARY'S—Mr Thomas West, r.	20d.
Cockerington Leonard's—Sir Francis Marshall, v.	16d.
Cockerington Mary's—Sir Thomas Barratt, cur.	12d.
Calstrop—Sir Richard Thornell, r.	20d.
Estwicam—The same, v.	1
FARFORTHE—Sir Thomas Yeates, r.	20d.
FOTHERBY—Sir Thomas Robinson, v.	16d.
Fulstowe—Sir George Clarke, v.	20d.
GARNETHORP—Sir [John Mallby <sup>1</sup> ] Robert Hagge, cur.	16d. 16d.
GRIMOLBY—Sir John Cashe, r.	10 <i>a</i> .
GRIMESBY, LITTLE—Sir [Thomas Robinson <sup>1</sup> ] William Laceby, cur.	12 <i>ii</i> .
GAYTON—Sir Richard Bartilmewe, r.	16 <i>d</i> .
HAUGHAM—Sir John Cooe, v.	16 <i>d</i> .
HALLINGTON—Sir Henry Fayrebancke, v.	16 <i>d</i> .
JARBURGHE—Sir John Johnson, r. Keddington—Sir Robert Bennett, cur.	10 <i>a</i> .
Kelsterne—Mr Robert Pannett, v.	15 <i>d</i> .
Folio 23d.	1011.
Ludburghe—Sir David Allen, r.	20d.
	3s.
Marshchappell.—Mr John Lowther, cur.	53.
Muckton—Sir Robert Beckeringe, r.	16d.
MANBY—Mr John Downes, r.	16d.
NORTHELKINGTON—Mr Robert Wickham, v.	101.
Ormesby—Sir John Kelke, v.	16d.
Ruckland—Sir Ralph Leveres, r.	16d.
RATHBY—Mr Richard Hamby, r.	16d.
RESTON—Sir Thomas Ballowe, v.	4s. 4d.
Salfletby Peter's—Mr John Squire, r. car'.2	20d.
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SALFLETBY CLEMENT'S-[Sir Henr	ry Cramer <sup>1</sup> ] Mr Harbert Hind-	-
m <i>ar</i> she, r.		28. 4d.
SALFLETBY SAINTS'—Mr Thomas I	zeonard, r.	20d.
Skidbroke—Sir William Dye, v.		16d.
Somercore Mary's-Mr John Will	iamson, v.; proxy.	6s.
Somercote Peter's-Mr [Willia	m Cotes <sup>1</sup> ] Alexander Forsith,	
M.A., r.		3s.
Stewton—Sir Hugh Aiscoughe, r.		16d.
Folio 24.	1 17 17 111	,
SOUTHELKINGTON—Sir [Thomas Ba	incke <sup>1</sup> ] William Miles, v. <b>e</b> .	2s. 4d.
TATHWELL—Sir Reginald Hatfeild		16d.
VTTERBY—Sir [William Laceby <sup>1</sup> ] I	1011 Pormort, cur.	16d.
Wyam—Sir Thomas Mumby, r.		16d.
Welton—Sir John Keighley, r.		16d.
Withcall—Mr Walter Allen, r.		16d.
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N	ESSE	
Braceboroughe—Sir Gawin Harr		16d.
Baston—Sir Edward Stokes, v. p.		16d.
Barholme—Sir John Bull, v. p.	5 13	16d.
Carleby—Sir Thomas Baguley, r.		3s. 4d.
DEEPING GUTHLAC'S—Mr William	Colsell, r.	4s. 4d.
DEEPINGE JAMES'—Sir Robert Mor	re, v. <b>p</b> .	16d.
GRETFORD—Mr Robert Newton, M		3s.
Langtoft—Sir Robert Gregge, v.	p.	2s. 4d.
STOWE—Sir Simon Okeden, cur. p		12d.
Thurleby—Mr William Baker, v.	p.	16d.
Folio 24d.		- 4 1
TALLINGTON—Sir Robert Wright,		16d.
WESTDEEPINGE—[Sir Anthony Hun		5s. 4d. 20d.
Sir Nathaniel Whitloe, cur. p.		20d.
Woolstrop—Sir John Knitche, cu		
VFFINGTON—Mr Lawrence Stanton Mr William Tomlinson, cur. p		20d.
		2011.
4s. 4d.	11s. 4d.	
STAM	FORD	
St. George's-Mr Simon Read, r.	p.	2s. 4d.
Sт. John's-Mr Richard Evat, r. р		
has a dispensation [as he as		
Mr James Bowler, reader of th	ie prayers (lector precum). p.	20d.
ALL SAINTS'—Mr Thomas Barker,	, r. a. 4s. 8d. for proxy, 16d. d	'c
Guidone.		
St. Michael's—Mr Thomas Short		16d.
St. Mary's—Sir Anthony Barnewe		
	a toleration from Dr Belley.	
$[\mathbf{a}.^1]$ p.		12d.
Grammar school—Mr Richard Sv		
[appeared] by Mr Evat.		25.
28.	6s. 8d.	

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Folio 25. WALLESCROFTE	
BINBROKE MARY'S—Sir Richard Adamson, v.	20d.
CLAXBY—Sir Richard Codd, r.	2s. 4d.
CROXBY—Sir William Nayler, r.	'
Est Rasine—Mr Thomas Horocke, v.	16d.
Kirkby—Sir Robert Fetherston, v.	16d.
KINGERBY—Mr Richard Clarke, v.	20d.
Kelsaye Mary's—Mr William Mason, r.	4s. 4d.
Kelsay Nicholas'—Mr Francis Rawlinson, r.	20d.
Lixwood—Sir Mardocheus Bownell, r.	
Newton—Sir Thomas Lawson, r.	20d.
NORMANBY—Sir Thomas Bilcliffe, r.	20d.
Owersby—Mr Ambrose West, v. car'.1	20d.
Rasine Drax—Mr Michaell Jessop, v.	20d.
RASINE TUPHOLME—Sir Thomas Tippin, v.	
Folio 25d.	
Stainton—Sir William Feild, r.	4s. 4d.
Thorganby—The same, r.	16d.
Thoresway—Sir David Hatcliffe, r.	20d.
Teleby—Sir William Ward, v.	16d.
THORNETON—Mr Oliver Water, r.	16d.
Mr Watere (as hee affirmethe) hath paid this mony twise.	
Toft—Sir George Bilcliffe, r.	20d.
WEST RASINE—Sir Thomas Stockeham, r.	16d.
Walesby—Sir Edmund Spincke, r.	20d.
Willingham—Sir Adam Baxtor, v.	16d.
VSSELBY—Sir William Vtterby, cur.	12d.
Marketrasine school—Humfrey Baxter, schoolmaster.	
6s. $8d$ . 14s. $8[d]$	
Folio 26. WRAGGOE	
Appeley—Sir Ralph Reveley, cur.	
Burghe—Sir Eustace Doughty, v.	16d.
BISCARTHORP—Sir Henry Leache, r.	16d.
Beningworthe—Sir [Hugh Bilcliffe <sup>2</sup> ] Vincent Gibbon, r.	28. 4d.
Bardney—Sir John Gartsed, v.	16d.
Esterington—Sir Xp'ofer Chapman, r.	16d.
ESTBARKWORTHE—Mr Charles Richardson, r.	20d.
Golthoe Chapel—Sir William Halsted, cur.	
Hatton—Mr Gabriell Bewett, r. e.	2s. 4d.
HOLTON—Mr Charles Garthe, M.A., r.	3s.
Kyrmond—Sir Robert Seale, v.	16d.
Lissington—Mr John White, v. He preaches without a license.	16d.
Langton—Mr Robert Depleche, v.	16d.
Leggesby—Mr Hamlet Marshall, v.	16d.
Folio 26d.	
Ludforthe, Great—Sir George Blancherd, v.	16d.
LUDFORTHE, LITTLE—Sir Peter Brytaine, r.	16d.
Panton—Mr Walter Shepherd, r.	20d.
RAND—Sir Humphrey Barloe, r.	16d.
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STAINTON—Sir Hamlet SNELLAND—Mr William SIXILL—Sir Humphrey STAINFEILD—Sir Ralph	n Pell, r. Harrison, v.			16d. 20d. 16d.
Sothy—Sir Hamlet Grewickenby—Mr George Wragby—Sir Xp'ofer Westerington—Sir W	egge, r. e Buddle, r. Burton, v.	v.		20d. 20d. 16d. 16d.
WESTBARKWORTHE—M WILLINGHAM—Sir Jam	r Richard Presto		d.	16d.
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Folio 27.	STOWE A	RCH	[:	
	Gainsboroughe	Sessi	NON	
Α	SLACKHOE I	EAN	ERY	
BLIBURGHE—Mr Henr CANEBY—Mr Richard CAMERINGHAM—[blank]	y Askewe, r. Laminge, r.			16d. 16d.
FILLINGHAM—Mr Edm Mr Andrewe Harr	und Lylly, s.T.P.			20d.
Firsby-Mr George Sl	otrithe, r. <b>e</b> .			2s. 4d.
GLENTWORTHE—Mr Ro HARPESWELL—Mr Tho				20d. 12d.
HEMESWELL—Mr [blan		11.		20d.
INGHAM—Mr Thomas NORMANBY—Mr Richa OMEBY—Mr Philip Wr	Walker, v. rd Cater, v.			16d.
Folio 27d. Spridlington—Mr Ro Saxby—Mr Thomas W				16d.
Waddingham Peter's Willoughton—Mr Ga			·d.¹	2s. 4d.
	3s.	7s. 4		
		DEAN	NERY	
BLITON—Mr [blank] F EPWORTHE—Mr Richa HAXAYE—Mr William WROOTE—Mr Robert I	rd Massy, r. Dalby, v.			16d. 16d.
BELTON—Mr Henry L				20d.
Owston—Mr Robert M	Iarkham, v.			2s. 4d.
SKOTTER—Mr John Da				2s. 4d.
Pilham—Mr Xp'ofer J Folio 28.				2s. 4d.
Northorp—Mr Richa				20d.
GRAYINGHAM—Mr Xp'o	oier Wilson, r. <b>e</b> .			2s. 4d.
SPRINGTHORP—   Mr V	Villiam Fa <sup>r</sup> mery,	r.		5s. 8d.

<sup>1 &#</sup>x27;Rector' has been omitted.

Gainesboroughe—Mr Jherom: Phillips, v. Lea—Mr Theodore Walpooll, r. Skotton—Mr John Cooper, r. Laughton—[blank], v.	16d.
3s. 4d. 9s. 4d.	
MANLAKE DEANERY	
Althorp—Mr George Hamond, r.	16d.
Awckboroughe—Mr Thomas Carrier, v.	( 1
Appleby—Sir Thomas Seward, v. Burton by Stather—Mr Robert Hall, v.	16d.
Braughton—Mr William Robinson, r.	
Folio 28d.	
Bottesforthe—Mr Henry Jeniper, v.	16d.
Croole—Mr Thomas Graves, v. Frodingham—Mr Roger Goodwine, v.	28. 4d. 16d.
FLIXBURGHE—Mr Humphrey Browne, r.	100.
Mr Thomas Carrier, sequestrator of the fruits	
WESTHALTON—Mr Richard Forman, r.	16d.
HIBALDSTOWE—Sir William Tayleford, v.	16d. 16d.
LUDDINGTON—Mr Robert Good, v. MAUNTON—Mr Richard Turswell, r.	16d.
Messingham—Mr Richard Rowbothome, v.	
Redburne—Sir John Elston, v. e.	2s. 4d.
Roxby—Mr Richard Wilby, v.	16d.
RISEBY—Mr George Shawe, v.	16d. 2s. 4d.
Scalby—Mr James Greenewood, v. Waddingham Mary's—Mr Richard Turswell, r.	4s. 4d.
Folio 29.	7. 7
Wintringham—Mr Thomas Forman, r.	4s. 4d.
WINTERTON—Mr Abraham Smithe, v.	2s. 4d.
Whittox—Mr William Walshe, v.	2s. 4d.
5s. 8d. 14s.	
Lincoln Session, Friday, 7 August, 1607	
LAWRES DEANERY	
AISTROP—Mr Thomas Youle, r.	16d.
Barlings—Mr [blank] Milles, cur.	
BROXHOLME—Mr Francis Remington, r.	16d.
BURTON—Mr George Huddleston, r.	16d.
Buslingthorp—Mr Thomas Jhonson, r. Brattleby—Mr Henry Luddington, r.	16d.
CHERYWILLINGHam—Mr George Moody, v.	2s. 4d.
FALDINGWORTHE—Mr John Chadwicke, r.	16d.
Fiskerton—Mr Richard Clayton, s.t.p., r.	
Folio 29d. Gayteburton—Mr Theodore Walpoole, r.	4s. 4d.
GREETEWELL—Sir Vincent Sore, cur.	45. 40.
Kettlethorp—Mr Roger Parker, s.t.p., r.	
KNEATHE—[blank], cur.	/ 1
Marton—Mr William Harryson, v.	16d.

# ARCHDEACONRY OF STOW 431

	4s. 4d.
	4s. 4d. 16d.
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	16d.
	20d.
	2s. 4d.
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14s.	
	14s.

# THE NAMES AND SURNAMES OF ALL AND SINGULAR BENDARIES, VICARS CHORAL, PROVOSTS, CLERKS, OF ST. MARY OF LINCOLN.

THE BROWN BOOK:

2 July, 1585 folios 62-63d.

1 2 3 4	DEAN PRECENTOR CHANCELLOR SUBDEAN	Griffine, Ralph Robinsonne, John Garthe, Greg. <sup>1</sup>	Archdeacons
1 2 3 4 5 6	Lincoln Stow Bedford Buckingham Huntingdon Leicester	Barefote, John Fermerie, John Robinson, John Condall, Rob. Barbar, Rich.	
3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	All Saints Asgarby Aylesbury Bedford Major Bedford Minor Biggleswade Brampton Buckden Caistor Carlton c. Thurlby Carlton Kime Centum Solidorum Clifton Corringham Crackpool St. Mary	Wintle, John Southouse, John Chaundeler, John Cole, Wm. Martyn, John Malim, W. Rawlins, Christ. Smyth, W. Robinson, John Noke, Tho. Tailo <sup>T</sup> , Ezechiel Todd, Sam. Hoveden, Rob. Tailer, Rich. Blinckhorne, Nich.	Prebendaries
16 17 18 19 20 21 22	Decem Librarum Dunholme Empingham Faringdon Gretton Heydour c. Walton Kelsey, North	Norgate, Rob. Condall, Rob. Reniger, Mich. Pratte, John Bickley, Tho. Richardson, John Achpoll, Edw.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> He was also provost in 1585.

# THE INCUMBENTS, DIGNITARIES, ARCHDEACONS, PRE-OFFICIALS AND MINISTERS OF THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH

#### LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.]

LINCOLN DIOCESAN REGISTRY.						
1 2 3 4	2 June, 1588 folios 103-105 Griffine, Ralph Robinsonne, John Garthe, Greg. Reniger, Mich.	1 June, 1591 folios 111-114 Griffine, Ralph Robinson, John Garth, Greg. Reniger, Mich.	20 Feb., 1599-1600 folios 153-154d. Cole, Wm. Parker, Roger Garthe, Greg. Reniger, Mich.			
1 2 3 4 5 6	Barefote, John Furmerie, John Robinsone, John Longland, John Condall, Rob. Barbar, Rich.	Barefote, John Fermery, John Robinson, John Webbe, Erasmus Condall, Rob. Blieth, Hugh	Clayton, Rich. Farmerie, John Parker, Roger Webb, Erasmus Condall, Rob. Jonson, Rob.			
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	Wintle, John Southouse, John Chaundeler, John Cole, Wm. Martyne, John Malyme, Wm. Rawlins, Christ. Smythe, Wm. Robinson, John Noke, Tho. Tailer, Ezechiel Tod, Sam. Hoveden, Rob. Tailer, Rich. Blinckhorne, Rich.	Southouse, John Chandler, John Cole, Wm. Martine, John Malim, Wm. Fitzwilliam, Roger Smyth, Wm. Robinson, John Noke, Tho. Tailir, Ezechiel Todd, Sam. Hoveden, Rob. Tailor, Rich. Blinckhorne, Nich.	Marshall, Hamlet Southose, John Swaddon, Wm. Cole, Wm. Martyn, John Ireton, John Germyn, Edw. Smyth, Wm. Parker, Roger Wickham, Edw. Tighe, Rob. Digles, Chris. Hovendon, Rob. Tailor, Rich. Hassell, Rob.			
16 17 18 19 20 21	[sic] [blank] Condall, Rob. Reniger, Mich. Pratte, John Jones, Edw. Richardsone, John Archpoll, Edw.	Jermyn, Edw. Condall, Rob. Reniger, Mich. Pratte, John Jones, Edw. Richardson, John Archpoll, Edw.	Clayton, Ric. Condall, Rob. Reniger, Mich. Pratt, John Chaderton, Laurence Archpoll, Edw.			

2 July, 1585

		2 July, 1585
23	Ketton	Dighton, John
24	Kilsby	Longland, John
25	Lafford	Herde, John
26	Langford Ecclesia	Randes, Tho.
27	Langford Manor	Watson, John
28	Leicester St. Margaret	Ince, Hen.
29	Leighton Beaudesert	Toldervie, Chris.
3ó	Leighton Ecclesia	Rand <sub>e</sub> , Hen.
31	Liddington	Barbar, Rich.
32	Louth	Tuswell, Rich.
33	Marston St. Lawrence	Culpeper, Edm.
34	Melton Ross c. Scamblesby	Bullinga $m$ , Tho.
35	Milton Ecclesia	Sleede, John
36	Milton Manor	Stocker, Wm.
37	Nassington	Hanson, John
37 38	Norton, Bishop's	Freer, Tho.
	Sanctæ Crucis, see Spaldwick	
	Scamblesby, see Melton Ross	
39	Scarle	Griffen, Tho.
40	Sexaginta Solidorum	Holdesworth, Rich.
<b>1</b> 1	Spaldwick, Sanctæ Crucis	Morice, Nich.
42	St. Botulph's	Griffen, Ralph
43	St. Martin's	Edgeworth, Edw.
44	Stoke	
45	Stow in Lindsey	Sheperd, Nich.
40	Stow Longa	[blank]
47	Sutton in Marisco	Sparke, Tho.
48	Thornegate	Barefote, John
49	Welton Beckhall	Holdon, John
50	Welton Brinkhall	Martyne, Clement
51	Welton Painshall	Fermery, John
52	Welton Rivall	Chippingdale, John
53	Welton Westhall	Burdett, Ethilbert

VICARS CHORAL,

#### 2 July, 1585

I Hudlestonne, Geo.<sup>2</sup>
Slade, Ethelbert
Digles, Chris.

4 Harris, John

5 Bacon, John

# 2 June, 1588

Huddleston, Geo.<sup>8</sup> Slade, Ethelbert Digles, Chris. Harris, John<sup>5</sup> Bacon, John<sup>6</sup>

VICARS CHORAL,

Bowker, Rob.
Harberte, Tho.
Nicolson, Rob.
Bowker, Rob.
Harbarte, Tho.
Nicholson, Rob.

<sup>1</sup> He is entered as prebendary of 'Stowe', which is a mistake for 'Stoke'.

<sup>3</sup> He was also sacrist.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> He was also succentor,

23	2 June, 1588 Dighton, John	1 June, 1591 Dighton, John	<b>20 Feb., 1599-1600</b> Dighton, John
24	Longland, John	Bill, John	Byll, John
25	Herde, John	Huddlestone, Geo.	Hudleston, Geo.
26	Randes, Tho.	Rande, Tho.	Randes, Tho.
27	Watsonne, John	Watson, John	Watson, John
28	Ince, Hen.	Ince, Hen.	Ince, Hen.
29	Tolderney, Chris.	Toldervey, Chris.	Toldervey, Chris.
30	Rande, Henry	Rande, Hen.	Randes, Hen.
31	Barbar, Rich.	Pelsante, Wm.	Pelsant, Wm.
32	Turswell, Rich.	Turswell, Rich.	Turswell, Rich.
33	Culpeper, Edm.	Culpeper, Edm. Bullingham, Tho.	Culpepper, Edm. Bullingham, Tho.
34	Bullingham, Tho. Sled, John	Slede, John	Sledd, John
35 36	[blank]	Frenche, Paul	Frenche, Paul
37	Hanson, John	Hanson, John	Hanson, John
38 38	Freer, Tho.	Frier, Tho.	Freer, Tho.
39 40 41 42 43 44	Griffine, Tho. Holdesworth, Rich. Vaux, Hen. Griffine, Ralph Edgeworthe, Edw. Garthe, Gregory	Griffine, Tho. Holdesworth, Rich. Vaux, Hen. Edgeworth, Edw.	Gryffine, Tho. Bownell, Mardocheus Kellett, Rich. Myles, Wm. Wrighte, Arthur Garthe, Gregory <sup>1</sup>
45	[blank]	Aldriche, Tho.	Conham, Abraham
46	Fletcher, Rich.	Fletcher, Rich.	Martine, Tho.
47	Sparke, Tho.	Sparke, Tho.	Sparke, Tho.
48	Barefote, John	Barefote, John	Stockham, Tho.
49	Holdon, John	Holdon, John	Rymington, Fra.
50	Martine, Clement	Martine, Clement	Martyn, Clement
51	Fermery, John	Fermerie, John	Farmerie, John
52	Chippingdale, John	Chippingdale, John	Chippingdaile, John
53	Burdet, Ethelbert	Burdet, Ethelbert	Burdett, Ethetbert

#### SENIOR

#### 1 June, 1591

Hudleston, Geo.<sup>3</sup>

Graie, John

3 Digles, Chris.

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#### JUNIOR

- 1 Bowker, Rob.
- 2 Harris, John
- Nicolson, Rob.

# 20 Feb., 1599-1600

Hudleston,4 Geo.3 Forster, Rich.4 Digles, Chris.4 Cheesman, John

Hurscrofte, Rob. Harrys, . . . .

Nicolson, . . . .

<sup>2</sup> He was also sacrist and provost.

<sup>4</sup> He is described as 'clerk'.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> He was also vice-chancellor.

	2 July, 1585	2 June, 1588
4 5 6 7 8 9	Traunson, Aug. Farringdon, Hen. Duffeld <i>als</i> . Hurscrofte, Rob.	Traunsonne, Aug. Farringdon, Hen. Duffeld, Rob. Langley, Tho.
		Poor
1 2 3 4 5 6	Traunson, Aug. Butler, Tho. Ronyon, Ric. Hilton, John Farringdon, Hen. Duffeld als. Hurscrofte, Rob. Langley, Tho.	Traunsonne, Aug. Butler, Tho. Boothe, John Hilton, John Farringdon, Hen. Robertes, John Butler, Rob.
		Choristers
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Robertes, John Hiron, Wm. Roberts, Rich. Booth, John Houghton, Rob. Sherlocke, Rob.	Gamon, Rich. Hiron, Wm. Roberte, Rich. Botterill, John Houghton, Rob. Shirlocke, Rob. Ledall, Tho. Fox, Wm.
		Boys of the Foundation of
1 2 3 4 5 6 7	Hyron, Tho. Slade, John Tailo <sup>r</sup> , Tho. Metcalf, Edw. Nicolson, John Banes, Nich. [sic] Sandie, Tho.	Hirone, Tho. Slade, John Tailo <sup>r</sup> , Tho. Metcalf, Edw. Nicholson, John Banes, Rich. Sandie, Tho.
		Officials
		2 July, 1585
Ι	Master of the Grammar School	Temple, Wm.
2 3 4 5 6	Master of the Choristers Receiver General Chapter Clerk Constable and Chief Watchman Clerk of the Works	Butler, Tho. Smythe, Rich. Harris, Tho. Windesore, John Christofer, Hen. Watson, The

7 Door-keeper 8 Messenger in the northern part

Messenger in the southern part

Watson, Tho. Piborne, John Elie, Chris.

#### 1 June, 1591

#### 20 Feb., 1599-1600

4	Transon, Aug.
5	Farringdon, Hen.
6	Bacon, John
7	Robinson, John
7	Dve John

Transon, [Aug.] Farringdon, Hen. Cheveley, John

Dye, John 9 Butler, Rob.

Dye, John Butler, Rob.

#### CLERKS

Transon, Aug. 2 Hiron, W. Robertes, Rich. Hilton, John 4 5 6 Farringdon, Hen. Robertes, John

Sherlocke, Rob.

Transon, Aug. Hurscrofte, Rob. Butler, Rob. Steeper, Hen. Farringdon, Hen. Roberte, John Freeman, Wm.

Gamon, Rich. Freman, Wm. Warde, Rich. 3 4 5 6 Botterill, John Howton, Rob. Cheneley, Zach.

Barlowe, Rich. Bushopp, Rich. Jameson, Rich. Robertes, Tho. Rymington, Nich. Stanley, Tho.

Fox, W.

#### Bartholomew Burghersh

Bywater, Wm. Hackley, Hen. Taili<sup>r</sup>, Tho. Metcalf, Edw. Baines, Rich. Sandie, Tho.

Baker, John Holland, Greg. Lees, Elias Nicolson, Geo. Tangate, Wm. Wrighte, Nath.

	2 June, 1588	1 June, 1591	20 Feb., 1599-1600
I	Nethercote, Walter	Nethercot <sub>f</sub> , Walt.	Mason, Wm. Butler, Rob. <sup>1</sup>
2	Butler, Tho.	Butler, Tho.	Kingeston, Tho.2
3	Smythe, Rich.	Smyth, Rich.	Smythe, Rich.
4	Harris, Tho.	Harris, Tho.	Stirropp, Tho. <sup>3</sup>
	Wyndsor, John	Duffeld, Tho.	Duffeild, Tho.
6	Christofer, Hen.	Christofer, Hen.	Christoffer, Hen.
7		Watsone, Tho.	Watson, Tho.
8	Piborne, John	Piborne, John	Pyborne, John
9	Hedlame, Ralph	Hedlame, Ralph	Hedlam, Ralph

No office is ascribed to him.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> He was also organist.

<sup>3</sup> He is described as 'clericus Capituli et supraposit'.

VERGERS

2 July, 1585

2 June, 1588

Christopher, Steph. Nicolson, Tho.

Tailo<sup>r</sup>, Rombald

Walles, Everard

Christopher, Steph. Sparrowe, Nich. Tailer, Rombald Walles, Everard

Bell-

Piborne, John Woodall, Nich. Drewe, Hen. 2

3 4 5 Mellyn, Tho.

Piborne, John Woodhall, Nich. Drewe, Hen.

Mellyn, Tho.

#### 1 June, 1591

1 Newton, Edw.

Sparrowe, Nich.Tailer, RomboldWalles, Everard

#### RINGERS

I

Piborne, John Holland, Rich. 2

Drewe, Hen.

Melline, Tho.

#### 20 Feb., 1599-1600

Newton, Edw. Sparrowe, Nich. Bracewell, John Procter, Wm.

Pyborne, John Holland, Rich. Hedlam, Tho. Whipley, Chris. Lewys, Rob.



# STATISTICS

The following tables, in so far as they relate to the clergy, do not include cathedral preferments nor archdeaconries (except in the case of marriage statistics in 1561).

The figures are given under the heads of the several archdeaconries, except that Lincoln and Stow, which cover the county of Lincoln, have

often been treated as a unit.

The numbers for the whole diocese are given as often as possible; and it will be noticed that these numbers are not necessarily equal to the sum of the numbers for the several archdeaconries, the variation being due to the fact that clerks sometimes held preferments in more than one of the archdeaconries.

#### Number of Parishes, etc.

#### A.D. 1562-4

The numbers on pages 442 and 444 are taken from a return which is preserved in the British Museum (Harleian MS. 618). The figures relating to each parish are given separately in the manuscript, but it has been thought sufficient here to give the totals for the deaneries. The figures

for the archdeaconry of Stow are missing.

The number of families is not specified in the case of the following parishes—Walcot in the deanery of Aveland; Revesby in the deanery of Bolingbroke; Haugh and Withern in the deanery of Calcewaith; Washingborough and Welbourn in the deanery of Longoboby; Wainfleet St. Thomas in the deanery of Candleshoe; Woodhall and Dalderby in the deanery of Gartree; Denton and Sapperton in the deanery of Grantham; Brinkhill in the deanery of Hill; Skirbeck and Toft in the deanery of North Holland; Thornton in the deanery of Horncastle; Bloxholm and Cranwell in the deanery of Lafford; and one place in Leicestershire, i.e. Stonesby in the deanery of Framland.

The names of the archdeacons are recorded at the head of their respective jurisdictions, namely, John Aylmer-Lincoln; William Todd —Bedford: John Longland—Buckingham; Robert Beamont—Huntingdon; and Richard Barber—Leicester.

The date of the return must be 1562-4, because Avlmer was installed in the archdeaconry of Lincoln 6 Nov., 1562, and Edward Williamson, who is mentioned at folio 38d. as prebendary of Melton Ross cum Scamblesby, had vacated the prebend by 22 July, 1564 (Le Neve, Fasti, ed. Hardy, ii, p. 204).

A.D. 1603

The first two columns on pages 443 and 445, giving the numbers of parishes and chapels, are taken from Harleign MS. 595 in the British Museum. The return was made during Bishop Chaderton's episcopate, 1595-1608.

The last five columns give, in tabular form, the particulars about communicants, non-communicants and recusants recorded in the Liber

Cleri of 1603 (v.s. pp. 253-328, also 329-362).

NUMBER OF

ARCHDEACONRY

A.D.	1562.4

		Pari	ISHES	_		
	DEANERY V	VITH INC.	WITH CUR.	CHAPELS	Hamlets	Families
Ι	Aveland	2 I	2	2	1.2	10272
2	Beltisloe	20	ī	3 6	19	762
	Bolingbroke	10	3			906 <sup>2</sup>
3	Calcewaith	33	2	4	1 <del>4</del> 18	11572
+	Candleshoe	22	2	4		8352
3 4 5 6	Gartree <sup>1</sup>	22	<del>-</del> 1	I	3 2	$1239^{2}$
	Graffoe	13	2	•	4	499
7 8	Grantham	20	I	4	7	$899^{2}$
9	Grimsby	29	3	I	7 8	996
10	Hill	20	3			3622
II	Holland, N.	20		I	7	2360²
12	Holland, S	12	2	6	10	1537
13	Horneastle <sup>4</sup>	8	3	4	6	5112
14	Lafford	20	3 3 6	3	9	$1.200^{2}$
15	Lincoln	4	6	.,	,	459
16	Longoboby	20		I	7	8742
17	Louthesk	41	3	2	29	1382
18	Loveden	10	.'	6	ΙÍ	822
19	Ness			3	10	657
20	Stamford	13 5 25		.,		213
21	Walsheroft	25	2		7	912
22	Wraggoe	25	3		19	805
23	Yarborough	31	2	3	14	2169
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	Totals	468	++	48	206	22589
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1	Aslackoe					
2	Corringham					
3	Lawres					
4	Manlake					
	Totals					
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					ARCHDE	ACONRY
I	Bedford	15				781
2	Clopham	10				615
3	Dunstable	20		+	17	1026
+	Eaton	18				7-1-1
<del>1</del> 5 6	Fleet	23		2	5 2	927
6	Shefford	28		2	2	1269
	an a					
	Totals	123		8	24	5362

See p. 441, paragraph 5.
 The parishes are differently distributed amongst the three deaneries of Gartree, Hill and Horncastle in the two returns of 1562-4 and 1603.
 The returns for 1562-4 are missing.

#### PARISHES, ETC. (continued).1

OF LINCOLN

PARISHES CHAPELS COM'TS. MEN WOMEN MEN WOMEN    1	Or	LINCOLN		A,D. 16	603			
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2 22 2484 3 22 <sup>5</sup> 3522 4 37 1 4484 1 5 25 2746 2 1 0 10 2046 7 14 1 1090 8 23 1 3685 9 31 3514 10 21 1315 11 19 <sup>3</sup> 2 8066 12 13 5 5082 13 22 3 3192 14 30 4763 1 15 14 1912 16 21 3472 2 2		Parishes	Chapels	Com'ts.	MEN	Women	MEN	Women
2 22 2484 3 22 <sup>5</sup> 3522 4 37 1 4484 1 5 25 2746 2 1 0 10 2046 7 14 1 1090 8 23 1 3685 9 31 3514 10 21 1315 11 19 <sup>3</sup> 2 8066 12 13 5 5082 13 22 3 3192 14 30 4763 1 15 14 1912 16 21 3472 2 2								
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14     30     4763     1       15     14     1912       16     21     3472     2     2			2	8066				
14     30     4763     1       15     14     1912       16     21     3472     2     2			5	5082				
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				3198	2	4	7	3
		18		2158		•	•	
3 19 3782	3	10		3782				
4 18 2312 2 4	4	18		2312			2	4
5 23 3540 1 3 10	5	23		3540			3	
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See p. 241, paragraphs 3-8.
 In one case two parishes were united.
 In two cases two parishes were united.
 One man with his familie' has been entered as 2 men and 2 women.

		D			ARCHDE	CACONRY
	DEANERY W	PARI ATH INC.	SHES WITH CUR.	CHAPELS	HAMLETS	FAMILIES
1 2 3 4 5 6	Buckingham Burnham Mursley Newport	28 23 30 41	ONLY	5 + 7 5	7 5 19 8	1074 1290 1180 1436
5 6 7	Waddesdon Wendover Wycombe	24 24 15		8	9	764 1231 914
	Totals	185		<u>29</u>	49	7889
					ARCHDE	CACONRY
1 2 3 4 5 6	Baldock Berkhamsted Hertford Hitchin Huntingdon Leightonston	18 14 4		I	I	863 1211 765 713 119 666
7 8 9	St. Ives St. Neots Yaxley	23 20 22		I	2	1151 1049 748
	Totals	167		2	3	7285
					ARCHDE	CACONRY
1 2 3 4 5 6 7	Akeley Framland Gartree Goodlaxton Goscot Leicester Sparkinhoe	21 37 38 41 29 6 20	2 1 3 5 1	8 17 8 10 1	18 11 22 20 26 1	1352 1450 <sup>1</sup> 1540 1660 1597 568 1030
	Totals	192	13	69	120	9197
Arc	CHDEACONRIES				J	DIOCESE
I 2	Lincoln Stow	468	44	48	206	22589
3 4 5 6	Bedford Buckingham Huntingdon Leicester	123 185 167 192	13	8 29 2 69	24 49 3 120	5362 7889 7285 9197
	TOTALS	1135	57	156	402	52322
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See p. 441, paragraph 5.

OF	BUCKING	GHAM		Nev	COM'TS	Divis	(10 1 <b>110</b> 00
	Parishes	Chapels	Сом'тѕ	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	USANTS Women
1 2 3 4 5 6	27 25 27 45 20 19 15 		2821 1149 931 1253 704 1075 844 	1 14 	1 3 14	3 1 11 2 2 6 9 	3 4 19 7 3 6 14 
					<del></del>		
OF	HUNTIN	GDON					
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	24 16 17 14 4 23	1 2 2	3926 5104 3753 2812 484 4513			I	I
7	17	2	4401				
8 9	18 23 	2 2 — 17	4668 2753 			2 2 — 5	+ - 7
OF	LEICEST	`ER					
1 2 3 4 5 6 7	37 36 40 33 4 24 195	5 3 ———————————————————————————————————	7356 6430 7612 7370 5553 450 4350 39127			7 6 — 15	6 3 1 2 4 
1 2 3 4 5 6	517 91 119 184 156 195	19 1 17 12 — 49	80225 10213 20050 8837 32474 39127	5 15 — 20 —	6 14	20 8 13 34 5 15  95	19 7 20 56 7 18 —

#### NUMBER OF THE CLERGY

	NUM	IBE	K OF	THI	9 C)	LERG	T X		
		1576		$159^{-1}$	4	1603	1607	LII 1604	:
Incumbent		396 <sup>1</sup>	441	455	(3	490	482 3) 77 (6)	406	(168)
Curate Curate & school	mouta	•		05) 130	(55)	70 (2	<sup>3</sup> ) 77 (9	7	(40)
Preacher	masic.	1	3 2	_	1		I	5	
Licensed preach	er		_		т			J	
& schoolmaste			2		-				
		396 <sup>1</sup>	573	589	)	500	500	530	
Schoolmaster (n necessarily in Holy Orders)			13	33	,		7	80	
Holy Orders)									
Tora	LS	390	586	022	<u>:</u>	560	567	610	
Incumbent Curate			BEDI 1585 100 15 (8°)	FORD 1603 107 8		1585 151		1603 148	
		-			-				
	TALS		115	115	5	189		178	
Schoolmaster (n arily in Holy			1		-				
			116						
Incumbent Curate	1585 120	TIN (29 <sup>8</sup> )	NGDON 1603 129	(I <sub>3</sub> )	<b>1576</b> 149	158	EESTEI 85 33 45 (19 <sup>8</sup> )	1603 176	
Totals	180		143		149	2.	28	188	
			DIO	CESE				<b>5</b> 85	1603
Incumbent						•		004	1050
Curate .	•		•			•		274	134
Preacher . Curate and scho	odmas	ter	•	•		•	•	2 3	
Schoolmaster and			I preach					3	
							т -	 285	
Schoolmaster (r	ot nec	cessa	rily in F	loly O	rders)	)		14	
						Тотаг	LS I	<del></del>	1184

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Four clerks, who held no parochial preferment in Lincoln or Stow. have been omitted; and therefore the figures relating to 1576 in these tables will vary slightly from those printed in L.R.S., ii, pp. 333-5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> One was also a schoolmaster.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> These figures shew the number of cases in which the curate as well as the incumbent of a parish is entered, and they must be taken into account when comparing one period with another. It will be observed that in 1603 and 1607 the instances in which both the incumbent and the curate are entered are very few. The numbers enclosed in brackets are included in the numbers which precede the brackets.

#### READERS

1585

Status		LIN. & STO	OW BED.	BUCK.	HUNT.	LEIC.	Totals
M.A.		I					I
B.A.						2	2
Bred in scho	ols	8			I	I	OI
Unspecified		19	I	2	I	2	25
an an							
Totals		28	I	2	2	5	38
		_			_		_
	158	5 1594	1603	$1604^{1}$	1607	1611	1614
Lincoln	28	13	<b>+</b> 2	$6^{3}$	$5^4$	1.25	4 <sup>7,8</sup>
Stow						$\mathbf{I}^{_{G}}$	I
	_				_	_	
Totals	28	13	4	$6^{8}$	5	13	5
	_	_	_			_	
			1614				
LINC.	& S	STOW B	BED. H	UNT.	LEIC.	Тот	AL
	57,8		<b>I</b> 9	I	5 <sup>10</sup>	1	2

The Liber of 1604 does not include the archdeaconry of Stow.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> These are not specified as readers in the *Liber* of 1603, but they are elsewhere either called readers, or proved to have been laymen. In one *Liber* a man will be described as a curate, and in another as a reader.

<sup>3</sup> Two of these are described as curates, not in orders.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Three of these are described as curates, not in orders.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Five of these are described as curates, not in orders.

<sup>6</sup> He is described as a curate, not in orders.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Four of these are described as curates, not in orders.

<sup>8</sup> One of these was also a schoolmaster.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> He was also a schoolmaster.

<sup>10</sup> These five are described as curates, not in orders.

#### STATUS OF THE CLERGY

The column headed 'Bred in schools' (scolaris) and the 'Special cases' indicate the status of the clergy before ordination.

#### LINCOLN AND STOW, 1585

					BRED IN		
Ordained	S.T.D.	S.T.B.	M.A.	В.А.	SCHOOLS	UNSPECIFIED	TOTALS
Bef. 1520					1		I
1520-29		I		1	3		5
1530-39		2	2		7	4	15
1540-44			I	I	2	2	5 15 6 3 5 25
1545-49					2	1	3
1550-54		2		I	1	1	5
1555-59		I	3	2	19		25
1560-64			3 5 3 13	9 8	30	_7	51
1565-69	2		3		62	18 18	93
1570-74	3	I 2		1.2	42		89
1575-79		2	14 22	17	57	11	101
1580-86 No date			ند ند	25	33	1.1	9 <del>1</del>
No date				4	7	35	46
	5	9	63	80	266	111	
1516	В. С	anon La	ıw				I
1564	M.D.						1
5 1			Spec	CIAL C	CASES		
1535-39	ı servin	g-man					I
1540-44	ı gentle						. I
1555-59						k, 1 poor-elerk i	in
		coln, 1 s					. 5
1560-64						man, 3 husband	d-
, ,					tallow-chai		. I2
1565-69						rch, i clothier,	
						ı, ı shoemaker	
1570-74				drape	r, i singing	g-man, 1 soldier	•
1575-79	ı clerk		)		•	•	. 1
1580-85	ı servin				•	•	. !
No date	1 candle	такег			•	•	. I
	т	OTAL					
	1	OLAL	•			•	. 573

Schoolmasters (not necessarily in Holy Orders)—M.A. 1; BA. 2; unspecified 10=13.

## Status of the Clergy (continued).

#### BEDFORD, 1585

					BRED IN		
Ordained	S.T.D.	S.T.B.	м.л.	ВΑ.	SCHOOLS	UNSPECIFIED	TOTALS
1540-44					I		I
1545-49			I		I		2
1550-54				1			I
1555-59			2	I	+	ľ	8
1560-64	I	I	3	I	7	I	14
1505-69			5	2	9	I	17
1570-74		2	3	I	13	3	22
1575-79			4	5	9		18
1580-85			6	3	3	I	13 8
No date			3	1	2	2	0
	I	3	27	15	49	9	
1570	Non-	gradua	te				I
			Spec	CIAL C	CASES		
1560-64	2 servin	g-men					. 2
1565-69	2 gentle		servin	g-man			. 3
1570-74	ı gentle	man, 1	merch	ant, I	senescall,	1 serving-man	. 4
No date	1 drapei	r					. I
	Т	OTAL					. 115

One schoolmaster (not necessarily in Holy Orders).

## Status of the Clergy (continued).

#### BUCKINGHAM, 1585

					BRED IN		
Ordained	S.T.D.	S.T.B.	М.А.	в.А.	SCHOOLS	UNSPECIFIED	TOTALS
1520-29		I					1
1530-39					I		I
1540-44		I			3		4
1550-54	I		1		2	I	5
1555-59			4	2	11		17
1560-64		I	5 5 5 3		13	I	20
1565-69	I		5	1	11		18
1570-74	I		5	3	14	2	25
1575-79		I	3	2	10	6	28
1580-85			7	+	4	I	16
No date	3		7	4	+	19	37
				- 6	=-	20	
	6	+	37	10	79	30	
1568	B. of	Laws					I
			Spec	CIAL C	CASES		
1560-64	ı husba	ndman,	1 mer	cer, 4	serving-m	en .	. 6
1505-09	ı parish						. 2
1570-74					, i serving	-man .	. 3
1575-79	2 servin		•				. 2
No date	2 monks	s, I serv	ing-ma	an .			. 3
	Т	OTAL .					. 189

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# $\textbf{Status} \ \ \textbf{of} \ \ \textbf{the} \ \ \textbf{Clergy} \ \ (\texttt{continued}).$

#### HUNTINGDON, 1585

					NO	BRED IN	L.Z	
Ordained	S.T.D.	S.T.B.	$\mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{A}_{\star}$	ВΑ.	GRAD.	SCHOOLS	SPEC.	TOTALS
1530-34						1		1
1535-39						I		I
1540-44						1		1
1545-49						1		į
1550-54			1					I
1555-59	1	i			I	2		5
1500-04			2	1	3	13		19
1565-69		2	I	3	2	1.5	2	<sup>2</sup> 5
1570-74	I	2	5	3	2	1 +	2	20
1575-79			1.2	5	2	10	I	30
1580-85		I	0.1	6	1	b	1	25
No date	4	3	3	2	5	2	10	29
		_		_	_			
	6	9	34	20	16	66	16	167
			Spe	CIAL	Cases			
1538	1 monl	· ·						. I
1500-64	1 merc	hant, 1	parish	clerk	, 2 servi	ng-men .		. 4
1565-69		ney, 2 s						. 3
1570-74	ı singi	ng-man						. I
1575-79	1 webs	ter						. 1
No date	2 monl	ks, i pa	rish el	erk .				. 3
		$\Gamma$ otal						. 180

# Status of the Clergy (continued). LEICESTER, 1585

Ordained	S T.D.	S.T.B.	М.А.	В.А.	BRED IN SCHOOLS	UNSPECIFIED	TOTALS
1530-39			I		I	5	7
1540-44					2	ī	
1545-49					3	2	3 5
1550-54						I	I
1555-59				1	I 2	I	14
1500-04	1	1			11	4	17
1565-69		2	2	4	21	<del>1</del> 5	34
1570-74		I	7	<del>1</del> 8	25	4	4 I
1575-79			7	8	12	<del>1</del> 3	30
1580-85			9	14	8	2	33
No date		2	2	3	9	1.4	30
			_				
	I	6	28	34	104	42	215
Circa 1570	B. of	Laws					I
No date	B. of	Laws					I
			SPEC	CIAL C	ASES		
1535-39	ı servin	g-man					. і
1540-44	1 gentle						. 1
1550-54	ı liusba	ndman			,		. І
1555-59	1 petty	lawver,	I serv	ving-m	an .		. 2
1500-04	ı day la	bourer,	ı ger	itlema	n, 1 tailor,	1 woolwinder	. 4
1570-74	1 surgeo						. i
No date	1 yeoma	m					. I
	Т	OTAL				,	. 228

DEGREES

#### LINCOLN AND STOW, 1576

					PROBABLY	
Ordained	S.T.D.	S.T.B	М.А.	В.А.	NON-GRAD.	TOTALS
Bef. 1520					2	2
1520-29		I		I	22	2.1
1530-39		2	2	I	32	37
1540-44			4	Ī	0.1	15
1545-49					9	9
1550-54			I	1	3	5 29
1555-59		I	2	1	25	29
1560-64	I		5	7	60	73 81
1565-69		I	3	3	7+	
1570-76		1	5	6	48	60
No date		2	2		55	59
	I	8	54	21	340	
1526	В. о	f Canon I	Law			1
1504	M D	).				I
				Тс	OTAL -	396

#### LEICESTER, 1576

					PROBABLY	
Age	S.T D.	S.T.B.	M . A	B.A	NON-GRAD.	TOTALS
Over 70					6	6
05-70			2	1	8	I I
60-64			I	I	15	17
55-59			1		+	5
50-54					6	0
45-49				I	5	6
40-44		1			10	1 1
35-39		.2			1.2	14
30-34			+		24	28
25-29 Unspecified	ī		2	3	11	10
Chispechied	1				26	27
	I	3	10	0	127	
68	В. о	f Canon I	∠aw			Ī
46	В. о	f Law				I
				Т	OTAL -	140

Degrees (continued).

For degrees in Huntingdon, 1584, sec p. 53.

	LINC. &	STOW	BEDI	FORD	BU	CK.
	1585	1603	1585	1603	1585	1603
S.T.D.	5	6	I	3	5	6
S.T.B.	9	17	3	6	5	17
B. of Laws					I	
B. Canon L.	I					I
M.A. B.A.	63 80	107 80	27	56	37	57
M.D.	00	00	15	22	10	54
Non-graduate	414	350	69	28	125	43
	573	500	115	115	189	178
	HUNTI		LEICE			CESE
C.T. D	1585	1603	1585	1603	1585	1603
S.T.D.	1 <b>585</b> 6	1603 10	1585 1	1603 7	1585 18	1603 32
S.T.B.	1585	1603	1585 1 6	1603	1585 18 32	1603
S.T.B. B. of Laws	1 <b>585</b> 6	1603 10	1585 1	1603 7	1585 18	1603 32
S.T.B.	1585 6 9	1603 10 15	1585 I 6 2	1603 7 14	1585 18 32 3	1603 32 69
S.T.B. B. of Laws B. Canon L.	1 <b>585</b> 6	1603 10	1585 1 6 2 28	1603 7	1585 18 32 3 1	1603 32 69
S.T.B. B. of Laws B. Canon L. M.A. B.A. M.D.	1585 6 9	1603 10 15 52 28	1585 I 6 2	1603 7 14 54	1585 18 32 3 1 189 105 1	1603 32 69 1 326 218
S.T.B. B. of Laws B. Canon L. M.A. B.A.	1585 6 9	1603 10 15	1585 1 6 2 28	1603 7 14 54	1585 18 32 3 1 189 105	1603 32 69 1 326
S.T.B. B. of Laws B. Canon L. M.A. B.A. M.D.	1585 6 9 34 20	1603 10 15 52 28	1585 1 6 2 28 34	1603 7 14 54 34	1585 18 32 3 1 189 105 1	1603 32 69 1 326 218

#### MARRIAGE

1560

The statistics for 1561 have been compiled from returns relating to the Metropolitical Visitation of 1560 in *Parker MS*. xevii, at Corpus Christi College, Cambridge. They are given here for the sake of comparison with the later returns, and to complete the evidence at present available as to the number of married clergymen. After 1603 the question seems to have lost its interest to those in authority. The returns for the archdeaconries of Bedford and Huntingdon are missing, and also the deaneries of Graffoe in Lincoln, Aslackhoe in Stow and Christianity in Leicester. Some other deaneries are incomplete.

	MARRIED	UNMARRIED	UNSPECIFIED	TOTALS
Cathedral	13	36	12	61
Lincoln	64	251	2	317
Stow	ΙΙ	34		45
Buckingham	31	158	5	194
Leicester	9	120		129
Totals	128	599	19	746
				_

	LING	COLN &	& STOW	V. 1576	L	EICE	STER,	1576
Age	MAR.	UNMAR.	UNSPEC.	TOTALS	MAR.	UNM.	UNSPEC.	TOTALS
90		I		1				
Ś1-89		7	I	8				
71-80	6	18		24	I	5		6
65-70	5	15	2	22	2	IO		1.2
60-64	20	15	I	36	7	OI		17
55-59	12	7		19	I	4		5 6
50-54	18	2		~O	5.		1	6
45-49	12	4		16	$\frac{5}{5}^{1}$	2		7
40-44	43	6	1	50	7	3	I	ΙΙ
35-39	36	3		39	IO	+		1.4
30-34	50	14		64	$17^{1}$	ΙI		28
25-29	25	14		39	$\hat{S}^2$	8		10
24	I	3		+				
Unspec.	1	2	55	58	I		26	27
m								
Totals	229	111	60	400	64	57	28	149
			_					

010	<i>-</i> • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
	1576	1598
Married	30	60
Unmarried	13	13
Unspecified	14	7
Totals	57	80

STOW

<sup>1</sup> One of these clerks was a widower.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> One of these clerks had been twice married.

#### LEARNING

The clerks are divided into classes as follows—

Class I, those who have a sufficient knowledge.

- " II, those who have a moderate knowledge.
- " III, those who have an insufficient knowledge.

.. IV, those who are quite ignorant.

For further particulars about the classification the reader is referred to *L.R.S.* ii, pp. 334-5. Where the amount of knowledge is not specified the degree (if any) has been given. The tables suggest that a higher standard was adopted in Leicestershire than in Lincolnshire.

# KNOWLEDGE OF LATIN LINCOLN AND STOW, 1576

						в.а.,	NON-GRAD	٠.,
					S.T.B.,	м.А,	KNOWL.	
Ordained	Cl. I	Cl. II	Cl. III	Cl. IV	S.T.D.	B.C.L.	UNSPEC.	TOTALS
Bef. 1520			1	1				2
1520-29	2	2	9	8	I	2	I	25
1530-39	1.2	+	9	6	2	2	I	36
1540-44	8	2	2	1		2		15
1545-49	1	2	2	3	1		$2^{1}$	11
1550-54	2			I		2		5
1555-59	5	6	8	6	1	3		29
1560-64	21	7	15	18	1	11	$2^1$	75
1565-69	23	16	1.1	20	2	58	1	18
1570-76	32	6	7	+ .	1	8	i	59
No date	3					3	52	58
						_		-
Totals	109	45	67	68	9	38	60	396

#### LEICESTER, 1576

B.A., NON-GRAD., KNOWL. S.T.B., M.A., Age CL. I CL. II CL. III CL. IV S.T.D. B.C.L. UNSPEC. TOTALS Over 70 6 5 65-70 I 5 2 12 4 60-64 2 3 10 1 17 1 5 55-59 + Ī 6 1 2 50-54 3 7 45-49 4 1 I I 40-44 0 3 ΙI I 35-39 2 0 1 2 14 15 5 28 30-34 4 4 25-29 6 16 2 4 I Unspec. 3 27 24 Totals 56 11 35 3 13 29 149

<sup>1</sup> One of these clerks withdrew before the examination.

# Learning (continued).

# KNOWLEDGE OF SACRED LEARNING LINCOLN AND STOW, 1576

						В.А.,	NON-GRAD	٠.,
					S.T.B.,	М.А.,	KNOWL.	
Ordained	Cl. I	Cl II	CL. III	Cl. IV	S T.D.	B.C.L.	UNSPEC	TOTALS
Bef. 1520			ł	I				2
1520-29	3	+	16		I		I	25
1530-39	11	9	1.2		2		3	37
1540-44	- 6	+	2	ĭ			2	15
1545-49	1	4	3		1		21	ΙI
1550-54	2		I				2	5
1555-59	IO	6	10	I	I		I	29
1560-64	29	15	21	I	I		$9^{1}$	76
1505-09	28	19	28	1	2		5	83
1570-76	30	ΙΙ	1.2		I		5	59
No date	3		2			22	27	54
					-			
Totals	123	$7^2$	108	5	9	22	57	396
		-						

## LEICESTER, 1576

					S.T.B.,	B.A., :	NON-GRAD KNOWL	,
Age	Cl. I	Cl. II	CL. III	CL IV	-		UNSPEC.	TOTALS
Over 70			I	5				6
65-70		I	6	4		I		12
60-64		I	6	8		I	I	17
55-59			3	I		I		5
50-54		I	2	I			2	0
<del>45-49</del>		I	3	I		I	I	7
40-44	I		5	3	I		I	ΙI
35-39	I	I	IO		2			14
30-34	2		17	5		4		28
25-29		3	8	I		3	I	16
Unspec.			3				24	27
	_	_			_			
	+	8	64	29	3	ΙI	30	149

## STOW, 1603-4

Learned preachers	7
Of mean learning	6

One of these clerks withdrew before the examination.

#### PREACHERS, ETC.

N.B. The method of classification was seemingly somewhat different in the several archdeaconries. The most exact returns are those for Huntingdon in 1584 and Bedford in 1603. In most cases the majority of the clerks under the head of UNSPECIFIED were not preachers.

LI	INCOLN	&	STOW	1576	1585	1603
Licensed preacher .				51	88	145
S.T.D. and S.T.B., presum	ably preac	cher .			10	
Preacher (presumably not h	icensed), p	reacl	her			
in his cure, preacher sor		reac	her			9.5
not licensed, able to pr No preacher			•	20	1 I	83
No preacher		r	•	325	464	40 292
onspectica, presumatory n	o preache.		•	3-5		
		Tor	ΓALS	396	573	<u>5</u> 60
			BEDF	ORD	BUG	CK
			1585	1603	1585	1603
Licensed preacher			10	33	17	42
S.T.D. and S.T.B., p	resumably					
preacher .					10	
Preacher (presumably not	ncensed),	•				
preacher in his cure, sometimes, preacher no						
able to preach	it ficefised,	•	4	60		98
No preacher .			7	10		2
Expounder and catechizer				10		
Unspecified, presumably n			95	2	162	36
	Totals		115	115	189	178
	HUN	TIN	GDON	LF	CICEST	ER
	1584	1585	1603	1576	1585	1603
Licensed preacher	48	14		10	18	50
S.T.D and S.T.B., pre-						
sumably preacher .		13			2	0
Preacher, not licensed .	2		56			89
Preacher in his cure .				4		
Able to preach	17		I			2
Teacher in his cure .	1		1	16		-
Able to catechize .	85			10		
Hardly able to catechize.	2					
Not licensed to catechize	I					
Unspecified	12	153	30	119	208	47
Recusants	2			Í	•	
Totals	170	180	143	149	228	188

For the figures for the Diocese, see Introduction (p. lvii).

#### **PLURALITIES**

- I—Two benefices within the archdeaconry.
  II—One benefice within the archdeaconry and another within the diocese.
  III—One benefice within the archdeaconry and one outside the diocese.
  IV—One benefice within the archdeaconry and one unspecified.
  V—Three benefices within the archdeaconry.

		LINC	OLN	AND ST	WO.		LINC.
	1576	1585	1594	1602	1603	1607	1604
I	67	60	<del>1</del> 9	50	45	33	36
ΙΙ	3	3	1	2	2	1	2
III	3	3	+	3		1	2
IV	-	1.4	13	, 10			1
V	2	i	2			1	
			_	_			***************************************
Totals	75	81	69	65	47	36	<b>4</b> I
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	BEDI	FORD	BUCKE	NGHAM	HUNTINGDON	
	1585	1603	1585	1603	1585	1603
I	IO	3	8	3	6	10
H	6	5	3	2	3	2
III		2		6	I	5
IV	2		16		4	
				_	_	
TOTALS	8 18	10	27	11	14	17

		I	LEICESTE	DIOCESE		
		1576	1585	1603	1585	1603
I		15	6	8	90	69
II		3	5	2		
III		12	5	8	9	21
1.7		7	+		40	
V	•					
	Totals	37	20	18	140	90

## DISTANCES BETWEEN BENEFICES HELD BY PLURALISTS IN THE DIOCESE IN 1603

One church	3	6-10 miles	16
$\frac{1}{8}$ mile	I	11-20 ,,	ΙI
1 ,,	+	21-30 ,,	8
$\frac{1}{2}$ ,,	8	48 ,,	I
Ī ,,	0 1	Śс ,,	I
2 miles	IO	125 ,,	I
3-5 "	15	Uncertain	I

Total

### RESIDENCE OF PLURALISTS

- I-Resident at two benefices within the archdeacourv.
- II—Resident at one of two benefices within the archdeaconry.
- III—Resident at the only benefice within the archdeaconry.
  IV—Non-resident within the archdeaconry.
  V—Unspecified whether resident or not within the archdeaconry.

	LINCOLN	& STOW	BEDFORD		
	1576	1602	1603		
I		5	2		
H	54	39	I		
III	3		2		
IV	10	17	5		
Λ.	8	1			
Totals	75	65	10		
		_			

	BUCKINGHAM	HUNTINGDON	LEICE	ESTER
	1603	1603	1576	1603
I	2	3	2	4
ΙI	I	4	10	2
III	5	3		7
IV.	3	2	4	3
V		5	2 I	2
	<del></del>			
То	TALS II	17	37	18
	Production (	Name of the last o	-	

# HOSPITALITY

	STOW, 1598	LEIC., 1603
Hospitable	4-1	105
Not hospitable	10	1
Unspecified	21	19
Totals	75	185
	<del></del>	

## CONFORMITY

## BUCKINGHAM, 1584

## Subscription to the Three Articles

Subscribo, sub	scripsi						27
Ex animo							90
Volens, libente	er, volent	e anim	o, etc.				32
Imo ex corde							1
Hiis articulis	consenti	io et q	uaecunn	que contra	hos ar	ticulos	
				derunt horred			I
Articulis supr	adictis r	nihill c	ontra v	erbum dei	contine	entibus	
volens subse	cribo						I
	$\Gamma_{ m OTAL}$					•	152
				LINC., 157	76	HUNT.,	1584
Conformable				318		154	
Recusants				3		5	
Vehemently su	ispected			I		5	
Conformity un							
conformable				77		11	
Тота	LS .			396		170	

For communicants, non-communicants and recusants in 1603, see pages 443, 445.

# BEHAVIOUR, 1603

	Stow	Bedf
Good	72	113
Mean	7	
Evil	I	
Unspecified	IO	2
	_	
Totals	90	115



### APPENDIX L

# [LIBER CLERI, A.D. 1585.]

[Since the text of this volume was printed, some missing leaves of the Liber Cleri of 1585 have been found in the Lincoln Diocesan Registry.]

# THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF LINCOLN

[5 AUGUST, 1585.]

Folios 67-67d. [missing].

Folio 68.

CORINGHAME PREBEND—Sir Richard Tailour, prebendary; ord. deacon by the bp. of Lincoln, 8 May, 1569; inst. by the archbp. of Canterbury on the presentation of Richard Tailour, by reason of a grant of advowson, 3 Feb., 1570; o. 8d.; t. 8d.; o. and i. he has to exhibit; prox. [blank].

ASGARBIE PREBEND-John Southouse, prebendary; inst. 9 Aug., 1579;

o. and i. . . . . ; prox. . . . . FARRENDON' PREBEND—Master John Pratte, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. 19 Sept., 1581, on the presentation of T.... . . . . , by reason of a grant of advowson . . . . . . . . . 17 Dec ;

o. . . ; i. 8d.; prov. 4s. 8d. M.A.
Th[orngate prebend]—Master John Barefote, prebendary; [ord.] as above1; inst. 20 Aug., 158[2]; Thomas bp. of Lincoln collated it

LEIGHTONNE Ecclesia—Henry Randes, prebendary, laic; inst. on collation of Thomas Cooper, bp. of Lincoln, 7 Nov., 1574; i. and prov.

LEIGHTONNE BUSARDE—Master Christopher Toldervey, prebendary; inst. 17 June, 1583; i.—; prox. by Har' [Harris]. MA.

Folio 68d.

St. Botulph's prebend-Master Ralph Griffine, prebendary; ord. as above2; inst. 7 Apr., 1587; o. and i.-; prox. he has one.

ALL SAINTS IN HUNGATE PREBEND—Master John Wintle, prebendary; ord. as in Brauncetonne; inst. I July, 1574; i. and prox. —. M.A.; preacher.

MARTIN'S PREBEND-Master Edward Edgeworth, prebendary; absent; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. [blank]; o. and i. - Preacher.

<sup>1</sup> Cp. p. 68, but the reference is to f. 67, where he would be entered as archdeacon of Lincoln. Cp. above, p. 432.

<sup>2</sup> The reference is no doubt to f. 67, where he would appear as dean.

CARLTONNE CUM THURLBIE PREBEND-Master Thomas Noke, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. on the collation of Thomas bp. of Lincoln, at Bugden', 20 Sept., 1573; o. he has to exhibit; i. 8d.; , . . . . . . . B.A.; preacher.

Stowe Longa prebend—Master Dudley Garrett, prebendary; inst.

6 May, 1585.

KETTONNE PREBEND-Master John Dightonne, prebendary, laic; inst, 19 Apr., 1574; i. —; prox. by Randes; prox. —. M.A.

Folio 69.

BEDFORD MINOUR PREBEND—John Martine, prebendary; inst. 10 Nov., 1574; o. —; prox. by Bull' [Bullingham]; i. —.

WELTONNE BRINCKALL PREBEND—Clement Martine, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 25 July, 1580; inst. [blank]; prox. by Bull' [Bullingham]; i. he has to exhibit. M.A.; preacher.

LANGFORD ECCLESIA PREBEND-Master Thomas Randes, prebendary, laic; inst. on the collation of Thomas bp. of Linc., I Feb., 1563; i. —. M.A.

Bramptonne prebend—Master Christopher Rawlins, prebendary; ord. by the bp. of Oxford, 22 1554 [sic]; inst. last day of Feb., 1554; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; t. 8d.; prox. 4s. 8d. S.T.B.

WELTONNE WESTHALL PREBEND-Master Ethelbert Burdet, prebendary, laic; inst. on the presentation of John Mason, knt., 2 Apr., 1565; prox. —; i. 8d.; prox. . . . . . . 4s. 8d. M.A.

SUTTON IN MARISCO PREBEND—Master Thomas Sparke, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. 7 Mar., 1581; o. —; i. . . . . . . , S.T.D.

Folio 60d.

St. Margaret's, Leicester, Prebend - Henry Ince, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. 23 Mar., 1580; o. —; prox. by Randes; i. —. Preacher.

CENTUM SOLIDORUM PREBEND—Samuel Todd, prebendary; inst. 31 Mar., 1572; prox. by Randes; o., prox., and i. he has to exhibit.

CLIFTONNE PREBEND-Robert Hoveden, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. [blank]; o., prov., and i. he has to exhibit. S.T.D.

LIDDINGTON PREBEND—Master Richard Barbar, prebendary; ord. pr. as above1; inst. on the collation of the bp. of Lincoln, 31 Aug., 1552; o. 8d.; i. —; prox. by Randes.

NORTONNE EPISCOPI PREBEND—Thomas Freer, prebendary, laic; inst. 26 Mar., 1581; prox. by Randes; i. —.

DECEM LIBRARUM PREBEND-Master Robert Norgate, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. 4 Dec., 1577; o. —; prox. by Tailour; i. and prox. —. S.T.D.

Folio 70.

MILTON MANER PREBEND—Master William Stockar, prebendary, laic; inst. [blank]; prox. by Randes, he has to exhibit; i. -. M.A.

Kelsaie Prebend-Master Edward Archpoll, prebendary, laic; inst. [blank]; i. and prox.—; prox. by Randes. B.A.

<sup>1</sup> The reference is no doubt to f. 67, where he would appear as archdeacon of Leicester,

Bedford Maior prebend—Master William Cole, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. [blank]; o. he has to exhibit; prov. by Mr. Randes; i.—. s.t.d.

Weltonne Paineshall prebend—Master John Furmerie; ord. pr. as above<sup>1</sup>; inst. 23 Mar., 1580; i.—.

Bugden' Prebend—Master William Smyth, prebendary, laic; inst. 27 May, 1585, at Netlam; i.—; from he has one. Ll.D.

Weltonne Beckhall prebend—Master John Holdon, prebendary; inst. on the collation of the bp. of Lincoln, 8 Sept., 1575; o. he has to exhibit; . . . . . . . . M.A.

Folio 70d.

Sancte Crucis prebend—Nicholas Morice, prebendary, laic; inst. [blank]; frox, by Har[ris], he has to exhibit; i.—. M.A.

CRAKEPOLL PREBEND—Nicholas Blinckhorne, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst [blank]; prox. by Bull[ingham]; o., i., and prox. he has to exhibit.

Scarle Prebend—Master Thomas Griffin, prebendary; ord. pr by the suffragan bp. of Nottingam, 11 May, 1567; inst. on the collation of the bp. of Lincoln, 17 Apr., 1567; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; prox. by Ezechiel Talor, 4s. 8d.

LUDA PREBEND—Master Richard Turswell, prebendary; ord pr. by the bp., see in Wadingame; inst. 4 Apr., 1582; [i.] 8d.

WELTONNE RYVALL PREBEND—Master John Chipingdale, prebendary, laic; inst. 9 Aug., 1575; i.—; prox. by Randes. Ll.D.

EMPINGAME PREBEND—Master Michael Reniger, prebendary; ord. pr. as above<sup>2</sup>; inst. [blank]; prox. by Randes; he has to exhibit; i.—. s.t.d.

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GRETTONE PREBEND—Master Thomas Bickley, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. I Jan., 1571; o. he has to exhibit; prox. he has one; i.—. st.d.

Nassington Prebend—Master John Hansonne, prebendary; ord. pr. as in Staunford; inst [blank]; prox.—; i. he has to exhibit; prox. by Randes, he has to exhibit, 4s. 8d.—s.t.d.

Bickleswad prebend—Master William Malime, prebendary; absent, inst. [blank]; o. and i.—.

Dunham Prebend—Master Robert Condall, prebendary; ord. pr. as above<sup>8</sup>; inst. [blank]; i. . . . . . ; prox. by Har[ris].

LAFFORD PREBEND—Master John Herde, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, see Wadington'; inst. [blank]; prov. —; prov by T[ailor]. Doctor of medicine.

Caistre Prebend—Master John Robinsonne, prebendary; ord. pr. as above<sup>4</sup>; inst. 7 Oct., 1574; i. and prox. —. st.d.

Folio 71d.

MELTONNE Ross PREBEND—Master Thomas Bullingham, prebendary, laic; inst. [blank]; prox. by Bull[ingham]; prox. and i. he has to exhibit. LL.B.

<sup>2</sup> The reference is to f. 67 or 67a. where he would appear as sub-dean.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The reference is to f. 67, where he would appear as archdeacon of Stow.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The reference is to f. 67 or 67d., where he would appear as archdeacon of Huntingdon.

<sup>4</sup> The reference is to f. 67 or 67d., where he would appear as archdeacon of Bedford and precentor.

Langford Maner Prebend-Master John Watsonne, prebendary; [ord. pr. by the bp. of Lincoln, 4 June, 15581; inst. [blank]; i. he has to exhibit. LL.B.

Sexaginta Solidorum prebend—Richard Holdesworthe, prebendary; ord. pr. as in Boothebie; inst. on the collation of the bp., 2 Jan., 1584; i. —; . . . .

STOWE IN LINDSAIE PREBEND-Master Nicholas Sheperd, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of Worcester, 25 Mar., 1562; inst. 5 Apr., 1577; o. 8d.; prox. by Randes.

MARSTONNE PREBEND-Master Edmund Culpeper, prebendary; absent;

inst. 21 Feb., 1580; o. 8d.; i. 8d.; prov. he has paid.

CARLTONE KYME PREBEND-Master Ezechiel Tailour, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp., as in Thorpe; inst. 20 Aug., 1574, on the collation of the bp. of Lincoln; i. -; prox. -. B.A.; preacher.

Folio 72.

MILTONNE Ecclesia-Master John Slede, prebendary; ord. pr. by the bp. of [blank]; inst. [blank]; o., prov. by Randes, and i. he has to exhibit.

KILDESBIE PREBEND-Master John Longland, prebendary; ord. pr. as above; inst. [blank]; Mr. Randes . . . . ; i. 8d. . . . ; prox. . . . . 4s. 8d.

2 August, 1585,—28s. 8d., wherefrom 6s. 8d.; and there remains 22s.

Folio 72d. [blank].

<sup>1</sup> Struck out.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The reference is to i. 67 or 67d., where he would appear as archdeacon of Buckingham.

### APPENDIX II.

# [A BRIEF OF GRIEVANCES]

[April, 1606.]

[Since the text of this volume was printed, there has happily been found in the Diocesan Registry a single sheet on which are specified the grievances in answer to which the particulars on pages 363-371 above were drawn up.]

- A Briefe of Greevances in the Ecclesiasticall Iurisdiction delivered by the Lower House of Parliament at a Committie with the LL. of the Vpper House.
- 1. Touchinge Deprivation.
  - 1. Peaceable ministers are often called to theire extreame trouble and chardge, though for the avoidance of both, they have desired to be soner deprived—Instance hereof: Mr Heape who was called 14 times and at last deprived.
  - 2. The same ministers are deprived for not subscribinge contrarie to the lawe and canon made the last Convocation.
- Touchinge multiplicitye of Commissions, w<sup>ch</sup> are abvsed and made contemptible bycause
  - They call men for litle and trifelinge causes—Instance hereof:

     A glover of ye Count: of Bucke called for saying he read in a booke yt ye virgin Marie was the instrment [sic] of the Devill.
  - 2. The L: Bishoppes doe sitte in theire private houses.
  - 3. The L: Bishoppe is assisted but w<sup>th</sup> a small number, and those but his shadowes vz. his Chauncellor or Commissarie and Chaplaines.
- 3. Touchinge citations ex officio.
  - They send forth theire Quorum Nomina and suffer the Apparate to insert the names.
  - 2. They doe not specifye the cause in theire citations | these
  - 3. They name not the partie at whose instance the two are parties cited are sent for.
- Touchinge excommunication.
  - Men are excommunicated for litle or noe cause at all—Instance hereof:
  - 1. The Churchwardens of Buslingthorpe and Snareforde, called for non paiment of 4s. tenth, and the fees came to 3os. we was taken, they obsolved [sic], and yet the kinges mony not required.

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- 2. Mr Heape, for not appearinge one time, though he appeared 14 times besides was excommunicated, and cannot be obsolved except he subscribe.
- 3. Mr Perkins in the like manner.
- [4.] Mr Kinge of Chesham in like sorte, and yet the L Bishoppe knewe that he was imprisoned in London, at the same time.

Endorsed: Aprill: 1606. A Breife of certayne pretended instances touchinge

- vz. 1. Deprivac' on of Ministers.
  - 2. Multiplicitie of Commissions.
  - 3. Citac'ons.
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